

Dear Parents/Carers,

Get set... we're taking part in The Big Pedal 2016, the UK's largest inter-school cycling and scooting challenge that inspires pupils, staff and parents to choose two wheels for their journey to school.

Powered by Sustrans and funded by the Bike Hub, the challenge runs from 18 to 29 April. It's free to enter and we would love everyone to be involved.

The details

On each day of the challenge schools compete to see who can record the greatest number of pupils, staff and parents cycling or scooting to school. Our best [...] days will determine our final position in the challenge. We'll be competing against other schools right across the UK, and if we clock up the most bike and scooter journeys we'll win!

Why we're taking part

It's a great way to get more of our pupils travelling to school on their bikes and scooters. We will be competing to become one of the UK's top schools for two-wheeled journeys and will be in with a chance to win prizes including bike and scooter stunt shows and fantastic cycle and scooter storage.

What's next?

All you need to do is encourage your child (ren) to cycle or scoot to school every day during the event, and join them on their way — parent and sibling journeys count too!

For more information about the event go to www.bigpedal.org.uk

Please get in touch if you have any questions.

Enjoy the ride!

Mrs Gartland

Success stories

Do you have an interesting story about your child cycling to school? Are they happier since discovering cycling? Has cycling changed family life? If you're happy to share your story, get in touch with Andrew Walker in the Sustrans press office: andrew.walker@sustrans.org.uk, or 0207 780 7209.