

Case Study

Staff Bicycles Get New Home at Avondale Park School

In the first educational scheme of its kind in the UK, Avondale Park Primary School - in Kensington and Chelsea, London, - has promoted cycling to school by staff with the installation of secure individual **cycle-safe**[®] bicycle parking lockers.

The lockers are certainly appreciated by staff as it means their bicycles no longer need to be stored in classrooms or corridors. The 10 **cycle-safe**[®] lockers were allocated to staff in the first few days after installation - and they are now in regular use.



"Council and school policy is to encourage cycle-commuting for staff and this very visible and welcome facility clearly demonstrates our commitment to this aim," said the school's headteacher.



Home time: teacher Camilla Garofalo
gets on her bike

Benefits

As well as the positive image the lockers give, other benefits include reduced demand for staff car parking at the school, fewer stolen accessories such as panniers and lights, no bike storage in the building, and healthier and fitter staff!

The secure individual **cycle-safe**[®] lockers chosen by the London Borough of Kensington and Chelsea are made in the US of advanced moulded plastic composites, with stainless steel components and a full-length locking bar.