



St Peter's

Collegiate Academy

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to share the arrangements for our upcoming Key Stage 3 Sports Day, taking place on Tuesday 23 June 2026. We will once again be holding the event at Aldersley Leisure Village, giving students in Years 7, 8 and 9 the opportunity to take part in inclusive athletics in a professional stadium setting.

This event is designed to be fully inclusive, with all students contributing regardless of ability, through active participation and by supporting their form group and wider house team. Our aim is to promote physical activity, teamwork and enjoyment, and to create a memorable day for everyone involved. With guidance from their Form Tutors and PE staff, students are already preparing by planning their teams and events in advance.

Key Information

Students should **arrive at St Peter's Collegiate Academy at the usual time of 8.30 am**, wearing their full PE kit and suitable trainers. Students will be registered in their form groups before travelling by coach to Aldersley Stadium in year groups, with events commencing from 9.45 am.

What Students Need to Bring

Students should bring a packed lunch and non-carbonated drinks for the day. If your child is entitled to free school meals, you can request a packed lunch by **completing the form linked here by Monday 15 June 2026**: forms.gle/hVuMvwHYqCqv2m8ZA

Students should also bring any necessary medication such as inhalers or EpiPens, a St Peter's tracksuit top or blazer for between events, and weather-appropriate items including a waterproof jacket, sunscreen and a hat.

End-of-Day Arrangements

Events will conclude at approximately 2.00 pm. Each year group will aim to depart at the following times:

Year 9: 2.00 pm, ETA at Compton 2.15 pm **Year 7:** 2.30 pm, ETA at Compton 2.45 pm
Year 8 will be split between the 2.00 pm and 2.30 pm departures. Students will be notified of their departure time the week prior to Sports Day.

Please note that on the return journey, coaches will drop students on Compton Road due to the likelihood of congestion at Compton Park. Staff will be present to direct students back towards school and the school buses, and students will be able to make their way straight home from there. Please ensure your child knows how they will be getting home on the day. Parents and carers will be updated by the Arbor app if there are any delays.

If you would prefer your child to remain at school until 3.00 pm, please let us know in

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advance by emailing cnewbould-smith@stpetersacademy.org.uk

Attendance and Participation

Attendance at Sports Day is compulsory and the academy's standard attendance policy applies. If your child has an injury or condition that prevents them from taking part, please contact hmcglynn@stpetersacademy.org.uk or their Head of Year as soon as possible. Students in this position will be given meaningful leadership roles on the day, such as supporting timekeeping or recording results.

Additional Information

Unfortunately, parents and carers are unable to attend the event due to capacity limits at the venue. We will, however, be sharing highlights of the day on our social media channels.

As with a normal school day, mobile phones must remain in bags throughout the event. Students may use them before or after school hours to contact home, but not during the event itself. The academy is not responsible for any lost or unattended items.

In the unlikely event of cancellation due to adverse weather, we will notify you by email or notification on the Arbor app, and students should attend the academy prepared for a regular school day.

Please also ensure that your emergency contact details held by the academy are up to date.

We are really looking forward to what promises to be a fantastic day. Thank you for your continued support.

If you have any questions, please feel free to get in touch.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs H McGlynn
Head of Physical Education