

Why do we teach Physical Education?

Physical Education is vital to ensure students improve and maintain their physical health and wellbeing, this in turn improves their behaviour for learning and enhances their academic achievement. As a subject we aim to improve the following areas as set out in the National Curriculum:

- develop competence to excel in a broad range of physical activities
- are physically active for sustained periods of time
- engage in competitive sports and activities
- lead healthy, active lives

What do we teach in PE?

The key theme in Physical Education is living an active and healthy lifestyle. We offer the following sports and look into the following concepts.

- Invasion Sports, Striking and Fielding, Net and Wall sports,
 Performing to maximum, Outdoor and Adventurous Activities and
 gymnastics. We also cover dance through a separate SoW in the
 subject.
- 2. The following concepts are taught: motivation, confidence, knowledge and understanding, communication, resilience, emotional intelligence, Intra-personal skills, sporting values, redefining competition, problem solving, power of positivity, fulfilling potential, effective teams, self-reflection, attitude and behaviours, health and wellbeing, engagement post 16 and remaining active.

How do we teach Physical Education?

In PE we teach the students

- 1. The key fundamental skills in each sport. (i.e. passing, shooting, dribbling, striking, catching and throwing).
- 2. How to develop motor competencies through a range of sports (i.e. balance in gymnastics, running and jumping in athletics,
- 3. The key tactical elements regarding defence and attack in a range of sports. (i.e. zonal defence in basketball, field placement in cricket, diagonal lines in rugby.)
- 4. The rules for each sport so that participants are happy to lead competitive games with confidence.
- 5. How to live a healthy and active lifestyle including a range of elements such as diet, illnesses, benefits of exercise.
- 6. Each lesson students are taught a key concept which is then developed in lesson and in wider society such as resilience, leadership, persistence and employability.

How is PE personalised for our learners?

Physical Education is by nature personal due to the engagement and passion for a different range of sports. We ensure that each student is given the opportunity to develop their physical competences in a range sports which are popular in the local community. We also try to nurture those students who enjoy other sports and ensure we can provide information and pathways for them to compete.

Alongside this we ensure that we link sport to the local context by promoting local clubs and athletes who have attended the school as ambitious positive role models. We explicitly explore issues around contextual safe guarding in in the local area through our concept curriculum through discussions around gang affiliation, toxic masculinity and radicalisation.



YEAR 7	Topic 1	Topic 2	Topic 3	Topic 4	Topic 5	Topic 6
Key content	Rugby	Gymnastics	Football	Basketball	Athletics	Cricket/Softball
Key concepts & skills BASIC SKILLS	Ball handlingPassingTackling	 Travelling Rolls Sequences Cartwheels/Round offs Balances 	 Dribbling Passing Tackling Shooting 	 Dribbling Passing Shooting/layups 	 Sprint starts (100m) Relay change over Throws (javelin/shot putt) 	 Throwing Catching Striking Bowling/pitching
Summative Assessment	Theory content to c	cover a number of analysis	opportunities in each u	init plus standalone concept	content (see following box	regarding concepts).
Builds from	PassingReceiving(In isolation)	Motor competencyMovement pathways	DribblingPassingShooting(In isolation)	DribblingPassingShooting(In isolation)	Starting running positionStanding position when throwing	Stance/gripThrowingCatchingUnderarm bowling
Builds towards	 Passing and receiving whilst moving Tackle on both sides 	 Performing a sequence of moves Using canon Working collaboratively 	 Passing and receiving whilst moving Tackle on both sides 	Passing when under pressureTriple ThreatIntercepting	Pacing based on distanceThrowing a javelin and shotput	 Striking a moving ball Overarm bowling Throwing over longer distances



YEAR 7	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Summer term
Key content	Movement competence	Confidence	Knowledge and Understanding	Motivation	Misconceptions and revisit
Key concepts & skills	 Competence Practice Skills and techniques Providing Feedback Acting on Feedback Performance 	 Confidence Attitudes Positive approaches to PE Comfort zones Failure Growth Mindset 	 PE Sports and Physical Activity Fitness Physical Benefits Mental Benefits Social Benefits Emotions and Activity 	 Intrinsic Motivation Extrinsic Motivation Setting Goals Celebrate Success Persistence Determination 	 Students will revisit concepts and class teacher will challenge misconceptions. Added concepts of Toxic masculinity will be discussed via sporting stereo types in gymnastics and invasions games.
Builds from	 Previous experiences in Primary School 	Unit 1 Movement competence	Unit 2 Confidence and prior experience in Primary school	 Previous units and prior experience from Primary school or outside clubs 	Previous knowledge acquired throughout the year.
Builds towards	Exploring personal development communication unit.	Exploring personal development resilience unit	Exploring personal development emotional intelligence unit	 An understanding of sports psychology. Exploring personal development Intra- personal skills unit 	Consolidating understanding of the concepts taught and how they can ensure holistic development of a student.



