



29th June 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Sports Day Update

We are aware that the temperature is set to be very hot tomorrow, however, we are planning to go ahead with Sports Day. This is always a difficult decision but I know that working parents have booked this time off work and it would be difficult to rearrange the date as we are so close to the end of term.

To keep children safe and reduce the time they are outside, the following mitigations will be put in place:

- At 1.30pm Key Stage 1 and Reception children will be at the Community Park for their races and then return to school.
- At around 2.15pm Key Stage 2 children will be at the Community Park to start their races (after the infants have returned to school).
- Races will be run over a shorter distance.
- Where possible children will sit under gazebos to avoid direct sunlight when waiting to race.
- Water will be provided for the children.

In addition, we are asking parents to ensure that children come to school with suncream on and that they have a water bottle and a sun hat. Children should wear their summer PE kit (navy blue tee shirt and shorts). Jogging bottoms are not appropriate in the heat.

Only four children will race at a time and the majority of children are in around two to four races. I am sure with the above mitigations in place and your continued support our Sports Day will be as successful as ever.

Yours sincerely

Headteacher