ST BERNADETTE'S RC PRIMARY SCHOOL



PE CURRICULUM





Intent

At St. Bernadette's, we believe that Physical Education (PE) is a vital part of our foundation curriculum. Our curriculum is accessible, inclusive, and encompasses a wide range of activities and sports. It aligns with The National Curriculum, utilizing the KeyPE scheme, which covers Running, Jumping, Throwing and Catching, Competitive games, Agility, Balance and Coordination, Team Games, Dance and Movement.

PE is delivered by a specialist teacher, with support from class teachers and higher-level teaching assistants (HLTAs), from EYFS to Year 6. This taught PE is part of a broader offering that includes health and well-being support, clubs, sports events, and community health initiatives.

Our aims include:

- Ensuring children are physically active and develop positive attitudes toward physical activity and healthy lifestyles.
- Enabling each child to achieve through physical activity and fostering positive attitudes.
- Teaching safety and the principles of safe practice.
- Developing self-worth and appreciation for the abilities of others.
- Promoting fair play and positive sporting behaviour.
- Improving observational skills and performance assessment.
- Providing equal access to PE for all children and ensuring facilities are available to both genders.
- Supporting children with special needs in PE.
- Teaching appropriate conduct in competitions and respect for authority.
- Encouraging social skills through cooperation, collaboration, and teamwork.

Working as Athletes in EYFS:

In our experiential EYFS curriculum, children develop fundamental movement skills that prepare them for Key Stage 1 PE outcomes. They enhance their agility, balance, and coordination while learning basic movements like running, jumping, throwing, and catching.





Working as Athletes in EYFS

Through an experiential and physical EYFS curriculum, focusing on physical early learning goals, young children should be forming the basic skills which prepare them for National Curriculum Key Stage 1 PE outcomes. They should develop fundamental movement skills, have opportunities to extend their agility, balance and coordination, both individually and with others and they should be aiming to develop basic movements including running, jumping, throwing and catching.

EYFS

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Autumn 1 - ABC	Autumn 2 –	Spring 1 – Gymnastics	Spring 2 –	Summer 1 – Sending and receiving	Summer 2 -
 Combine movements with ease and fluency Explore, use and refine a variety of ways to travel through equipment Work kindly and effectively in small groups Complete simple movement patterns with and without equipment Travel with awareness of others 		 Perform a variety of rolls and rocks Climb safely under, over or through a variety of apparatus Perform a variety of ways to travel both with and without apparatus/equipment Hold a variety of balances using different body parts Work individually and in pairs when following instructions Make good decisions when using apparatus/equipment 		 Send and receive a large ball Send and receive a variety of equipment Send to a target Receive a rolling object Start to recognise speed/force/power Begin to make their own decisions of when/how to send Enjoy working in small groups 	

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KEY STAGE 1 YEAR A Autumn 1 – ABC Autumn 2 – SAQ Spring 1 – Gymnastics Spring 2 – Dance Summer 1 – Football Summer 2 – Athletics Demonstrate body Children use the Children move Children can move Children use both Understand running control while balls of their feet to confidently and their bodies in feet when dribbling speeds depending moving and travel navigate through safely around others response to a and employ on distance and with awareness of equipment and and various rhythm and match different parts of the equipment their surroundings maintain good apparatus and their actions to foot to control the Throw with ball. and other people. balance during equipment. movements using coordination force, ladder drills. their own Show coordination Apply balance, Demonstrate distance, control and balance in both Keep their eves agility, and imagination. awareness while in and accuracy Select small and large forward while using coordination while Smoothly transition possession of the appropriate speed from one dance when travelling at a movements and various equipment performing ball and can change exhibit control and and demonstrate gymnastic skills. movement to speed while variety of distances balance while proper body Execute a variety of another and maintaining control. Apply effective use navigating through mechanics both with remember simple Recognize space on gymnastic skills, of balance, agility various equipment. and without including the dance steps, the pitch and are and coordination performing them in apply agility, equipment. demonstrate simple able to change when competing balance, and Execute smooth a controlled manner. direction with the movement patterns against others coordination both movements while and a variety of rolls. ball effectively. Know, apply and individually and in interacting with the Children perform understand key skills group activities. equipment and work simple sequences of a good Master fundamental on improving their both individually and performance spatial awareness. movements, such as with a partner running and They know, apply, jumping, and and understand the encourage their key skills that peers to persist in contribute to a their efforts. successful Display performance. determination over extended periods and share their ideas with others in their group.





