

Dear parents and guardians,

We are excited to inform you that as a school we have secured places in the **TCS Mini London Marathon** on Saturday 26 April in St James’s Park, London.

Your child has been chosen to be one of the school's representatives at this prestigious event.

**What is the TCS Mini London Marathon?**

The TCS Mini London Marathon is a one-mile or 2.6K run, jog, walk, or wheel event for school children and young people of all backgrounds, and abilities.

It takes place the day before the TCS London Marathon and finishes in front of Buckingham Palace.

Participants will receive a finisher's medal and raise £10 per finisher for their school.

**Important Information for Your Child's Run/walk/wheel**

* **Bib Collection:** Your child will receive a running bib from the school. On the day of the event, please tear off the side of the bib and keep it with you to access the finish collection point.
* **Start Time:** We will be provided the specific start time a few weeks before the event.
* **Start Location:** Please take your child to Horse Guards Parade and their designated start pen 30 minutes before their wave start time.
* **Finish Collection:** A parent or guardian must collect your child at the finish line. Only one person with the bib tear-off strip will be allowed into the collection area.
* **Course Viewing:** Due to the race pace, it's not possible for parents/guardians who accompany children to the start to then view the race. However, you can watch the live-streamed finish line from the Fan Zone or near the Grandstand.

Please let us know if you are happy for your child to take part and can organise for them to get there on the day.

Best wishes