



## **Eligibility Criteria**

In efforts to make a positive impact on lives in the community, Buckinghamshire Council has partnered with Active in the Community CIC (AITC) to collect, upcycle, and distribute at least 200 bikes across Aylesbury. The initiative goes beyond providing transportation; it seeks to empower individuals, enhance accessibility, and increase sustainability.

To apply for a free bike, residents must meet the conditions stated below:

Applicants must live within the following postcodes: *HP17, HP19, HP20, and HP21.*

Each application will be assessed on an individual basis

For those living within these postcodes, the following conditions apply for priority:

1. Individuals on free school meals.
2. Individuals referred to the scheme by partner organisations:  
*Aylesbury Homeless Action Group, Aylesbury Youth Concern, Aylesbury Youth Action Group, Aylesbury Women's Aid, Aylesbury Job Centre, Buckinghamshire Helping Hands Team, Elmhurst School, Thomas Hickman School, Holiday Activities Food Programme (HAF), Bucks Asylum and Migration, RedKite/Twenty11*

***Please note if you do not meet any of the conditions above, we are accepting self-referrals therefore all individuals within HP17, HP19, HP20 and HP21 postcodes are welcome to apply.***

Further conditions for applicants:

- Individuals must be over the age of 16. For those under the age of 16, an authorised adult should apply.
- Applicants must agree to participate in a follow-up survey, either online or by phone, at both 12 weeks and 6 months.

**We cannot guarantee that all eligible applicants will receive a free bicycle as we are reliant on matching a bicycle we've been given to the applicant's criteria, e.g., height in relation to bike frames available.**

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