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28<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

## **Morton Academy Sports Day**

Our Morton Academy Sports Day will be taking place on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2024.

The day will consist of a number of running, jumping and throwing events on the school field. Pupils will have the opportunity to sign up to some of these events where they will represent their tutor/house teams. If your child signs up for an event, they will be invited to the athletics track at an allocated time throughout the day, then return to their normal lessons. Students who do not sign up to an athletics event will remain in their timetabled lesson.

All pupils will attend the Academy as normal at 8.35am. All children, whether participating or not, should attend in their Morton Academy PE kit or alternatively tops/shorts in the colour of their house (if preferred). These must be appropriate for participating in sport and physical activity within a school setting.

### **House Colours:**

Luguvalium – Red

Valentia – Yellow

Hadrian - Blue

Students will also be expected to wear appropriate non-slip footwear when taking part in events and may also want to bring sunscreen and plenty to drink throughout the day.

Regrettably, we will be unable to host any family members for Sports Day due to the logistics of the day and the timetable being in line with every other school day. Pupils will be moving around various locations in the Academy and will not be situated in one specific area. We understand that this may be disappointing for those who wished to support their children on the day but I trust you understand that having a large number of visitors on our Academy site creates safeguarding implications. The safety of all of our pupils is paramount and although family support is hugely appreciated by staff and pupils alike, this is the only way to ensure this on the day.

Yours sincerely

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