Awareness	Attack and Defend	Basketball
 Children exhibit good awareness of their peers in both small and large areas, prioritizing safety. Effectively use changes in speed and direction and demonstrate quick decision-making and good timing when traveling past others and using equipment. Travel with awareness while maintaining control of the equipment and show good awareness when competing against others. they know, apply, and understand the key skills that contribute to a successful performance. 	 Apply simple attacking and defending techniques Quick changes of direction changes and speeds awareness Participate in team games, which develop simple tactics for attacking and defending Compete against others as individuals and in small teams Maintain control and balance Begin to contribute to discussions and suggest some tactics to improve Begin to play with confidence 	 Push the ball when bouncing Keep control when the ball is bouncing low and high Show awareness when in control of the ball Change speed with control of the ball Recognise space on the pitch Pass and receive over short distances





	KEY STAGE 1 YEAR B					
Autumn 1 – Sending and receiving Throw to a target Throw a wide range of equipment at different targets Use a variety of equipment to send and receive to a partner Demonstrate and understand receiving techniques Demonstrate and understand sending techniques Know and understand how to use equipment safely and with control Master throwing and catching techniques Know, apply and understand key skills of a good performance	Use balls of feet to complete equipment Use good balance through ladder drills Look forward when using equipment Use good body mechanics with and without equipment Smooth action through equipment Improve spatial awareness	 Move confidently and safely around others and apparatus/equipment. Apply balance agility and coordination whilst performing gymnastic skills. Performed a variety of gymnastic skills: Pencil roll, Star shape, Tuck, Straddle, Pike, Front and back support, Jumps Perform simple movement patterns. 	Use both hands when dribbling Keep control when bouncing the ball at different heights Show awareness when in control of the ball Change speed with control of the ball Recognise space on the pitch Change direction with the ball	Defend an area when faced with an opponent Attack an area when faced with an opponent Compete against yourself and/or others Apply ABC skills where appropriate Compete against others using a variety of equipment Start to develop a knowledge of a variety of skills Develop competence to excel in a broad range of physical activities Know, apply and understand key skills of a good performance Begin to play with confidence and a freedom to take risks	Develop awareness of speed and distance Run at different speeds and durations Awareness of distance when throwing objects Travel with coordination and control Throw with an appropriate force Throw a range of equipment at different targets Master basic movements, including running, jumping, throwing and catching Develop balance, agility and coordination and begin to apply these in a range of activities	





Awareness	Attack and defend	Striking and fielding	
 Show awareness of space and other children Use equipment safely Travel with awareness whilst maintaining control of a ball/equipment Travel with a ball/equipment showing changes of speed and direction Master basic movements, including running and jumping 	Children to use good awareness of other children in small and large areas with safety Effective use of change of speed and direction Demonstrate quick decisions and good use of timing when travelling past others and when using equipment Travel with good awareness whilst maintaining good control of equipment Show good awareness when competing against others Know, apply and understand key skills of a good performance	 Apply receiving techniques (getting on line with the ball). Demonstrate quick decisions when striking and fielding. Send and receive with some accuracy. Strike a ball off a tee and a drop feed. Explain and demonstrate the importance of weight when sending and receiving. Know, apply and understand key skills of a good performance. 	





