



Teddington School

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Dear Families

Your child has been selected for the Teddington School Cross Country Team. The Borough Cross Country Championships takes place on Friday 17 November in Richmond Park.

Students will be leaving school from 11.00am onwards and will be taken by minibus to the registration point. They will be met by a member of PE staff near Pembroke Lodge.

	<u>Minibus 1</u>	<u>Minibus 2</u>	<u>Minibus 3</u>
Departing 11.00am	All Year 7	All Year 8	All Year 9
Departing 12.30pm	All Year 10 + Year 12	All Year 11+ Year 12	

Timings for leaving school will be finalised with the students once all consent forms have been returned. Please note that if students return to school in the minibus they will be expected to attend their afternoon lessons. However if parents wish to organise transport home or give permission for students to walk home at the end of their race, please indicate this on the reply slip below.

Venue: Sidmouth Wood, Richmond Park

Order of afternoon:

12.00pm: Teams register	12.30pm: Year 7 Girls Race (1.5km)
12.45pm: Year 7 Boys Race (1.5km)	1.00pm: Year 8/9 Girls Race (3km)
1.15pm: Year 8/9 Boys Race (3km)	1.30pm: Year 10/11 Girls Race (3km)
1.45pm: Year 10/11 Boys Race (3km)	2.00pm: Year 12/13 Girls Race (3km)
2.15pm Year 12/13 Boys Race (3km)	

The winners' ceremony will happen after each individual race.

Students must wear their PE kit to school for the first two lessons and are reminded that they must only wear Teddington PE kit. Hooded tops and alternative tracksuits will not be permitted to travel in or to compete in during their race. It is advisable to wear running spikes if your child has a pair, but trainers will also do. I recommend that all students have their school tracksuit tops and bottoms or ¼ zip jumper and waterproof clothing as they will need to stay warm while waiting for their race. Students will also need a packed lunch and plenty of water to drink as there will be nowhere to purchase food or drinks during the day.



Students must **also bring 8 safety pins** so they can attach their numbers for the race. This is extremely important as they will not be allowed to compete without. After they have competed students have permission to leave the park or be picked up if stated on the reply slip, otherwise they will return to school on the first available minibus and attend lessons.

Please do not hesitate to contact the school if you have any queries or questions.

Yours sincerely

Alison McGrandles

A McGrandles
Curriculum Leader PEPA

Richmond Borough Cross Country Championships

Please return to Miss McGrandles by Tuesday 31 October 2017

Name: _____

Form: _____

I give permission for my child to attend the Cross-Country Championships at Richmond Park on 17 November 2017.

- I will collect my child from Richmond Park after their race.
- My child has my permission to get a lift home with (parent name) _____ after their race.
- My child has my permission to walk home from Richmond Park.
- My child will return to school on a school minibus leaving at 1.00pm/1.45pm/3.00pm and attend afternoon lessons where appropriate.

(Select as appropriate)

Signed: _____

Dated: _____

Mobile contact number on the day:

Email Contact: _____