

PERMISSION FORM  
FOR WILLETT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
4<sup>TH</sup>-6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE "LEARN TO DRIVE (YOUR BIKE)" SAFETY TRAINING  
OCTOBER 19, 2016

Active4.me at Willett and Bike Davis are offering an on-road bike safety course for up to thirty 4th-6th graders on October 19 at 1:30 PM. Students are accepted into the event on a first-come, first served basis upon returning this permission form **and** the League of American Bicyclists Release and Waiver to the office.

Curriculum:

Students will meet in a classroom on campus after school, where we will review the rules of the road, teach road positioning and the scan-signal-merge technique. Thereafter, students will do their own helmet- and bike-checks, with reminders as needed. Students will be divided into 3 groups of 10, each group led by a "League of American Bicyclist"-certified instructor and at least one volunteer. The instructors will take each group to residential intersections that are en route to Willett where they will practice their intersection navigation skills, including making a left turn from a vehicle lane. The LCI will then lead the group to the intersection of Sycamore and Covell and demonstrate how to safely scan, signal and merge into the left-turn lane, then make the left turn onto the Covell Bike Path. Following the demonstration, students can elect to make the left turn from the left-turn vehicle lane, or make a two-legged left turn crossing Covell first and Sycamore next, in the crosswalk. Volunteers will provide guidance for both methods. Once the group is on the bike path, it will then proceed through the Marketplace parking lot to Jamba Juice where students will receive free smoothies.

All participants must have this form signed by a parent or legal guardian. By signing below, the parent or guardian certifies that:

1. Their student is using his/her own bicycle and helmet and the parent agrees to inspect the bicycle and helmet prior to the course and that both are safe for the student to use. For helmet check instructions, go to the City of Davis Safe Routes to School webpage and click on "Print/Download Safe Routes to Schools Resources".
2. Their student has the maturity and basic bike-riding skills and knowledge to participate respectfully in the after-school classroom session and on-street training that will be conducted by League Cycling Instructors. Participants must adhere to the rules set out in class.

I, the undersigned, give my consent for \_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the "Learn to Drive (Your Bike)" bicycle safety training at Willett Elementary School on October 19, 2016.

Emergency Parent phone # is: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/guardian signature

Non-emergency contact phone or email: \_\_\_\_\_

Student approaches Willett from: (east, west, north or south?) \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_