



Young Active Travel Trust: Grant Funding APPLICATION FORM

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Project Title	Cycling to Rookery
Type of Applicant	School
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Signature of Head Teacher <i>(for a group of schools, only one signature is required)</i>	Click here to enter text. 
Name	Emma Balan
Date	04/03/2021

Signature of Lead Applicant	Click here to enter text. 
Name	Emily Deeming
Date	04/03/2021

About Your Project

1. Please describe the project you are asking for grant funding to undertake.

Please refer to the guidance notes for information about what sort of projects will be given priority.

As part of Rookery's Travel Plan we are encouraging more sustainable travel to school. We are currently taking part in the "Living Streets WOW" initiative and as part of this more children are coming to school on their bikes and scooters

2. What you will spend the grant funding on?

The school wishes to purchase a bike and scooter shelter to ensure the children can keep their bikes and scooters safe and covered. Since we began the project there has been an increase in children using their own bikes etc but we have nowhere to secure them

3. What benefits do you expect to result from the project?

The benefits to the children will be a marked improvement in their fitness and health, it was identified by a recent height and weight check that Rookery pupil's were in the top quartile for obesity, positive impact on their mental health and safer journey to school. There will be also an improvement in air pollution around school with less cars on the road during school drop off and pick up.

4. What positive legacy will the project have on the school or wider community and what will happen when the grant funding stops?

It is hoped to convince more children in school and the wider school community to chose more sustainable travel methods. The shelter will provide a focal point for the school to encourage cycling to school for years ahead. Cycling to school will lead to cycling for pleasure and assist families in joining the children in embracing the cycling revolution.

5. How does this project connect with your Modeshift STARS Travel Plan?

Please note funding is only available to schools who have committed to developing school travel plans through the on-line Modeshift STARS programme; or schools who will commit to registering on Modeshift STARS and achieving bronze level within 12 months (from date of award of grant).

Rookery School are committed to reducing car usage by 2% by the next academic year and hopefully more in future years. Rookery School want to increase the number of children who walk to school year on year. We have already began to make an impact on the "Living Streets WOW" walk to school campaign. We are currently working on Modeshift STARS travel plan.

6. Estimated project start date

19/04/2021

7. Estimated project completion date

28/05/2021

8. Approximately how many pupils will be involved in this project?

360

9. Estimated total cost of the project

£1241.00

10. Amount of Grant funding sought

£1000.00

Evaluation

11. Please explain how you intend to evaluate the impact of the project and how you will measure success?

We will monitor it through the Modeshift Stars Travel plans. Staff will conduct regular hands up surveys to monitor how children are travelling to school. Rookery School is hoping that the benefits will increase in pupil fitness , which will be evident in PE classes and subsequently in future height and weight checks. It is also hoped there will be an increase in pupil's mental health resilience.

Grant applications will be assessed and presented for determination to the Trusts and Charities Committee, as sole corporate trustee of the Young Active Travel Trust.

Details of your application may be referred to in publicly available committee reports, along with subsequent feedback or evaluations of any schemes funded by the Trust. Please indicate below your acceptance:

☒ I accept

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Cyclist safety is enhanced due to the ClearView PET panels, reducing the risk of cycle theft and loitering. This shelter is highly recommended where CCTV operates, offering extra protection to junior cyclists.

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