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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to inform you that Chesterton has been chosen by Sport England to take part in the Active Lives Children & Young People Survey next school term.

Active Oxfordshire are working on behalf of Sport England, together with Ipsos MORI on the Active Lives Children and Young People Survey. This is a survey carried out in schools to gather information about the sports and activity participation of young people.



What will the research entail?

- 3 classes (Ash, Hawthorn and Oak) have been randomly sampled – it isn't necessary for the whole school to take part
- One teacher will take the survey in order to access our 'Healthy Schools' rating
- We are provided with electronic links, so that the surveys can be completed online and in school.
- Surveys take between (10-20mins) and are very child friendly.
- Year 2 (Ash Class) parents are also requested to complete a survey <https://ipsos.uk/UFXWZGC> to share their thoughts. We would be very grateful to anyone who is able to do this.

For taking part in the survey, Chesterton will receive:

- Credits for our school to then choose from a variety of sports equipment.
- A Healthy Schools rating, specific to our school which can be displayed and promoted.
- A bespoke school level report detailing the physical activity levels and attitudes to physical activity of our pupils.

Chesterton's data will contribute to a district level report which will help to inform future provision of sport and physical activity and the support that Active Oxfordshire can offer schools.

As you know, we are committed to physical activity and sport, so we would like our pupils' voices to be heard on the subject. Therefore, we are keen for as many children as possible to take part. However, if you do wish – for whatever reason – for your child not to take part, please complete the opt-out form below by Friday 18th October or email the school office. You do not need to do anything if you are happy for your child to take part.

Kind regards,
Mr Horner

I DO NOT give permission for my child to take part in the Active Lives Survey.

Name of child: _____ Name of parent/carer: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____