



Vyners School encourages students to cycle to and from school and has provided bike sheds for the storage of bikes during school hours. Bicycles may be left in the bicycle shed at the student's own risk. The school does not accept responsibility for bicycles left at school at any time.

Parents/carers are expected to ensure their child has:

- a British Standard Helmet for every school journey.
- high-visibility clothing and bicycle lights when appropriate.
- a suitable roadworthy and maintained bike.
- a suitable bike lock.

Every student MUST:

- Be a competent cyclist.
- Wear a British Standard helmet.
- Not wear headphones when cycling.
- Not to ride their bike on school property, they must walk their bike to and from the bike shed.
- Ride sensibly and safely and to follow the Highway Code.
- Ensure their bike is roadworthy and regularly maintained.
- Behave in a manner which shows them and the school in the best possible light and to consider the needs of others when cycling.
- Ensure they can be seen by other road users, by using bicycle lights and wearing high-visibility clothing, as appropriate.

***Students not following expectations or seen riding their bike dangerously or inconsiderately while travelling to and from school will be subject to school sanctions.***

Vyners School cannot be held responsible for anything that happens to your son/daughter or their bike if the decision is made that they can cycle to school. The school will not check to see if the bike is properly secured to the bike rack – this is your son's/daughter's responsibility. It is your responsibility to ensure that your son/daughter is properly and safely equipped, that the bike is in good roadworthy condition and your son/daughter is a competent cyclist.