



LANGSTONE ACADEMIES

9th October 2023

Dear Parents / Carers,

RE: 'PROUD TO BE POMPEY' DAY

On **Friday 20th October 2023**, both **Langstone Academies** have teamed up with the current Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress of Portsmouth to take part in a '**Proud to be Pompey**' day.

As part of the day, we are holding a non-uniform day & asking that children dress in something that is associated with Portsmouth, or to keep it very simple their 'best blue'! If they want to dress in something Portsmouth related this could be a star as featured in our cities crest, a sailor, a writer, the Lord Mayor or Lady Mayoress, a King or a Queen staying at the Castle, or their favourite Portsmouth footballer.....be as inventive as you like!

A donation of £1 per child is requested, and this would go towards the Lord Mayor's Charitable Appeal, which this year is supporting three incredible local organisations, Portsmouth Hospitals Charity, Home Start and the Royal Navy and Royal Marines Charity (RNRMC).

We have a number of activities organised for the day based on Portsmouth history & well-known local landmarks. We are hoping to have a visit from the Lord and Lady Mayoress during the day, where they will visit the children and see some of their fantastic outfits and activities.

We do hope you will support the '**Proud to be Pompey**' day which will give your children the opportunity to learn more about the place they live, but also be great fun & support some very worthwhile local charities.

Best wishes,

Kind regards

Mrs J Bush
Headteacher