The school will be holding Bike Week in week 10, Monday 7th through to Friday 11th December. Bike Week is designed to promote road safety & educate children of the importance of road signs while cycling, (as well as having lots & lots of fun throughout the week!)

The school playground will be converted into a roadway including give ways, pedestrian crossings, intersections etc. Students will be issued with a license and will have the opportunity to practise safety skills on the road & to become more aware of road signage & their meanings.

Each student will need to bring their bike & helmet. Bikes & helmets will be securely locked away each night for the duration of the week. Bikes and helmets MUST be in safe working order... i.e. please check brakes, tyres, helmet size, helmet clips etc.

Bikes are to be dropped off at school on Monday morning. If your child does not have a bike, please try to borrow one for the week. Some families may have an extra bike and these may be available for students to borrow if possible.

Please return the below permission note, by next Wednesday 2nd December, thank you.

BIKE WEEK (PERMISSION NOTE)

I give permission for my child/ren........................................ to participate in Bike Week from Monday 7th to Friday 11th December, 2015 at Empire Vale P.S.

Signed .................................................. Date .................................

Parent/ Caregiver

- I have a spare bike that I am able to loan to other students. YES / NO

Often students want to swap bikes with their friends, this will only be permitted with students of similar size. Please indicate below if your child is permitted to loan their bike or borrow another student’s bike.

- I give permission for my child’s bike to be borrowed YES / NO

- I give permission for my child to borrow another student’s bike YES / NO

Permissions to be returned by no later than Wednesday 2nd Dec, thank you.