Physical Education

Intent, Implementation, and Impact

Intent

Physical Education at Tollesbury School aims to equip children with the skills they will need to live happy, healthy and active lives in the local community and beyond. The aim of our teaching is to deliver a curriculum that is inclusive for all children no matter their need, ability, or levels of previous experiences. We believe this will maximise the development of each child's individual progression and result in achievement in PE for all. In addition, we endeavour to develop positive social interactions during PE lessons. We want our children to have the opportunity to compete at a variety of levels and apply their skills individually and as a team. We want children to use self-evaluation to analyse their own learning and look at ways of improving their performance. Most importantly, we want the children to enjoy physical activity and build the foundations for life-long physical activity.

Implementation

Our PE curriculum is structured to provide a range of sporting experiences during which every child participates to develop their skills and learning through competitive, team and individual sports. Children have equal opportunities to take part in a range of activities within a supportive environment where effort as well as success is recognised.

At Tollesbury School, Physical Education is taught twice weekly by class teachers and our sports coach. Children are given the chance to practise and secure skills and tactics learnt, building on previous learning experiences. To promote positive competition, inter-team competitions are held termly.

Assessments of the children are carried out during lessons and are recorded on a termly basis. These judgements are then monitored by the subject leader for analysis. Sports Premium Impact Statements are generated annually to show progression and the impact of the sports funding for the children.

Impact

We help motivate the children of Tollesbury School to participate in a variety of sports through quality teaching that is engaging and fun. From our lessons, our children learn to take responsibility for their own health and fitness. We equip our children with the necessary skills and a positive outlook towards sports and physical activity, utilising the skills and knowledge acquired through PE to live healthy lives.

Here at Tollesbury School, we measure the impact through the following methods:

- observing children's performance during lessons
- assessment for learning and assessment of children against the National Curriculum and EYFS Statutory Framework.
- staff meetings giving an opportunity for a dialogue between teachers to measure the progress between year groups and highlight areas for development.
- annual reporting of standards to parents
- termly pupil perception surveys
- climate walks
- subject tracking