YEAR 8	Topic 1	Topic 2	Topic 3	Topic 4	Topic 5	Topic 6
Key content	Rugby	Table Tennis/HRF	Football	Volleyball	Athletics	Cricket/Softball
Key concepts & skills REFINEMENT Summative Assessment	 Refinement of basic skills Attacking and defending principles Ruck and maul development Theory content to 	 Service Forehand drive/push Backhand drive/push cover a number of analysis 	 Refinement of basic skills Attacking and defending principles Positioning Range of passes 	 ➢ Introduction of the Set, Dig and Spike. ➢ Service nit plus standalone concept of the Set, Dig and Spike.	 Refinement of basic skills Sprint technique Sprint technique	 Refinement of basic skills Spatial awareness Shot selection and field placement
Builds from	 Receive the ball in isolation using a number of different passes Tackling a moving opponent 	Stance/grip Perform shots on preferred side	 Passing and receiving whilst moving Tackle on both sides 	 Transferrable skills in basketball like the chest pass Intercepting/ blocking 	 Pacing based on distance Throwing a javelin and shotput 	 Striking a moving ball Overarm bowling Throwing over longer distances
Builds towards	 Rucking in order to keep possession Spin pass for greater distance Regularly tackle a moving player with some success 	 Return shots and sustain a rally grip/stance Range of shots Serving 	 Passing over a longer distance Sliding tackle Understanding your position 	 Lay-up refinement Full court understanding Positions on the court and their roles 	 Leg action and drive In throwing, linking the approach and arm/leg action to achieve greater power and distance. 	 Footwork/correct shot selection Catching with both strong hand/weak hand Height/speed varied when bowling/pitching



YEAR 8	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Summer term
Key content	Communication	Resilience	Emotional Intelligence	Intra-Personal Skills	Misconceptions and revisit
Key concepts & skills	 Verbal Communication Non-verbal communication Active Listening Conflict Resolution Asking Questions Providing and receiving feedback 	 Resilience Embracing Failure Marginal Gains Persistence Be Proactive Growth Mindset 	 Emotional Intelligence Recognise Emotions Understand Emotions Label Emotions Express Emotions Regulate Emotions 	 Behaviour Empathy Patience Adaptability Coping with Pressure Work Ethic 	 Students will revisit concepts and class teacher will challenge misconceptions. Added concepts
Builds from	 Exploring physical literacy movement competences unit 1 	 Exploring Physical Literacy confidence unit 2 	 Exploring Physical Literacy Knowledge and Understanding Unit 3 	 Exploring Physical Literacy Intra-personal skills unit 4 	•
Builds towards	 Year 10 Exploring Leadership Effective teams unit 2 	 Year 9 Exploring Character Development Power of Positivity unit 4 	 Year 9 Exploring Character Development Power of Positivity unit 4 	 Year 10 Exploring Leadership effective teams unit 2 	•



YEAR 9	Topic 1	Topic 2	Topic 3	Topic 4	Topic 5	Topic 6
Key content	Rugby	Table Tennis/HRF	Football	Basketball	Athletics	Cricket/Softball
Key concepts & skills DEVELOPMENT OF ADVANCED SKILLS	 Developing advanced skills Ruck and maul development Creative deployment of tactical thinking 	 Refinement of basic skills Consideration of types of spin on forehand/backhand Developing advanced skills Varied spins on the serve Tactical development 	 Developing advanced skills Further dribbling and heading 	 Refinement of basic skills Attacking and defending principles Developing advanced skills Development of tactical plays to outwit opponents such as screening 	 Developing advanced skills Full movements into throws and jumps 	 Developing advanced skills Different pitches in softball Spin bowling in cricket Development of batting approaches and shot selection
Summative Assessment	Theory content to cov		s opportunities in each unit	plus standalone concept co	ontent (see following bo	x regarding concepts).
Builds from	 Rucking in order to keep possession Spin pass for greater distance Regularly tackle a moving player with some success 	 Use of backspin and topspin Focus on backhand drive/push 	 Passing over a longer distance Sliding tackle Understanding your position 	 Lay-up refinement Full court understanding Positions on the court and their roles 	 Leg action and drive In throwing, arm/leg action to achieve power/distance. 	 Footwork/correct shot selection Catching with both strong hand/weak hand Height/speed when bowling/pitching
Builds towards	 Implementing Lineouts Running lines Kicking for territory 	 Serving with varied spins Manoeuvring opponent with effective shot selection 	 Receiving whilst under pressure/being marked. Making decisions in a game situation 	 Screening Effective overloading Full understanding of full-court rules 	 Link the phases of a throw showing balance/power through the movement 	 Variety of shots Advanced fielding skills Bowling with varied spin to outwit opponent