LOWER KEY STAGE 2

Working as ? in Lower Key Stage 2

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	LOWER KEY S	STAGE 2 YEAR A			
Autumn 1 – Basketball Autumn 2 - ABC	Spring 1 – Dance	Spring 2 – Gymnastics	Summer 1 – Attacking and defending	Summer 2 - Football	
 Bounce the ball with good control Show awareness when dribbling with the ball Change direction and speed with good control of the ball Use communication effectively when defending and attacking Use both hands effectively when dribbling Attack quickly when in possession of the ball Attack quickly when in possession of the ball Demonstration competing tequipment Apply basic principles seed in dispaces. Negotiate seed in dispaces. Know and seed with poor in decisions. Know and seed with poor in decisions. Endouted seed in dispaces. Negotiate seed in dispaces. Negotiate seed in dispaces. Negotiate seed in dispaces. Negotiate seed in dispaces. Endouted seed in dispaces. Negotiate seed in	Ferent Create own dance sequence using appropriate actions Perform basic dance actions with control and fluency Chose appropriate movements for dance Then to be speed in when in a game ee In, agility when rough	 Move confidently and safely Apply balance agility and coordination whilst performing gymnastic skills. Compare performances with previous ones and demonstrate improvements to achieve personal best. Link actions to create sequences of movements. Know, apply and understand key skills of a good performance. Explore apparatus, demonstrate control, balance and co-ordination. Perform a forward roll from a high start position. 	 Take up appropriate fielding position in relation to other children and the batter. Affect others with good communication and organisation skills when taking up fielding positions in relation to the batter. Strike a ball from a bobble feed (ball bouncing towards batter) Bowl to a target only allowing one bounce Describe batting techniques. Describe techniques for accurate bowling Adapt ideas for striking and fielding strategies. 	 Show awareness when in possession of the ball Select correct part of the feet when shooting and passing Show and describe good play when attacking Use communication when defending and attacking Recognise and exploit space with and without the ball Attack defenders when presented with 1v1s 	





for attacking and defending. Link hopping jumping and running together when travelling through a variety of equipment. Compare own performances with previous ones and identify areas for improvement	Combine movements, actions and balances individually or collaboratively to create a routine.	Play with confidence and a freedom to take risks.
SAQ Complete equipment with good body motion and posture Select correct part of the feet to travel on Recognise space when travelling Time runs to arrive at empty equipment Good flow of speed throughout equipment Ability to change direction and speed	 Take up appropriate fielding position in relation to other children and the batter. Affect others with good communication and organisation skills when taking up fielding positions in relation to the batter. Strike a ball from a bobble feed (ball 	Athletics Develop an awareness of time, speed and distance. Select appropriate speed when travelling at a variety of distances. Apply running techniques to improve performance. Apply throwing techniques to improve performance. Throw with coordination force, distance,





bouncing	control and
towards batter)	accuracy. Take
Bowl to a target	off, jump and
only allowing	land using one
one bounce	foot, two feet
Describe batting	and alternate
techniques.	feet,
 Describe 	demonstrating
techniques for	control and
accurate	balance.
bowling	 Know, identify
Adapt ideas for	and apply
striking and	running and
fielding	jumping
strategies.	techniques, in
Play with	combination,
confidence and	when attacking
a freedom to	hurdles.
take risks.	Develop an
	understanding
	of how to
	improve and
	evaluate
	own/others
	performance.
	Compete in a
	relay race and
	be able to
	describe and
	explain
	techniques for a
	good
	changeover.





