



Woodsetts Primary School



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Dear Parents/Carers,

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On Thursday 23rd March 2017, Year One to Year Six children will be going to the English Institute of Sport (EIS), to have a fun sports day at a professional sports stadium. All parents, grandparents, family members are welcome to attend to cheer on the children.

Taking in to account previous years that we have attended EIS, we ask that children are registered in class and travel to the EIS by coach provided by school. Please be at school for **8.15 am**, as we will be leaving at 8.30 am. Any parents, grandparents, family members wishing to attend should make their own way there aiming to arrive at the EIS for 9.30 am.

Children will need a packed lunch or may order a grab-a-bag from school. They should also bring plenty of water (no glass bottles) and snacks for throughout the day. There will be a small canteen area open for parents to use and there are plenty of machines for drinks, etc.

The address and postcode for the venue is:

English Institute of Sport, Coleridge Road, Sheffield, S9 5DA.

Children will need to wear their PE kit and trainers and should come to school already dressed for the day. We are asking each class to wear a different colour T-shirt to represent different countries:

Class 1	Green T-shirt	representing Brazil
Class 2	Blue T-shirt	representing France
Class 3	White T-shirt	representing England
Class 4	Black T-shirt	representing New Zealand
Class 5	Red T-shirt	representing Spain
Class 6	Yellow T-shirt	representing Australia

We would like the children to be supportive of each other and cheer on their peers. In order to make this really exciting, we are asking that they bring an instrument to the event to play and that they make flags to represent the country they are supporting. They may bring rattles, horns that they have at football matches, whistles, shakers using tubs filled with beans and rice or bring in things from home to create music, e.g. pans and wooden spoon, pots and pans, drums, etc. We're sure the children will have plenty of ideas about what they can make!

At the EIS, children will be seated in class rows at one side of the hall and parents will be seated at the other side. For health and safety reasons we would appreciate it if the children do not wander to parents or vice versa.

During the day, all children will take part in sprint races. Each year group will compete to find a first,



second and third place girl and boy and medals will be given. The afternoon is open for the children to have chance to experience different events, such as javelin, shot put, high jump, long jump and hurdles.

The day will progress as follows, however timings may not be accurate depending on what happens on the day:

8.15 am Arrive at school and into class
8.20 am Registration at school and toilet break
8.30 am Depart school
9.30 am Children to arrive at the EIS
9.45 am Take places in the hall and opening ceremony
10.00 am Sprint and relay races begin
12.30 pm Lunch
12.50 pm Sporting activities (javelin, high jump, long jump, etc.)
2.45 pm Depart EIS for school returning approx. 3.30 pm

Please complete and return the slip below by **Friday 17th March 2017**.

This event will bring Anston Brook and Woodsetts Primary Schools together in competition, providing community cohesion and support transition into KS3 in the coming years. We are sure the children will have a fantastic day and will remember it for many weeks to come.

We do ask all parents to be mindful of safeguarding of all children, photos of your child are memories for you to treasure however, please do not post photos of other children on social media sites.

If you would like to take your child home straight from the EIS rather than waiting until they get back into school please complete the relevant section as soon as possible on the reply slip.

Yours sincerely,

Mr C Davies & Miss Kerry Foster
PE Co-ordinators

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EIS SPORTS DAY – 23.03.17

Please return **as soon as possible** and no later than **Thursday 23rd March 2017**.

I do/do not give permission for my child _____ to participate in the EIS Sports Day event on Thursday 23rd March 2017.

Please tick 1 option packed lunch from home
 school 'grab a bag' (no charge to KS1 or Free School Meals)
 – cheese egg ham tuna tuna mayo salmon

Medical condition: _____

Signed _____ (name of parent/carer)

Emergency contact no of person collecting the child _____

I will/will not be taking my child home straight away from the EIS
_____ (Parent/carer name)

