



Coordinator Bio

Renfrewshire Bikeability Scotland Coordinator

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I have been delivering Bikeability Scotland for 11 years in a variety of local authorities. I have been in my current role with Renfrewshire Leisure since January 2019 and I am responsible for 49 primary schools, 12 secondary schools plus a number of independent schools. I am a qualified Cycle Training Assistant, Cycle Trainer, Cycle Trainer Plus, Essential Cycling Skills Instructor, Play on Pedals Instructor, Bikeability Scotland mentor and First Aider.

Earliest memory of cycling?

When I was about 6 years old learning to cycle without stabilisers in our local park with my Mum and Dad chasing after me!

What would you say to a school thinking about participating in Bikeability Scotland?

I have said to Head Teachers how important a life skill cycling is and how it can fit into the curriculum during PE time if they cannot find time elsewhere in the day. Finally, recruit and train as many volunteers as you can, especially parents.

Best Bikeability Scotland moment?

We had a pupil a number of years ago in Troon who could not cycle at all when the first lesson for Level 2 started but after spending some additional 1:1 cycling time with him at the end of the main lessons, he was able to complete the on-road training and received all greens on his certificate. It was great to see that the extra help I had provided enabled him to complete the course and become a confident cyclist.

Most likely to be heard saying....

"Remember your final check!"