

March 2024

Dear Parents & Carers

Hackney Schools' Challenge 2024

We are really excited to once again be taking part in the Hackney Schools' Challenge. For those unfamiliar with the event, each year, Hackney welcomes tens of thousands of people from all over the world to take part in one of the UK's most popular half marathons. As part of their 'Weekend of Movement' they invite all primary schools to take part in their Hackney Schools' Challenge the day before the Half Marathon, where children run 1 mile around Hackney Marsh.

This year it will take place on Saturday 18th May (times TBC). It is free to all primary school aged children! Not only that, but each child will also receive a t-shirt leading up to the event, and upon crossing the finish line they will receive a goody bag and a finisher's medal!

This year, we are staggering our entry. We will begin by offering it to our year 6 pupils, as this is the last year they will be able to take part. We will then open to year 5, followed by year 4, and finally year 3 (subject to available spaces). This is different from previous years when we have opened it to all key stage 2 at the same time, and that is because each school is being limited to 50 spaces this year.

We will open entry to year 6 on Tuesday 26th March.

If spaces are still available, we will open entry to year 5 on Monday 15th April.

If spaces are still available, we will open entry to year 4 on Wednesday 17th April.

If spaces are still available, we will open entry to year 3 on Friday 19th April.

All entries will then close on Monday 22nd April, at which point we will submit the names to the official organisers, and no one else will be able to sign up. Use the following link or QR Code to sign up:

<https://forms.office.com/e/UfjhKw70ii>



**Executive Head Teacher – Mr Robin Warren Head of School – Mr Gregory Logan Chair of Governors – Will
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Yours sincerely,

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A handwritten signature in grey ink, appearing to read 'Robin Warren'.

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