



## ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS C. E. (FOUNDATION) PRIMARY AND PRE-SCHOOL

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8 May 2025

Dear Parent/Carer



**The School Run**

### Colour Run for Reception to Year 6 - Expression of Interest

We are hoping to hold our first St Michael and All Angels 'Colour Run'. This would be a sponsored event, through which we hope to raise money for resources across school to help to build a nurture and sensory room. Sponsorship would be online via a Just Giving page.

The Colour Run would take place on the school field **after school on Wednesday 9th July**. The children would run through colour stations where they will get colour powder thrown at them. The colour powder is safe for everyone to use. It is very important that all participants wear glasses to stop the powder from irritating eyes.

The entry fee for The Colour Run would be approximately £6.50 per child. This includes the cost of the paint, a white t-shirt and sunglasses for eye protection.

Children would have to wear their provided white t-shirt and **old** shorts/tracksuit bottoms/leggings and **old** but appropriate footwear to run in. **If you do choose for your child to participate in The Colour Run, please be aware that there is a risk of clothes being stained. School will not accept any responsibility for stained clothing or shoes.**

In order to get an idea of numbers so we can plan this event, please can you complete the expression of interest form and submit this by 15<sup>th</sup> May.

Yours faithfully

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## **Further Information regarding the School Colour Run**

### **Does the colour powder stain clothing?**

Like any other colour powder, ours can stain clothing. Please be aware of this when using the colour powder and advise participants to wear clothing they don't mind having more colours on them after the event than before!

### **Can I wash colour powder out of my hair?**

Yes you can! Rinse your hair with cold water first to remove as much as possible, then wash using a good quality shampoo. You can also use a conditioner/oil before the event - apply liberally to your hair and leave in for the event. This helps create a barrier between the colour powder and your hair. Alternatively, wear a hat or fun wig!

### **How is the colour powder made?**

Our colour powder is made the traditional way, just corn starch and natural vegetable or food-grade dyes. We have however gone that extra step to ensure our colour powder is non-flammable and nontoxic. We thought this was essential to make our product perfect for the modern marketplace and use by children.

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