



July 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

## Re: St Edmund's Girls' School Sports Day 2018

It is with great pleasure that I invite you to St Edmund's Girls' School Sports Day on **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July**. The field events will take place the week commencing 16<sup>th</sup> July, which leaves the main sports day to include a morning of varied sporting activities, for the track events, which will run from 11.15am until 2.50pm. All students will be expected to compete in at least one event.

The field and **some** track events will run the week commencing 16<sup>th</sup> July before sports day, so if your daughter is competing in a field/track event, she will need to leave her lesson 10 minutes before the event is scheduled to run. If she is competing in a field event she will need to come to school in her PE kit and then get changed at break or lunch-time back into her school uniform.

- **All pupils will need to come to school in the morning on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July in their full PE kit.** Please note that plimsolls, hoodies and non-school PE tops are not part of the school PE kit. For students in Year 7 and 8 sports leggings are not permitted as yet.
- There is only one main break of the day and **it is crucial that girls bring a packed lunch, snacks and plenty to drink, as (due to the refurbishment of our kitchen) there will be no food available to purchase on the day.** There will be water available on the field for the girls, however. Girls who are eligible for free school meals should see our catering staff by Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July in order to arrange for a packed lunch on sports day.
- **Spectators will be welcome from 11.30 am**, for the start of the track programme. Please note that dogs are not allowed on the school playing fields.
- **It is important that your daughter brings appropriate clothing for all weather conditions**, including sun tan lotion and a hat to prevent sun stroke, as well as suitable wet weather clothing if the weather takes a turn for the worse! Girls may wish to bring a picnic blanket.
- **If you would like to take photographs of your daughter and her tutor group** you will need to complete a permission slip at the registration area, which will be located at the top of the little embankment as you walk up to the track.

The event is scheduled to finish at 2.50 pm, following a presentation to the winning tutor groups. We look forward to seeing you on the day.

Yours sincerely

**Miss Hannah Adkins**  
**Curriculum Area Leader PE**