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Dear Parent/Carer

RE: MILLTHORPE JOINS THE OLYMPICS!

I am delighted to inform you that Millthorpe School has successfully been accepted as a member of London 2012's Get Set Network. This is the official London 2012 education programme and, through this programme, our students will be learning more about the Games and the Olympic and Paralympic Values. As well as offering us some exciting resources, we are also now eligible for a number of exciting rewards from London 2012, including free tickets to the Games!

To join this network, Millthorpe had to demonstrate to the Olympic organisers that the school is striving to meet the Olympic spirit – through initiatives such as developing our rewards and praise structure, as well as helping students gain meaningful qualifications which are challenging, and delivering inspirational lessons. The judging panel were particularly keen to hear how students are encouraged to join extra-curricular clubs, participate in inter-form competitions, develop leadership skills, officiating qualifications and the ability to lead coaching sessions. We have now been recognised by the London 2012 Organising Committee as a school that is demonstrating its commitment to the Olympic and Paralympic Values.

This means that we are now guaranteed free tickets to London 2012. In addition, we'll also be in with the chance of winning visits from athletes and the London 2012 mascots. Over the coming months, we at Millthorpe will be getting ready for London 2012 by linking more work to the Games and ensuring that our students feel that they are a part of this once in a lifetime event.

We look forward to updating you on this exciting work.

Yours sincerely

Miss S Watts
Head of Citizenship

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