



Abbot's Hall Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are very much looking forward to our colour run on Thursday 16th July. We are very grateful for all of your kind donations to enable the children to take part and have fun at the same time as raising funds for our garden project.

Here are some further details to help you prepare for the event:

What should my child wear?

Children should come to school dressed in:

- A **white or light coloured t-shirt** (shows the colour powder best)
- **PE shorts**
- **Suitable footwear**, such as trainers
- **Sunglasses or swim goggles** for eye protection.

Please avoid sending children in their best trainers and clothes, they may become stained.

If you travel home from school via car, you may want to ensure you have some old towels/covers for your car seats in case the colour should transfer onto your car upholstery.

What should they bring?

- A **drink** (their water bottle that you send in daily will be fine – warm weather is expected)
- **Sunglasses or swim goggles**

Can parents watch?

Due to the size of the school, we are **unable to accommodate spectators** for this event. Teacher will take plenty of photos, which will be uploaded to **tapestry/social media (those who have given permission)** for you to enjoy.

Sponsorship

As we are a cashless school, all sponsorship is through <https://superkind.org/pta/friends-of-abbots-hall-school>. We require a minimum sponsorship of £5 per child in order to cover the cost of taking part.

What if my child has not donated the minimum £5 or does not want to take part?

If your child has chosen not to take part and doesn't want to take part then there will be a 'non colour run' option for them so they are still included in the fun!

Plan for the day

All children will run in their class groups.

There will be two categories:

- Colour run (with colour)
- Non-colour run (no colour)

Teachers will know which children have opted in to the colour run through superkind. **If they have not donated we will assume that they would like to take part in the 'non colour run'. If this is not the case then please inform your child's class teacher if you haven't done so already.**





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What is the paint?

The colour powder is made from food grade corn starch, which is ground maize and therefore gluten free. The dyes differ slightly by colour, but all are cosmetic grade dyes. Powders are certified to European toys standard EN71 and manufactured in the UK. Purchased from: **Event Colour**: Unit 36 Phoenix Road, Washington, Tyne and Wear, NE38 0AD Website: www.eventcolour.co.uk

We hope this will be a memorable way to end the school year.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Brown and Mrs Scrivener

