KLAMATH COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BICYCLE SAFETY EDUCATION

The Klamath County School District (KCSD), with 16 schools serving 4,611 students, has been working with Commute Options, a regional provider of transportation options information and education, for the last three years. Beginning in 2017, the district approved bike safety training as a physical education activity for 5th grade students. As of November 2017, some County elementary schools have already started teaching Bike Safety Education (BSE) to fifth and sixth graders. The bike safety skills they learn will help them be safe for a lifetime. Although not all 5th graders have received bicycle safety education, the district plans to continue to train physical education teachers in order to offer bicycle safety education to every fifth-grader in the KCSD.

During the 2017-2018 school year, between six to eight KCSD elementary schools will offer BSE in the spring, and additional four teachers will receive BSE teacher training under a new one year Transportation Options Innovative Grant.

BE SEEN. BE SAFE. CAMPAIGN

Be Seen. Be Safe. is an annual campaign launched in the fall to remind cyclists and pedestrians to wear bright colors or flashing lights. It also reminds drivers to watch out for people walking and biking. This campaign is launched across the state with messaging that is shared by local Transportation Options providers and by ODOT.