



Pool House C P School

Physical Education Policy

Aims

At Pool House we aim

- to give our pupils opportunities for progression, knowledge and development of skills through the enjoyment of physical activity in a structured curriculum and safe, supportive environment.
- to foster a positive attitude towards fitness, health and hygiene.

We will also aim to ensure that each child:

- receives a balanced programme of physical activities as set out in the National Curriculum;
- will be taught in a safe, structured environment in which he/she can develop physical skills, become self-motivated and acquire confidence and pride in physical achievement;
- will be encouraged to develop to his/her full potential;
- knows where equipment is stored and how to handle and use it safely;
- is aware of the need for a dress code which encourages safety i.e.
 - no jewellery to be worn;
 - change of clothing;
 - appropriate footwear must be worn;
 - long hair must be tied back;
 - swimming hat to be worn whilst swimming;
 - Verruca socks to be worn whilst swimming

Planning

At Pool House we follow the Lancashire Scheme of Work for PE when planning.

Differentiation

We aim to encourage all pupils to reach their full potential through the provision of varied opportunities. We recognise that our curriculum planning must allow pupils to gain a progressively deeper understanding and competency as they move through our school.

Equal Opportunities

All children will be given equal access to P.E. irrespective of race, gender, creed, level of ability, special educational needs or nationality. Mutual respect and tolerance for all cultures will be promoted through the study of P.E.

Evaluation and Assessment

The assessment of P.E. is an integral part of teaching. It allows teachers to identify what has been learnt and to monitor pupils' progress. Assessment should also diagnose and identify ways of overcoming particular learning difficulties and also identify those pupils who are particularly gifted, talented or able in one or more areas.

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