PE - Games Curriculum Overview



Year group	Head	Heart	Hands
EYFS Skills	follow instructions involving several ideas or actions	 Heart confident to try new activities, and say why they like some activities more than others work as part of a group or class, and understand and follow the rules play co-operatively, taking turns with others show sensitivity to others' needs and feelings, and form positive relationships with adults and other children 	 Hands show good control and co-ordination in large and small movements move confidently in a range of ways, safely negotiating space kick in different ways handle equipment effectively roll a piece of equipment can move and stop safely catch with both hands throw underarm
Year 1 Skills	follow rules play with others and share equipment listen carefully to teacher and peers	Heart	 Hands pass a large ball to a partner with accuracy throw in different ways travel controlling a ball catch a large ball unopposed move in different ways
Year 2 Skills	follow rules apply basic tactics to a game	Heart	 Hands stay in a 'zone' during a game. decide where the best place to be is during a game send a ball towards a target using a range of different techniques during a basic competitive game link a variety of skills during a competitive game (e.g. dribbling and passing)
Year 3 Skills	Head	 Heart agree rules with others and try to play to fairly work well as a team compete with a positive attitude 	 Hands throw and catch with control when under limited pressure. keep possession with some success when using equipment that is not used for throwing and catching skills show agility when opposed in game situations send a ball using equipment (e.g. tennis racket, cricket bat) with some degree of accuracy and control
Year 4 Skills	aware of space and use it to support team-mates and cause problems for the opposition move to find a space when not in possession during a game use tactical awareness to improve own performance	 Heart demonstrate how to be a good role model willing to take responsibility for own actions 	 Hands use a range of throwing techniques with good control and accuracy in a wide range of sports receive a ball with good control using awareness of others in decision making strike a ball accurately
Year 5 Skills	Head	Heart	Hands • hit a ball accurately and with control • keep possession of the ball • vary tactics and adapt skills according to what is happening
Year 6 Skills	explain complicated rules. follow specific rules plan with others taking account of safety and danger	Heart • lead by example • understand the importance of fair play • demonstrate fair play when leading and playing • make a team plan and communicate it to others • lead others in a game situation • can be a leader of a team in PE and always helps teammates with helpful comments	 Hands gain possession by working as a team can field use forehand and backhand with a racquet pass in different ways use a number of techniques to pass, dribble and shoot