

22 April 2026

Dear Parents

Whole School Orienteering Electronic Timing Day

As part of our on-going efforts to improve and enhance the P.E. curriculum at Portswood Primary School, the children have the exciting opportunity to take part in an Electronic Timing Day. 'Cross Curricular Orienteering', the company who set up our orienteering course, will be returning to school to run the day alongside a sport leader training day.

On **Wednesday 29 April 2026**, all pupils in Year 1 – 6 will be taking part in the event, led by qualified instructors from the company. The children will participate with their classmates to complete the course through a variety of competitions and recording their times to compare throughout the day.

All children will be required to wear their school P.E. kits to school on this day to participate in the event. Please note, as per our uniform policy, 'Children with pierced ears may wear plain gold studs, but not sleepers or pendant earrings' and all earrings should be removed or covered with tape for P.E. As this is an outdoor activity, please also ensure that your child brings in appropriate clothing for the weather.

Yours sincerely,



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P.E. Lead



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