

## PE report

### Health

The funding this year has increased the amount of extra-curricular activities that children are able to take part in. The money has been used to cater for tag rugby, football, gymnastics, street dance and netball clubs. This has allowed the majority of KS2 to access more than the statutory 2 hours of physical education each week.

Having used a large portion of the money to invest in 'Sport Impact', we are entitled to the training of one member of staff in the 'CHANGE4LIFE' scheme. One member of staff will be going on this course in the new year, and a club will be formed as a result of this. This club targets children with weight issues, or that show reluctance in Physical Education, and enables them to participate in Physical education in a small group; supported by somebody who can help their physical literacy as well as guide them in terms of dietary choices.

### Competition

The school has taken part in the annual Borough Sports day, as well as a Tag Rugby tournament. These were made possible by our buying into Sport Impact, who organise and run the events. We are also entered into the athletics and netball competitions in the new year.

We are also forming close sporting bonds to those schools within our cluster, and have arranged a football fixture on the 15<sup>th</sup> December with Smallberry Green. We are also hosting the second staging of the C8 cup in the summer term.

Pete Lammas (our Sports Impact Consultant) has agreed to run several intra school sports events throughout the year. The first of which will take place in January. This will allow all those who haven't been on Borough sports trips, to participate in competitive sport. Pete also trained up our year 5 class last week on how to lead competition in the playground at lunch time. In the new year, these children will be given a day of the week where they can lead games in year 1 and 2. This will keep younger children occupied and give them structured activities, leading to improved general behaviour and greater safety on the playground.

For the second successive year, the school achieved a Bronze Kitemark to recognise our participation in competitive sport. This application was done by Pete Lammas. He is now in the process of building a plan with the current PE coordinator, with the view to targeting silver in the next academic year. More intra school sport would be needed, as well as a B team in one of the Inter school competitions.

### Curriculum

Acting as our consultant, Pete has been team teaching in many of the year groups this year. All teachers team taught 4 lessons, with 'invasion games' as the focus. This was identified as a weak point in staff subject knowledge earlier in the year by the previous PE coordinator. Pete will do the same thing again in the spring term, but with 'striking and fielding' games as a focus.

An INSET was used earlier in the year to outline how the FUNS scheme would work from year 1 to year 6. All classes now use the scheme, and 2 members of staff have been on a

course this year, in addition to the INSET. This was included as part of our Sport Impact package. Both members of staff have fed back very positively about the ideas and resources they gathered on the day.

Moreover, all teachers are now assessing in PE, through the use of the FUNS PE cards, and the coloured levels it encourages teachers to use. This will be monitored next term.

Year 4 and 5 have swimming lessons booked in all three terms as in previous years. The hope is that all students will be able to swim a length of the pool by the end of year 5 as specified in the OFSTED guidance for Physical Education.