



March 2026

Tonbridge Schools Cross Country Competition – Monday 30th March

Dear Parents

Tonbridge schools are holding their Annual Cross Country competition for children in Years 2 to 6. The event will be held at Tonbridge School Sports Centre between 1.45pm and 3.30pm. The children will be running around a marked route over approximately 1.5km (Years 2, 3 and 4) or 2km (Years 5 and 6).

Whilst I will be at Tonbridge School to support the children competing, as the competition takes place during the school day, the priority for all other staff is supporting learning in classrooms, therefore we do need parent support to make this event viable. If you would like you child to take part, you would need to provide transport to and from the sports centre and be able to stay to spectate so that there are additional adults available.

Competing children will be given our school kit to wear and we ask that it is returned the following day, whether or not it has been washed as we have the facilities to do this in school and it is needed for other sports competitions later in the week. They will need appropriate footwear – trainers, not plimsolls.

Children can have lunch at school and fill their water bottles before they leave. You may wish to supply your child with an additional snack that day.

It should be a fabulous event, which we hope the children enjoy. If you would like your child to take part, please sign up using the link on Arbor under trips by **Monday 23rd March**. There are restrictions on the number of children who can compete so, should there be a large amount of interest, names will be drawn out of a hat. I will confirm whether or not your child has a place by Wednesday 25th March.

Kind regards

Mrs Pullin
Curriculum Lead