



23rd April 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

**Yr5 Orienteering and Windsurfing Trip**

We are delighted to have been offered two dates for our Year 5 children to be able to experience Windsurfing at the OTC situated at the Weymouth and Portland Sailing Academy. We are coupling this with, for some, their very first Orienteering experience, again here on the Island.

- Narwhal Class will be Windsurfing on 2nd May and Orienteering on the 9th May
- Stingray Class will be Windsurfing on 9th May and Orienteering on the 2nd May

For both dates, we are asking, where possible, your child starts the day at the Sailing Academy at 9am, where they will be met by a familiar member of staff from Atlantic Academy. If this is not possible then they will be taken from school in our minibus. Your child will be returned to the Academy by the end of the day by minibus.

On your child's Windsurfing morning, please send your child to school, in their P.E kit with swimming costume, towel and wet shoes/old trainers. The wetsuit, buoyancy aid and helmet will be provided.

On your child's Orienteering morning, please send your child to school in their P.E kit with comfortable footwear for the morning.

In order for them to take part on these dates, please complete the following **THREE** short tasks:

- 1) For the windsurfing, please fill out the indemnity form that will be coming home with your child today (unless you have already filled one out for a previous windsurfing event at the sailing academy)
- 2) Please pay the £10 for the trip via Parent Mail
- 3) Please fill in the [consent form](#), indicating how your child will start their day, either at Atlantic or the Sailing Academy as well as their lunch choice if they are FSM and would like a lunch provided, by the deadline of 12pm Thursday 1st May.

Any questions, please pop me an email on [crussell@atlantic-aspirations.org](mailto:crussell@atlantic-aspirations.org)

Warm regards

Ms C. E Russell