

Water Primary School

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Dear Parent / Carer of Children in Year 6

Rossendale Colour Run – Friday 7th July

We are delighted to inform you that we will be taking part in a 'Colour Run' to raise funds for a programme that uses physical activity to improve mental health in Rossendale schools. The event is open to year 6 and 7 pupils and your child has been selected to take part.

A 'Colour Run' is a fun run with stations along the designated route where participants will be bombarded with coloured powder. All colours are biodegradable, are not harmful and will wash off skin and clothes easily. Also, when left on the ground can be washed away and will not affect wildlife.

Could you please ensure that your child arrives at school wearing old but sensible sports shoes and clothes, shorts or leggings and a t-shirt (preferable white or light, to show off the colour) of which they can move freely in. There is a risk that clothes may be stained or damaged during the event and although the powder is harmless we **require all students** to wear plastic sunglasses or goggles. No glasses no participation. (Note: some spare glasses will be available on the day)

The event will take place on **Friday 7th July at Marl Pits from 10.30am until 12 noon.**

Please note that by your child taking part in the 'colour run' event, there are likely to be some risks involved with undertaking these types of activities. Please be assured that Rossendale School Sports Partnership have risk assessed all the activities and will be supervising the events during the day.

Please inform school directly if there are any medical conditions which might restrict your child from undertaking any activities or you would rather your child did not take part in the event.

Please see your child's sponsor form overleaf.

We hope the children are going to have lots of fun at this event.

Yours faithfully
Miss E McKay
Headteacher



