

BOURNE ELSEA PARK CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY ACADEMY

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Dear Parents/Carers,

MINI COMMONWEALTH GAMES

We are delighted to inform you that we have once again been invited to represent our school at the annual inspire+ Mini Olympics event taking place during the school day on **Wednesday 15th June 2022**. This year, to celebrate the upcoming Commonwealth Games, our local sports charity inspire+ have chosen to theme the day around this and as such have renamed the event 'The Mini Commonwealth Games'. After two years of virtual events, we are eager to return to the Grantham Athletics Stadium and will this year be taking our Year 3 children to enjoy the day.

The coach will be departing school at **8:45am** and so we ask that children are to be dropped off no later than **8:30am** for registration. We will return before the end of the school day. Children should come to school in their PE kit and bring with them a sun hat, sun cream, packed lunch, water bottle and a coat in case of rain.

Although we have photograph consent for your child, please may we inform you that the event may be filmed and photographed by local television news teams. If you have any concerns regarding this, please bring this to our attention prior to the event.

If you are happy for your child to participate in this event, please give your consent via ParentMail forms by **Monday 13th June 2022**.

We have attached a letter from inspire+ inviting you and your family, free of charge, to come along to the games to see your child taking part.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask.

Yours sincerely

Miss Ockwell

Class Teacher

Mr Revell

Assistant Head



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Dear Parents/Carers

Your son/daughter has been selected by their school to take part in the annual inspire+ Mini Commonwealth Games!

This event takes place at the South Kesteven District Council Stadium at Grantham Meres Leisure Centre (NG31 7XQ) on **Wednesday 15th June 2022**. The Mini Commonwealth Games provides children in school years 2, 3 & 4 with the opportunity to try many Olympic and Paralympic sports. In addition, the children will get the chance to meet our VIP sports personalities in our 'Meet the Stars' area, including the charity's ambassadors, Sam Ruddock, Sophie Devenish, Sarah Outen & Jonathan Broom-Edwards. The teams are assisted by the schools' Bronze Young Ambassadors. Each day will see over 500 primary school children taking part.

inspire+ would like to invite you and your family, free of charge, to come along to the games to see your children taking part. You will be able to access the main stand in the athletics stadium but would not be allowed onto the track with the teams.

The opening ceremony is at 10:15am until 10:45am and the closing ceremony is at 1:45pm until 2:15pm. Between these times the teams will be taking part in a range of Olympic & Paralympic sports. You are welcome to come and go from the stadium as you please during the event. The opening and closing ceremonies are particularly spectacular to see in true Olympic style! We hope you are able to attend to support the children as they parade past the main stand in their own opening ceremony experience.

If your school are having transport provided to the event by inspire+, unfortunately there will not be room for parents/carers on the coaches so you would be required to make your own way to the stadium.

We hope you are able to join us for what is always a magical inspiring day!

Yours sincerely,

Chris Graves

inspire+ Operations Manager