**SACRED HEART SCHOOL**

**SAFE CYCLING POLICY / GUIDELINES**

**POLICY OBJECTIVES:**

To promote Road Safety Awareness among students and their parents.

To protect (as far as possible) students who are cycling to school.

To foster good Road Safety Awareness habits in the students.

To ensure the safety of all yard users, as the students with bikes enter and exit the school.

**RULES:**

All students cycling to school must wear a helmet.

Exceptions to the above rule only where parents have signed the relevant form.

Students are required to “walk” their bikes through the school yard on entering and exiting the school premises.

Bikes are to be stored in the designated area.

Bikes should be locked as the school cannot accept responsibility for loss or damage.

This policy was ratified by the Board of Management on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signed by Chairperson \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signed by Principal \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

To be reviewed in November 2026.

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**PARENT LETTER**

I acknowledge the school’s cycling policy in promoting Road Safety Awareness.

However, I give permission for my son to cycle to school without a helmet.

Son’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s/Guardian’s Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_