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A Cornerstone Digital Academy*

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**Re: Friday Year 5 & 6 Games Sessions**

Dear Parent,

I wrote to you in September to confirm the allocated sporting activities for your child for each half term of this academic year. The summer activities for Year 5 and 6 will begin on **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> May**. Although Friday afternoons are typically set aside for Year 5 and 6 games sessions, please note that, as a result of a very busy summer term, including residentials, KS2 SATS, school transition days and a musical theatre production, we may not always be able to run the games sessions on a Friday afternoon. We will notify you of any changes to the timetable each week. In addition, we will endeavour to run catch up sessions where necessary.

As you are aware, there are 9 activities that are offered to the children each half term and each child has the opportunity to experience different sports throughout their time in years 5 and 6. Although we endeavour to include them in the activity of their choice for each half term, this is not always possible due to the group size restrictions.

If you need to check which activity your child is participating in, please email [admin@bcps.org.uk](mailto:admin@bcps.org.uk) or contact the school on 01329 461288.

The programme of different sports is in 3 categories:

<u>Team</u>	<u>Adventure</u>	<u>Individual</u>
Cricket <i>(at School)</i>	Climbing <i>(at School)</i>	Golf <i>(at Padbrook Park)</i>
Rounders <i>(at School)</i>	Sailing <i>(at Haven Banks)</i>	Fencing <i>(at School)</i>
Tennis <i>(at School)</i>	Mountain Biking <i>(on the Killerton cycle path)</i>	Running <i>(at Killerton and around village)</i>

Wherever possible we will offer the chance for the children to obtain some form of accreditation at the end of their sessions. We will be teaching them skills and tracking their progress in each sport.

It is really important that your child has the correct clothing. Children must wear the full PE kit for all activities unless specified below. This includes a logoed navy polo shirt with navy sports shorts and trainers.

**Climbing**

Ideally jogging bottoms should be worn to protect children's knees.

**Golf**

Jogging bottoms are preferred but not essential.

## Running

Children are able to take a drink if they would like.

## Sailing

- Wetsuits will be supplied by the Sailing Centre unless your child has a wetsuit of their own they would like to use.
- A swimming costume or a thin layer is recommended to be worn underneath the wetsuit.
- A pair of shoes which you do not mind getting wet and that will not fall off in the water.
- Towel.
- Change of clothes (does not need to be uniform).

**Please note that, if your child is sailing, they will need to be collected from school at 4.45pm on a Friday due to the timing of the session at Haven Banks.**

If you have any questions, **or do not know what your child is doing for the next half term**, please get in touch with your child's class teacher:

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This is a big opportunity for our older children, one that is backed by a significant investment of time and budget. I am sure that your child will enjoy a fun packed half term of sporting activity.

Yours sincerely,



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