

# QUEEN ELIZABETH'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer

## Sports Day 2023

QEGS sports day will take place on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2023, and we would like to give parents the opportunity to spectate. There is a session in the morning, from 9am-1pm, and a session in the afternoon, from 2-3.20pm. Tickets are available from [qegs.link/tickets](https://qegs.link/tickets), for two guests per student, for each of the two sessions. Field events will start at 9am and run until lunchtime. Track events will start at 9.25am, break during P4 and then resume after lunch, finishing with the relays by 3.15pm. The schedule is attached.

Following the success of last year, we are again encouraging all students to take part, in at least one event. We had over 500 students participating last year, and we are hoping for even more this year! Each student is allowed to compete in a maximum of two track events, two field events and the relay. Most events will have up to four competitors from each house, with each competitor earning two points for each event that they take part in. The top two competitors from each house score additional points (1st = 8, 2nd = 7, etc. down to 8th = 1). Therefore, please can you emphasise the message that taking part will really help their house be more successful and that the events are not just for the elite. We want all students to take part in at least one of the 105 events and there are 96 spaces (48 male & 48 female) to fill for each house team in each year group, so there really is plenty of opportunity for everyone to take part!

Sports day will be a non-uniform day, with all students permitted to wear QEGS PE kit for the day, but with a top in their house colour. The weather forecast for the day is currently mixed, but please make sure that your child has a hat, suncream and plenty of water.

As always, please do not hesitate to contact me by email at [hallam@qegs.email](mailto:hallam@qegs.email) or by phone on ext. 11242 if you require further information about this event.

Yours faithfully

Mr B Hallam

**PE Curriculum Leader**