		LOWER KEY S	TAGE 2 YEAR B		
Autumn 1 – SAQ	Autumn 2 – Sending and receiving	Spring 1 – Attacking and defending	Spring 2 – Gymnastics	Summer 1 – Basketball	Summer 2 – Competitive
 Show good body mechanics when traveling through equipment Apply technical information to movement with and without equipment Change direction at speed with good balance Bend knees to gain a good start and change of direction Complete equipment with a smooth body motion 	 Use a variety of equipment to send and receive to a partner witch consistency and over a variety of distances. Master throwing and catching techniques. Know, apply and understand key skills of a good performance when maintaining possession. Receive from a variety of heights, speeds, distances and angles. Maintain control when travelling with equipment during a game. Identify space when sending and receiving. Make good decisions of how to maintain possession through use of space. Explain and apply a variety of receiving techniques. Effective communication/signals to help maintain possession. Recognise when to travel or when to pass. 	 Tag games Games that include guards or defenders Games that race against the clock, for example, encourages quick play Ball games that recognise space, distance and awareness of others Opportunity to compete against others as a team and as an individual Games that allow children to compete 1 V 1 or 2 v 2 Repeat games changing the equipment (basketball-Hockey) 	 Move confidently and safely around others and apparatus/equipment. Apply balance agility and coordination whilst performing gymnastic skills. Evaluate own and other performances and make suggestions for improvements. Link actions to create sequences of movements, including: Roles, cartwheels, variety of jumps, balances, different heights and ways of travelling. Show a good understanding of how to improve and evaluate own performance/s. Make good decisions when exploring apparatus, demonstrate control, balance and coordination. 	 Show awareness when in possession of the ball Bounce the ball at correct height when dribbling Receive away from opposition players Use communication effectively when defending and attacking Play quickly when in possession of the ball Attack defenders when presented with 1v1s 	 As a team defend a goal when faced with opponents As a team attack a goal when faced with opponents Compete against yourself and/or others using a variety of equipment across several different sports. Start to develop a knowledge of a variety of skills and how to improve performances Develop competence to excel in a broad range of physical activities Start to create ideas for simple strategies and tactics Compare own performances with previous ones and identify areas for improvement Play with confidence and a freedom to take risks.





Dance	Perform a forward roll from a high start position finishing in a high finish. Striking and fielding	Athletics
 Perform basic dance actions with control and fluency Choose appropriate movements for actions Complete dance sequence using appropriate actions Remember simple dance steps and perform in a controlled manner Perform a short sequence using different body shapes and movements 	 Apply a variety of strategies when fielding (Identifying batters' weaknesses) Apply a variety of strategies when batting (Identifying fielders' weaknesses) Take up appropriate fielding position in relation to other children and the batter. Affect others with good communication and organisation skills when taking up fielding positions in relation to the batter. Strike a ball consistently from a bowler's delivery (one bounce). Can throw accurately over different distances. Describe and explain batting techniques. Identify and apply correct footwork and 	 Select appropriate speed when travelling at a variety of distances Apply running techniques to improve performance Apply throwing techniques to improve performance Throw with coordination force, distance, control and accuracy Take off, jump and land demonstrating control and balance Compete against others in a variety of events/games Demonstrate resilience when participating in activities. Compare own performances with previous ones





		body position when	
		attacking a moving ball.	
	•	Know when and how to	
		take risks when batting	





UPPER KEY STAGE 2

Working as Athletes in Upper Key Stage 2

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		UPPER K	EY STAGE 2 YEAR A			
Autumn 1 – Netball	Autumn 2 - ABC	Spring 1 – Attacking and defending	Spring 2 – Gymnastics	Summer 1 – Striking and fielding	Summer 2 – Football	
Develop receiving skills within the rules of the game Select the correct pass when under small pressure from opposition Pass and move to keep possession Play forward passes to travel towards the opposition goal with speed Develop skills and tactics during small-sided games Show and describe how to find space away from an opposition	 Travel with awareness of others when travelling at speed and complete more complex foot patterns. Negotiate space within a game to make quick decisions. Demonstrate good awareness when travelling through equipment whilst maintaining control of a bouncing ball. Recognise when to use effective changes of speed when competing in a game. Demonstrate control, coordination, agility, balance and good body posture when travelling through equipment. 	 Travel with control of equipment when travelling at speed or competing against others Create and apply strategies suitable for attacking and defending. Make quick decisions whilst competing against others. Defend an area 2 v 2, 3 v 3. Attack an area 2 v 2, 3 v 3. Attack with speed and control Exploit space when attacking Recognise when to defend a space 	 Transition from skill to skill with good flow and balance incorporating canon. Develop more complex use of apparatus into a sequence. Master a variety of skills and include them in a routine, including: Rolls with different start and finish positions, Cartwheels, handstands, movements/transitions, leaps, jumps, twists, canon, synchronised, symmetry, taking weight on hands or different body parts, counter balance/tension in groups Work collaboratively with others to improve a performance. 	 Show good awareness of bowling and fielding strategies when striking a ball (shot selection, areas to exploit) Set up appropriate fielding positions as a team and as an individual. React to situations presented by batting children (left/right hand batters previous shot selections/batting form) Identify, explain and suggests ways to improve a variety of batting techniques. Perform an over arm bowl at a 	 Use close control when dribbling tight areas Select the closest foot to the ball when dribbling and passing Pass and move to keep possession Play forward passes to travel towards the opposition goal with speed Develop skills and tactics during small-sided games Show and describe how to find space away from opposition 	





