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## James Bateman Goblin Car Club

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Imagine going to school and learning how to design, build and race an electric kit car—welcome to the James Bateman Goblin Car Club.

All Year 5 and year 6 children get given a box of parts and a set of instructions from which they build a small electric car. The good news is our car has already been built so is ready for the children to design and make the bodywork, cue lots of paint.

Next comes learning to drive, straight lines, slaloms, “don’t hit the cones”.

Finally, the children get to compete against other schools in race events, competing across all aspects of the project from fastest car to most original bodywork to fastest team to change the tyres.

We are looking for budding “Lewis or Louise Hamiltons” to drive the car, redesign the body work and race in June against other schools. The car is designed for our younger pupils as year 7 and 8 pupils would not fit into the car. Safety helmets will be provided.

The club will start on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September from 3:30 to 4:30. If your son/daughter is interested could you email Mr Richardson on: [jrichardson@jamesbateman.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:jrichardson@jamesbateman.staffs.sch.uk)

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