



**Year 5/6 Sports Hall Athletics Competition**

31<sup>st</sup> January 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

Your child has been selected to be in the Year 5/6 Sports Hall Athletics Competition on **Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> February**. We understand and apologise for the very short notice, however a late opening to attend this competition has arisen and it is a brilliant opportunity for the children to engage in competitive athletic events.

The competition will be held at Manshead Academy, and the children will travel by coach to the school at 12.20pm, to arrive for the competition to start at 12.45pm. The children will engage in various athletic events, such as relay races, hurdle and obstacle races, javelin, speed bounce and a long jump event. The competition will finish at 3.15pm, when the children will return to school by coach for approximately 3.40pm. If your child normally walks home, they can still do so, or you are welcome to arrange to have them collected.

In terms of clothing, the children can come into school wearing their PE kit. I will ensure the children take their PE kits home Tuesday afternoon. Please can the children wear their indoor PE kit, with tracksuit bottoms and jumpers over the top, for travelling.

If you are happy for your child to take part in this competition, including travelling by coach to and from Manshead Academy, please complete the reply slip below. **Please could all reply slips be returned to me tomorrow morning (1<sup>st</sup> February 2022)?** Again, we apologise for the quick turnaround.

Kind regards

Mr D Roderick

Assistant Head Teacher and PE Co-ordinator

**REPLY SLIP**

**Year 5/6 Sports Hall Athletics Competition at Manshead Academy**

Child's name .....

Class .....

I give permission for my child to participate in the Sports Hall Athletics Competition on **Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2022**. This includes permission to travel by coach to and from Manshead Academy, along with members of school staff.

At 3.40pm, my child **has my permission to walk home as usual/will be collected by** .....

Signed ..... (Parent/Carer)

Date .....



*Believing and achieving together*