

CATCOTT SCHOOL MINI MARATHON, 2024

Every year people travel from all over the world to run 26 miles at London Marathon.



Some people dress up in fancy dress, some people are athletes setting tough time goals, and some people want to prove that it doesn't matter how old you are - when you set your mind to something, you can **DO IT!!!**



London marathon is about being healthy and running, and it is also about raising money... Last year, **£39,000,000** was raised for different charities!!!

And since the marathon began in 1981, runners have raised over a **BILLION** pounds for charities!!

That's

£1,000,000,000!!!!

This year, Catcott Primary School are taking part and running a Mini Marathon of **2.6miles** for children to walk, jog or run the course and have the chance to **raise money for your school**.



Please ask your friends and family to sponsor you. You will have a race number, receive a certificate for completing the course and hopefully win a TROPHY for your school awarded by London Marathon!!!

The money you raise will be for Catcott School so that your teachers can buy new equipment and arrange trips for you and your school friends to enjoy.

Friends and family will be invited to come to school and support on the afternoon of **Friday 19th April**. We hope they will make banners and cheer you on throughout the route, create a lot of noise and have a lot of fun! Support is SO important. Children who really don't want to take part can support by cheering, giving high-5s to runners and waving their banners.



Sponsorship forms will be sent out to you after Easter!!! Maybe start doing some mini training runs during the holidays? Good Luck!!

