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Dear Parent/carer,

I am writing to inform you of an exciting school event we have planned. On Thursday 29th June 2023, Urmston Grammar will be going to Longford Park Stadium in Stretford for our annual Sports day.

This is a whole school event so staff and all pupils from Year 7-10 will be expected to attend and participate, consequently the school building will be closed for the day.

All pupils will be expected to arrive in full school PE kit* with the addition of a coloured top associated with their house. Students should arrive at Longford Park Stadium for 9am, ready for registration at 9.15am. We anticipate the day will end at 2.30pm so we ask that students are collected promptly at this time. Please use the online form below to indicate that your child will make their own way to and from the venue.

Longford Park is a fantastic venue and has superb facilities including a covered grandstand where students will be based for the day. However, due to our somewhat changeable weather we expect all pupils to be thoroughly prepared for every eventuality! Warm clothes, waterproofs, suntan lotion, as well as a packed lunch and drinks to last them the day are a must. A full weather forecast will be provided to the students on the Wednesday 28th June.

If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact myself or Mr Bradshaw (Head of PE) at school, by ringing our school office or emailing msalisbury@urmstongrammar.org.uk.

Thank you in advance for your support for what we hope will be a thoroughly enjoyable day!

Please confirm via the online form <u>HERE</u> that you consent for your child to make their own travel arrangements to and from Longford Park.

Please see overview for direction to Longford Park Stadium

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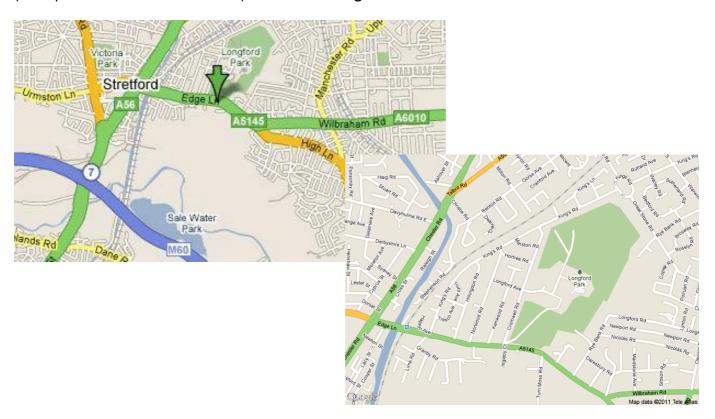
Directions to Longford Park, Ryebank Road, Stretford, Manchester M21 9TA

Directions by Public Transport

Longford Park is less than 5 minutes walk from the Stretford Tram Metro Link, on the Manchester to Altrincham Line. On leaving the Tram station take a left onto edge lane and a short walk will take you to the main park entrance to Longford park.

Longford Park is easily accessible by bus being close to both the Manchester-Altrincham and Urmston-Stockport Quality Bus Corridor routes.

Buses run along Edge Lane to many destinations. Plan your journey to Longford Park at the TFGM (Transport for Greater Manchester) website **www.tfgm.com**



*Full school PE kit= HOUSE COLOURED TOP, UG TRACKSUIT BOTTOMS/BLUE SHORTS/BLUE SKORT FOR GIRLS PHYSICAL EDUCATION/PLAIN BLACK LEGGINGS, WHITE SOCKS & APPROPRIATE SPORTING TRAINERS. STUDENTS CANNOT WEAR AIR FORCES 1s OR CONVERSE TYPE TRAINERS.