



St Joseph's RC Primary School

Physical Education Impact Statement 2018 – 2019

This year we have improved Physical Education in school by introducing high quality provision for curriculum lessons, extracurricular sporting activities, active educational trips and attending competitive sporting events.

To increase the attainment of children across the school we have introduced a holistic approach to our curriculum. PE in each year group flows into the next with the aim to create physical literacy. Each year group follows similar themes but with varying levels of challenge and lesson objectives to maintain interest. Assessment is now done each half term as evidence of the children's progression through the curriculum. **Last year we had 81% of pupils work at 'expected' or above in PE. This includes 11% of pupils working at 'greater depth'.**

By introducing extracurricular clubs we have increased our activity levels across the school. When applying for the School Games Mark, we found that we had increased participation in our 'least active' children significantly. We now offer enough places for every child in school to attend and active club either before or after school. **We have engaged 58% of our least active pupils (pupils who take part in less than 1 hour of extra-curricular physical activity, including outside of school) in at least 1 hour of extra-curricular physical activity. As well as introducing enough extra-curricular sporting activities for 100% of our children to attend.**

We have begun taking year groups on educational trips with a sport/ physically active theme. This has allowed children to participate in things they may not have otherwise done. This has ranged from attending events as a spectator to participating in new and exciting activities. The aim is to show our children the different ways they can be involved in sport/ activity and that some will take up these outside of school. **Through these trips we introduced 4 of our classes to activities they would not have otherwise had the opportunity to participate in.**

Salford School Sports Partnership staff have commented that this is the most active St Joseph's have been in sporting events in their 15 year history. We have allowed children to take part in both traditional and non-traditional sports. This has helped us to teach the children about winning and losing as well as supported them in attending new and exciting opportunities such as wrestling. It has also been a successful competitive year with several finals, medal places and individual successes. **This year we attended 6 competition at Level 2 (vs other schools).**

This year Lower Key Stage 2 have attended swimming lessons. **80% of those attending could swim 25m as expected in the National Curriculum. Those not achieving 25m will attend swimming again in 2019-20.**

This year we achieved Bronze in the School Games Mark

