

# Water Primary School

Happiness, Health & Opportunity

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Firstly, I just wanted to say a huge thank you to all the families and children who have been keeping active and healthy outside of the school day; working hard towards helping #TeamWater complete our #500MileChallenge #ScenesSmilesMiles during lockdown which we smashed in style completing 504.19 with a day to go and raising £734 to help others. Thank you and well done to all involved! We have seen some wonderful pictures and videos on social media - and so have many others, including Nathan Bibby at Rossendale School Sports Partnership (RSSP).

As you may already know, Nathan at RSSP is running a virtual competition for all schools – Race to Lapland. I have spoken to Nathan this morning and he is more than happy for us to use our miles from our Water event towards the Race to Lapland Virtual Competition. The competition runs until 15<sup>th</sup> December so there is still time for children, families and schools to continue walking, jogging, cycling etc and log miles. There are prizes for:

- School with the most miles logged.
- Top 30 pupils within Rossendale with most miles logged.
- Top 3 families with the most miles logged outside of school.

I do have a total for each child at Water School who has been sharing miles covered on social media up until Monday 30<sup>th</sup> November. However, these totals are for individual children, not family totals. If a Y1 child has covered 40.6 miles, this could possibly mean that another 40.6 miles can be logged if a parent/guardian was with them.

All miles covered can be logged on the Google Form here...

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfyCbA1gl2xhjQfmKSD1jVrOt7iGso1Bc1wffUGNELX1blr4Q/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfyCbA1gl2xhjQfmKSD1jVrOt7iGso1Bc1wffUGNELX1blr4Q/viewform?usp=sf_link)

It only takes a couple of minutes for your first log of miles. Following that you will be given a link by email which you can follow to add any additional miles covered. Please can I ask families to use the link above and log your miles covered. There are some fantastic prizes to be won.

If any parent/guardian would like to know their total miles covered up until Monday 30<sup>th</sup> November, please email me at [mmedley@water.lancs.sch](mailto:mmedley@water.lancs.sch) and I will let you know. Mr. Riley has kindly kept a running total.

In school, we completed 176.2 miles during our TriKidz event on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November. Fantastic work by all children! I have let Nathan know about these. All miles outside of school must be logged on the form above.

Thanks again for all your hard work, enthusiasm and positivity. Our children and families are amazing!

Yours sincerely

Mr M Smedley  
PE Teacher



