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Dear Parents and Carers of children in KS2

District Cross Country KS2 – Thursday 11th November 2021

Your child has shown an interest in representing our school at the District Cross Country competition. The event is run by Northants School Sports Partnership and will take place as follows:

- Thursday 11th November 2021
- Croyland Park, Wellingborough
- 9:30 – 12:30

The races will be split by year group and by gender and will be run on a team and individual basis. Whilst this is a mass participation competition, we would encourage you to consider the distances involved and whether your child is fit enough to run the full distance and **enjoy** the experience.

| Year | Time | Race Distance |
|--------|-----------|---------------|
| Year 3 | 5 minutes | 800m |
| Year 4 | 6 minutes | 1000m |
| Year 5 | 7 minutes | 1600m |
| Year 6 | 9 minutes | 2000m |

We will be providing transport to and from the venue, and will be leaving at 9:00am prompt. This is a brilliantly organised event so should you wish to come and spectate we encourage you to do so, the more support we have for the children the better. **Children should wear PE kit and trainers suitable for running outside; this is a cross-country course so heavy clothing is not advisable. Children must also bring warm layers (and if possible a waterproof jacket) to wear before and after their race, Croyland Park is very open to the elements and it can get very cold and windy. It is also essential that they bring a bottle of water.** Children will have to bring a packed lunch on the day, which they will be able to eat when they return. Please complete and return the attached form by Wednesday 20th October 2021 so that we can be sure that we are able to put a team together.

Yours sincerely

Andy Baker

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Child's name: Emergency Contact Number.....

I would like my child to attend the District Cross Country YES / NO

If a photographer is in attendance, I give permission for my child's picture to be taken YES / NO

Signed: Date :/...../.....21



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