



INSPIRING EXCELLENCE

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Dear Parents,

PE, Games & Sport - Injured or Unable to Participate Protocol

If your child is unable to participate in PE, Games or Sporting activities as they usually would please follow the steps highlighted below to ensure that we avoid unnecessary conversations and can engage your child in some form of meaningful activity, to either assist with their recovery or use the lesson time productively.

STEP 1 - Email pe@rossall.org.uk to inform the PE, Games & Sports department that your child is unable to participate. The email should include the following:

- The reason your child cannot participate.
- The length of time your child is unable to participate - e.g. one lesson due to a minor illness or a specific amount of time indicated by a health care professional if the injury is more serious.

STEP 2 - Ensure your child brings their PE, Games or Sports kit. This will allow us to provide an alternative activity, e.g. gym rehabilitation in the case of minor injury or they are suitably clothed to observe the lesson if it is outside. In the first instance, we will always look for an alternative physical activity, but if this is not possible we will do our best to engage your child in the delivery of the lesson, this could be in the form of coaching, officiating or analysing and evaluating their peers.

STEP 3 - If there are any changes to your child's injury or reason for not being able to participate please inform us at your earliest convenience.

Hopefully, introducing this policy will allow all children to engage in each and every PE and Games lesson. If a child cannot participate in any form of physical activity long-term, this will be dealt with on a bespoke basis in conjunction with the Assistant Head (Sport), Mr J Cropper.

Yours sincerely,

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