



## Intent

At the Globe Primary Academy, we believe that all pupils from all ethnic backgrounds, religions and abilities should be able to engage in a high-quality Physical Education (PE) curriculum. PE is an integral part in our whole school curriculum and feeds in throughout a range of subject areas. We recognise that the beneficial factors of a high-quality PE provision, is a key indicator, for an active and healthy lifestyle.

Our PE curriculum ensures the fundamental knowledge, understanding and skills are taught in order to excel in a wide range of physical activities, by providing a broad and balanced curriculum with opportunities for all.

Along with an active and healthy lifestyle, our PE curriculum will; improve emotional well-being, reduce challenging behaviour, increase attendance and develop key skills such as confidence, leadership, social and team building skills.

## Implementation

For our PE curriculum, the school utilises the PE scheme PE Hub. All children participate in a range of gymnastics, dance, games, athletics and outdoor & adventurous activities, following a balanced curriculum that develops a wide range of skills. PE is organised into half-termly blocks, which have a theme and will focus on specific skills. Our children will also take part in weekly swimming sessions teaching them the fundamental skills needed for water safety and develop essential swimming skills.

The individual lessons in these blocks all have learning objectives, which are met through a variety of activities, and build on previous learning. There is planned progression built into the PE Hub schemes of work, so children are increasingly challenged as they move up through school.

With guidance, children set themselves targets to improve the PE skills, and are given the opportunity during Key Stage 2 to be House Captains, where they take responsibility for leading the houses, officiating and aiding with sporting activities.

The school's PE curriculum gives all children the opportunity to participate in a wide range of physical activities, and is further supported with other aspects of school life (such as House Captains, and Inter-school competitions). All children also take part in competitive games during their PE lessons, in extra-curricular activities, and through yearly Swimming Galas; children are also given the opportunity to represent the school in a wide variety of sports where they compete against other schools.

## Impact

The school strongly believes that regular physical activity – in free time, in structured PE lessons, during swimming lessons and in organised competitions – is essential for the healthy development of all children, both in body and in mind. PE is assessed through observations during PE lessons, and considers aspects such as leadership, team work, and tactics, as well as skills and physical attributes. Children are also given the opportunity and encouraged to assess their own performances (and understand how to improve), they are also encouraged and are fully involved in Peer-to-Peer coaching throughout swimming sessions.

The impact of the PE curriculum is that the children at The Globe Primary Academy will take with them a love of exercise and physical activity that will last a lifetime, and will give them good physical health, good mental health, confidence, motivation, friendship, and joy. Our children will also be confident in the water.