



At St Andrew's



Implementation

- Children participate in two high quality PE lessons each week, covering two sporting disciplines every half term. Children in Year 4 swim once a week during the Autumn and Spring Term and in Year 3 during the Spring and Summer Term.
- Specialised sports coaches deliver some of our physical education lessons. We also invite other external sports coaches in to school to work alongside teachers and so providing CPD.
- In addition, children are encouraged to participate in the varied range of extra-curricular activities. Lunch time sports clubs are available each day and children can attend after school sport clubs four evenings per week. We also provide some 'Girls Only' clubs to encourage participation and an introduction to a new sport in a more familiar and informal way.
- Each year a small group of Year 6 children are invited to become Sports Leaders for the school. They develop into sporting role models for the younger children, assisting with lunch-time activities. We also have a School Sport Organising Crew who help to organise sporting events and raise the profile of PE during the school year.

An inclusive approach encourages not only physical development but also mental well-being.

Intent

At St Andrews CE Primary School, we aim to deliver high-quality teaching and learning opportunities that inspire all children to succeed in physical education and in developing life skills. We teach children how to cooperate and collaborate with others as part of an effective team, understanding fairness and equity of play to embed life-long values. Swimming lessons also teach children skills to keep them safe. Our PE provision aims to improve the wellbeing and fitness of all children at St Andrews, not only through sporting skills, but through the underpinning values that success involves hard work, resilience and determination to believe that anything can be achieved.

Impact

We know our provision has had impact when our children demonstrate progression of knowledge and skills in the different physical activity areas and are motivated to utilise the underpinning skills in an independent and effective way so to live happy and healthy lives. The impact of our P.E curriculum can be seen in the uptake of our sports lunchtime, after school clubs and participation in inter school sports competitions. Each year we apply for the School Games Award and currently hold gold for the third year running.