 Apply basic principle suitable for attacking and defending. Compare own performances with previous ones and identify areas for improvement. Demonstrate resilience when participating in activities. Apply a range of sk that could offset defenders. Adapt movements in response to other children's actions, movements/location. Demonstrate fast reactions, control at balance and good body posture when travelling past other. 	awareness of others and space to attack Identify areas for improvement from your owns teams performance and make suggestions for development Demonstrate resilience when participating in activities	 Reflect, suggest and demonstrate an understanding of how to improve and evaluate own/others performances. Create, combine and perform more complex balances and movements, with fluency and control. Thoroughly evaluate their own and others' work, suggesting thoughtful and appropriate improvements. 	variety of lengths still maintaining good accuracy and speed. • Use effective communication when batting and make quick decisions as a pair/group. • Play with confidence and a freedom to take risks.	
SAQ		Tactics and Strategy		Athletics
 Travel with smooth body motion Increase foot speed through ladders and hurdles Land on the ba of feet to chan 		Identify explain and apply different ideas of how to improve a range of tactics and strategies that could be used in a variety of		 Apply an awareness of time, speed and distance. Select appropriate speed when travelling at a variety of distances.





direction and	different	Annly minaina
		Apply running Apply running
speed	sports.	techniques to
• Increase	Highlight areas	improve
explosive speed	that could be	performance.
over a short	improved in	Develop a
distance	the following	suitable
Develop good	areas: Own	jumping
body mechanics	performance	technique for
ad balance	(as an	a vertical
Show and	individual)	jump,
describe benefits	• Teams	including take
of SAQ and how it	performance	off and flight.
links to other	Opposition	 Apply
sports	performance	throwing
	Defend a goal	techniques to
	as a small	improve
	team,	performance.
	identifying and	Throw with
	applying	coordination,
	individual's	force,
	roles and	distance,
	responsibilities	control and
	when	accuracy.
	outnumbered.	Take off, jump
	Attack a goal as	and land
	a small team,	demonstrating
	identifying and	control and
	applying	balance from
	individual's	standing and a
	roles and	running start.
	responsibilities	Learn how to
	when	hop, step and
	outnumbered.	jump from a
	Use effective	standing start.
	communication	Perform a
	during a game	
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to help	variety of foot
maintain focus	patterns.
of tactics and	Compete
strategies.	against others
• Effectively	in a variety of
create and use	events/games.
space for self	Compare their
and others to	own
outwit an	performances
opponent.	with previous
opponent.	ones.
	Identify,
	describe, and
	evaluate
	others
	performance
	through
	observation.
	Demonstrate
	resilience
	when
	participating
	in activities.
	Compete in a
	relay race,
	maintaining
	speed
	throughout
	change over.
	Create and
	develop
	tactics and
	strategies for
	when
	competing as
	an individual





			and as a team
			whilst
			competing in
			a variety of
			athletic
			events.
		•	Explain the
			importance of
			breathing
			techniques
			and the effect
			it can have on
			the body





