Subject: Invitation to Fix-A-Bike® Workshop for Wellington Primary School Students

Dear Parents of Wellington Primary School,

We hope this letter finds you well.

We are excited to inform you about an upcoming in-school event that could benefit your child's physical and mental well-being while contributing to a healthier and more sustainable future. Community Cycleworks (CCW), in partnership with Hounslow Council, is hosting a Fix-a-Bike workshop at Wellington Primary School on Thursday 20th and Tuesday 25th March.

Community Cycleworks is a CIC / not-for-profit organisation, based on Portland Street, SE17, teaching the public how to repair their bikes for free. More information can be found on their website: https://ccw.bike.

The course teaches two classes in a day, and covers:

- Basic repairs and quick fixes
- Offering hands-on and practical experience
- Introducing route planning and comparing travel times by different modes of transport
- Discussing the wider benefits of cycling for individuals and the community

The children do not need to bring anything but themselves, as CCW provides everything.

Results So Far:

- 1360 students taught in 57 workshops in 2024
- Engaged with 24 (unique) schools in 2024
- 84% of students loved the workshop
- 69% felt more confident in their ability to repair bikes
- 87% felt that cycling seems fun and exciting
- Opened their minds about bikes as a mode of transport, especially for shorter journeys

We believe that this workshop will not only be educational but also an enjoyable experience for your child. If you're happy for your child to participate in the workshop, you do not need to do anything, however if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us.

Thank you for your attention, and we look forward to the success of the Fix-A-Bike® workshop at Wellington Primary School.