

Autumn 1 Newsletter for Abbey Park Primary School

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We're excited to share all the wonderful physical activities and sporting achievements that have taken place in PE this Autumn term! We are especially proud to announce that both our First School and Middle School have been awarded the **Gold School Games Mark**, recognising our commitment to providing high-quality PE, sport, and physical activity opportunities for all students.



Our students have been active, engaged, and enthusiastic, making the most of every opportunity to develop their skills and teamwork.

Multiskills Festival

Earlier this term, our students participated in a fun and dynamic Multiskills Festival. They took part in a variety of activities designed to develop agility, balance, coordination, and teamwork. It was fantastic to see so many children trying new skills and encouraging each other throughout the festival. The children's brilliant attitude to learning was mentioned by those who ran the festival, showing how well the children represented Abbey Park Primary.



Tag Rugby

Our PE out of school offer has also included tag rugby, where students have been learning essential skills such as passing, spatial awareness, and strategic thinking. The enthusiasm on the field has been contagious, with many students showing great teamwork and resilience. We represented the school excellently and our impeccable behaviour was mentioned again.



Cross Country Competitions

We are proud of our runners who took part in cross country competitions this term. The events challenged students to push themselves over longer distances while fostering perseverance and determination. Their dedication and sportsmanship were truly inspiring. A special mention should be made to Olly Hyde who came first in his Year 5 category and truly showed strength and determination. Well done to all who took part.



Looking Ahead

As we move into the next half of Autumn term, we are looking forward to more exciting PE lessons and events. We encourage students to continue staying active outside of school and to embrace all the opportunities PE offers for personal growth and fun.

Thank you for your continued support in helping our students lead healthy and active lives!

Kinds regards,

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