YEAR 9	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Summer term
Key content	Sporting Values	Redefining Competition	Problem Solving	Power of Positivity	Misconceptions and revisit
Key concepts & skills	 Respect Etiquette Fair Play Determination Equality Courage 	 Self-Determination Theory Part 1 Self-Determination Theory Part 2 Winning & Losing Rising to the Challenge Competing Against Yourself Co-operation and Competition 	 Identify the Problem Gather Information Collaboration Planning Decision Making Reflection 	 Fixed Mindset Growth Mindset Look for Positives Perspective Spread Positivity Handle Criticism 	 Students will revisit concepts and class teacher will challenge misconceptions. Added concepts
Builds from	 Exploring Physical Literacy unit 4 Motivation part 6 Determination. Prior learning from lessons about fair play and sportsmanship. 	Exploring Personal Development unit 2 Resilience also unit 4 Motivation	Exploring Personal Development unit 1 part 4 Conflict resolution, part 6 receiving and providing feedback.	Exploring Personal Development unit 2 Resilience part 6 Growth Mindset, also Unit 4 Inter-Personal Skills	•
Builds towards	 Exploring Leadership unit 4 Attitudes and behaviours 	Exploring Leadership unit 3 Self-reflection and unit 1 Fulfilling potential part 6	Exploring Leadership unit 2 Effective teams and unit 3 Self-reflection	 Exploring Leadership Skills unit 4 Attitudes and Behaviours and unit 2 Effective Teams 	•



YEAR	7	8	9
Key content	OAA	OAA	OAA
Key concepts & skills DEVELOPMENT OF ADVANCED SKILLS	 Developing basic map reading skills Identification of Landmarks Observational Skills in relation to following orienteering course 	 Development of map reading skills Problem Solving skills Course planning and organisation 	 Developing advanced map reading skills Orienteering map to North Orienteering at speed
Summative Assessment			
Builds from	 Prior knowledge from primary school Geographical knowledge of using a map 	Basic Map readingLandmark Identification	 Problem Solving skills Motor competency of jogging/running Understanding your position
Builds towards	 Following longer courses Knowledge of map reading 	 Course planning and organisation Orienteering the map to North 	 Joining the Duke of Edinburgh course Orienteering in the outside world with unknown terrains.



YEAR 10/11 GAMES	Topic 1	Topic 2	Topic 3	Topic 4	Topic 5	Topic 6
Key content	Football skills and tactics	Basketball skills and tactics	Table Tennis skills and tactics	Introduction to the fitness suite	Softball skills and tactics	Cricket skills and tactics
Key concepts & skills	 Passing Shooting Dribbling Tackling Defensive principles Attacking principles 	 Passing Shooting Dribbling Intercepting Blocking Screening Defensive strategies 	 Forehand drive Backhand drive Push shot Slam Service Topspin Blocking Tactical play 	 Cardiovascular training Weight training Circuit Training Developing a fitness programme 	 Striking Catching Throwing Bunting Fielding Pitching Field placement 	 Catching Throwing Fielding Cut/Pull Front foot drive Forward Defensive Field Placement
Summative Assessment			No Assess	ment at KS4		
Builds on	Previous knowledge acquired during KS3 to perform skills and use appropriate tactics.	Previous knowledge acquired during KS3 to perform skills and use appropriate tactics.	Previous knowledge acquired during KS3 to perform skills and use appropriate tactics.	Fitness training Knowledge which would have been developed in KS3.	Previous knowledge of skills, tactics and rules acquired during KS3	Previous knowledge of skills, tactics and rules acquired during KS3
Builds towards	Competent performers who enjoy sport and wish to continue this outside of the classroom.	Competent performers who enjoy sport and wish to continue this outside of the classroom.	Competent performers who enjoy sport and wish to continue this outside of the classroom.	Learners who can competently keep fit and healthy by following simple training programmes.	Competent performers who enjoy sport and wish to continue this outside of the classroom.	Competent performers who enjoy sport and wish to continue this outside of the classroom.



