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Dear Headteacher

Young Peoples Road Safety Education

The Alconbury Driving Centre, part of The Cambridgeshire Police Shrievally Trust, provides a range of road safety and general driver education programmes tailored for schools in Cambridgeshire. Students can attend a two hour practical and theory driving session once a week, and can sit an exam in motor vehicle and road user studies, which is an entry level standard, soon to be offered as a GCSE option set by the WJEC examination board.

Courses can be structured to an individual group's needs; however they are usually a mix of classroom based activities, practical driving skills and vehicle checks etc. Our courses are designed for pupils in years 10 and 11 and the exam syllabus includes:-

- History of Transport
- First Aid
- Road User and the Law
- Motoring Maths & Communication
- Environmental & Social Issues
- Tools & Equipment – Vehicle Safety Checks
- Practical Driving Skills

All training is carried out on our private driving circuits (away from public roads on the airfield where we are based) which offer junctions, traffic lights, pedestrian crossings, hills, a roundabout and a mock motorway.

The exam course starts in September with a formal exam paper taken in March the following year.

The cost to the school per two hour session is £75.00, for a group of up to nine students. The cost of the schools programme is subsidized by The Cambridgeshire Police Shrievally Trust.

Some of the schools past and present include:-

Hinchingsbrooke School	Sawtry V.C	St Neots Community College	City of Ely C.C
Samuel Pepys School – St Neots	Longsands School	Castle Special School	Foxton Learning Centre
Cottenham C.C	Swavesey V.C	St Peters School - Huntingdon	Bassingbourn V.C
Harbour School			

We recognise that not all schools require an exam based course and we also run non exam courses, which can follow any format you wish, either as “taster days”,or comprising a fixed number of sessions to fit in with your timetables and budgets. The age group can range from 14 years upwards. The content can include Highway Code, hazard perception skills, safe moped riding, pedestrian and cycling safety or other road safety elements.

Costs for non-exam based programmes would be dependent on the amount of time required and the number of students attending, which will influence both the content and the number of qualified instructors required.

All of our instructors are Driving Standards Agency (DSA) qualified, fully insured, and have been CRB checked at enhanced level. Our site has also recently been inspected and approved by the DSA as a registered CBT training venue for moped rider training.

I hope this is helpful and I am enclosing a brochure with some further information about the road safety education programmes we offer. If you need any more information or if you are in the area and wish to visit our facility please feel free to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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