UPPER KEY STAGE 2 YEAR B					
Autumn 1 – Netball	Autumn 2 – Sending and Receiving	Spring 1 – Attack and Defend	Spring 2 – Gymnastics	Summer 1 – Striking and fielding	Summer 2 – Competitive
 Develop receiving skills within the rules of the game Select the correct pass when under small pressure from opposition Pass and move to keep possession Play forward passes to travel towards the opposition goal with speed Develop skills and tactics during small-sided games Show and describe how to find space away from opposition 	 Master a variety of sending and receiving techniques through a range of in game situations and scenarios. Know, apply and understand key skills when regaining possession and maintaining possession in a game situation. Maintain control when dribbling with equipment, selecting the best time to pass, and selecting the best choice of pass to make. Identify space when sending and receiving, allowing your team to create the best chances to score. Identify, explain, implement and 	 Travel with control of a variety equipment when travelling at speed or competing against others in pressure situations. Create and apply strategies suitable for attacking and defending, that could be used in a variety of sports. Make quick decisions that can affect play when competing against others. Defend an area 4v4, 5v5 using suitable strategies and teamwork Attack an area 4v4, 5v5 using suitable strategies and teamwork. Attack with speed and control to exploit space when attacking as a team. Recognise when to tackle or when to 	 Transition from skill to skill with good flow, control and balance. Identify areas for improvement within your own performance. Observe/score other groups giving feedback, whilst explaining judges scoring systems for gymnastics. Link complex actions and skills to create a sequence, including: Variety of rolls, canon, synchronise actions, symmetry, different start/finish positions, counterbalance/counter tension, jumps. Work collaboratively with others to improve a performance. Include different apparatus into a sequence. Demonstrate an understanding of how to improve and evaluate own performance/s. 	 Show good awareness of bowling and fielding strategies when striking a ball (shot selection, areas to exploit) Set up appropriate fielding positions as a team and as an individual. React to situations presented by batting children (left/right hand batters previous shot selections/batting form) Identify, explain and suggests ways to improve a variety of batting techniques. Perform an over arm bowl at a variety of lengths still maintaining good accuracy and speed. Use effective 	 Defend as a team in a chosen sport, in modified game scenarios. Develop a number of strategies and tactics that outwit and confuse opposition during a game. Attack as a team in a chosen sport, in modified game scenarios. Create Ideas of how to counter attack/attack quickly, when faced with a team of defenders. Demonstrate resilience when participating in activities and encourage others to do the same. Play with confidence and know when/where to take risks, when





suggest improvements on different sending and receiving techniques in a variety of sports.	defend a space, whilst setting traps for opposition. Demonstrate an awareness of others and how to create a counterattack	 Use strength and flexibility to improve the quality of actions. Suggest to others, different ways to improve performances. 	communication when batting and make quick decisions as a pair/group. Play with confidence and a freedom to take risks.	trying to win a game. Compete within the rules, showing fair play and honesty, when playing independently and as a small team
SAQ Travel with smooth body motion Increase foot speed through ladders and hurdles Land on the balls of feet to change direction and speed Increase explosive speed over a short distance Develop good body mechanics and balance Show and describe benefits of SAQ and how it links to other sports		Encourage changes of direction and speed when attacking 1v1 Improve decision making to know when to pass and when to run with the ball Play quick passes to keep possession Encourage creative play during game situations to exploit space		 Apply an awareness of time, speed and distance. Select appropriate speed when travelling at a variety of distances. Accelerate from a start position. Run over hurdles with fluency and consistency with a concise and consistent stride pattern. Apply, refine and identify correct





Develop skills and	throwing
tactics during	techniques for
small-sided games	distance and
Variety of games to	accuracy.
develop passing	Throw with
and receiving	coordination, force,
techniques	distance, control
·	and accuracy.
	Take off, jump and
	land demonstrating
	control and
	balance. Compete
	against others in a
	variety of
	events/games.
	Learn how to hop,
	step and jump from
	a running start.
	Develop an
	understanding,
	through working
	with others, of how
	to improve and
	evaluate
	own/others
	performances.
	 Demonstrate
	resilience when
	participating in
	activities.
	 Compete in a relay
	race, maintaining
	speed, endurance,
	and fluent
	changeovers.





					 Create and develop tactics and strategies for when competing as an individual and as a team when competing in a variety of athletic events. Apply throwing techniques to develop power and accuracy.
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