YEAR 10	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Summer term
Key content	Fulfilling Potential	Effective Teams	Self-Reflection	Attitudes and Behaviours	Misconceptions and revisit
Key concepts & skills	 Employability Managing Time Commitment to Development Drive and Initiative Analysing and Investigating Teamwork and Communication 	 Roles Communication Problem Solving Embracing Collaboration Shared Goal Conflict resolution 	 Self-Reflection Self-Improvement Self-Care Self-Efficacy Self-Appraisal Self-Help 	 Attitudes and Behaviour Honesty Confidence Commitment Enthusiasm Positivity 	 Students will revisit concepts and class teacher will challenge misconceptions. Added concepts
Builds from	 Exploring Character Development unit 2 Redefining competition, Exploring Personal Development unit 4 Inter-Personal Skills 	Exploring Character Development unit 3 Problem solving, Exploring personal development unit 1 Communication	Exploring Character Development unit 3 Problem Solving	 Exploring Character Development Unit 1 Sporting Values and 4 Power of Positivity, Exploring Physical Literacy Unit 2 Confidence, 	•
Builds towards	Being Active for life Unit 3 Remaining Active	Being Active for Life Unit 2 Engagement post 16	Being Active for Life unit Remaining active,	Being Active for Life unit 2 and Unit 3	•



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YEAR 11	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1
Key content	Health and Wellbeing	Engagement Post-16	Remaining Active
Key concepts & skills	 Health & Fitness Aerobic and Anaerobic Activity & Social Health Activity & Mental Health Short-Term Effects of Exercise Long-Term effects of Exercise 	 Competition Personal Fitness Socially Active Training for Purpose Maintaining Health Enjoyment 	 Self-Identity Habits Attitudes and motivators Physical Literacy Positive Approaches to Physical Activity What Motivates you to Engage in Physical Activity?
Builds from	 Prior Knowledge from Health and Fitness units in year 8/9 HRF and introduction to Fitness suite in year 10 	 Exploring Leadership Skills Unit 2 Effective teams and Unit 4 Attitudes and Behaviours 	Exploring Leadership Skills unit 1 Fulfilling Potential and unit 3 Self- Reflection
Builds towards	 A foundation of knowledge to ensure life long participation is continued to benefit Health and Wellbeing 	 Independent Learners who are confident in pursuing their own Health and Fitness goals. 	Learners who have positive approach to physical activity and a thirst to continue the journey.



YEAR 10 OCR	Autumn 1 Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Key content	R042: Applying the Princip Develop knowledge and understanding of training Apply the principles of training to the development of the development	R043: The Body's Response to Physical Activity Develop an understanding of the key aspects of the structure and function of the musculo-skeletal and cardio-respiratory systems Investigate some of the changes which occur to them in response to short and long-term physical activity			
Key concepts & skills	 Use of Word and PowerPoint Components of fitness Training Methods Research and implementation of fitnes Collecting and interpreting data Designing and implementing a training 	s tests	 Use of Word and Pow Musculo-skeletal syste Cardio-respiratory sys Research and implement Collecting and interpress Designing and implement 		
Summative Assessment	No Assessment for these units as these are	coursework units. Cross-modero	ation to occur regularly bas	ed on work submitted fo	r each learning outcome
Builds on	 Prior knowledge of the components of fitness and training methods introduced at KS3 in booklets Carrying out fitness tests 		 Prior knowledge of the muscles, bones and joints introduced at KS3 booklets Implementing fitness tests and collecting reliable/valid data 		
Builds towards	 Identifying appropriate exercises in ord fitness Effective design of a training programm R043 Unit 		·	ents of the Musculo-skel ents of the Cardio-respir	•



YEAR 11 OCR	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Key content	R041: Reducing the risk of sports injuries Prepare participants to take part in physical activity in a way which minimises the risk of injury Reacting to common injuries in sport Recognising the symptoms of some medical conditions (first attempt of two for exam)		R042/R043: Recap ensuring both units are completed	R041 Revision	R041 Second and final attempt for exam	
Key concepts & skills	 Intrinsic Factors Extrinsic Factors Warm-ups and cool-destroy Types/causes of injury First Aid/Medical Issue Long-answer question 	/ es		 Organisation Use of checklists and feedback from teachers 	 Revision strategies Long-answer question structure 	
Summative Assessment	Test after each Learning Outcome (there are four learning outcomes)		Cross moderation in readiness to be sent off to OCR	Mock exam alongside other subjects		
Builds on	 Warm ups and cool do lesson and the link to Basic first aid such as 	injury prevention		 Coursework completed in Year 10 Revisiting the training programmes which are important across both units 	 Learning of the exam unit at the start of the year General feedback based on the responses in the first exam attempt 	
Builds towards	 Understanding the diferent extrinsic factors Explanation through to f sports Long-answer question 	he use of example		Completion of all coursework units	Reinforcing exam approachesRecapping question terminology	