



Saint Augustine's Roman Catholic High School



Physical Education Department



The department has five members of staff, three men and two women, who teach all core PE groups and GCSE PE classes. The vacancy is a maternity cover to teach girls' PE.

Key Stage 3 Provision

At KS3 all pupils have 4 x 60 minute periods over the two week timetable.

Boys

Athletics
Badminton
Football
Gymnastics
Dance
Handball
Orienteering
Rugby
Cricket
Basketball
Softball

Girls

Athletics
Badminton
Football
Gymnastics
Volleyball
Handball
Orienteering
Rounders
Dance
Netball



Key Stage 4 Provision

All pupils have one 60 minute period per week. Year 10 and 11 GCSE PE groups study for 5 periods across the 2 week timetable. You will be assigned to teach a mixed gender Year 10 GCSE PE group and the syllabus we are currently following is the Edexcel board. Over recent years PE has grown in popularity as a GCSE option because of the quality of teaching offered and the excellent exam results achieved. In 2019 100% of candidates entered for GCSE PE achieved at least a Level 4 and progress is always outstanding. 2021 will see the first group of students receive their qualifications in The Cambridge Nationals Sports Studies alongside GCSE PE.

Year 10: During the winter months KS4 pupils can choose from various options including badminton, football, netball, gymnastics and dance. In the summer months all pupils participate in athletics, cricket, rounders, softball and tennis. They undertake a training programme in health and fitness. Year 10 pupils are able to opt for an additional one-hour enhancement of Sport or Dance per fortnight.

Year 11: Pupils are offered a range of options some of which take place off-site. On-site activities include badminton, basketball, cricket, dance, football, netball, rounders, rugby, tennis, aerobics, table tennis and volleyball. Offsite activities include visits to a local gym where they can select from 5-a-side football, GRIT Sessions, HIIT Training, use of the fitness suite, Spinning and rock climbing.

Resources and facilities: Our PE facilities include a large double gymnasium divided by a concertina screen, four netball courts, six tennis courts, four football pitches, one dual use football/rugby pitch, a second large hard core area and extensive playing fields. The fields have recently undergone major drainage works and the changing facilities have been refurbished and modernised.

Extra-curricular activities: St Augustine's has a high profile within the local sporting community. Please check out our website www.sarchs.com and take a look at editions of our Sports Presentation PowerPoint and Parents' Newsletters to gain a flavour of how active, committed and successful our pupils have been in their endeavours. The excellent standards achieved are the outcome of an outstanding commitment by PE staff and many other colleagues in the school to extra-curricular sport. There are lunchtime and after-school practices every day of the week. We currently run teams in athletics, badminton, dance, basketball, cricket, cross-country, football, golf, gymnastics, rugby, netball, rounders, rugby, table-tennis, orienteering and volleyball. St Augustine's has a strong track record of success at local, district and county level.

Other activities include a large range of Inter-Form Competitions, a competitive Sports Day and a Sports Presentation Evening.

The Post

The successful candidate will join a department with a strong team ethos and which is held in the highest of esteem by governors, staff, parents and children due to the excellent teaching and the commitment to extra-curricular sport. We want to maintain our outstanding track record of participation and achievement in PE and sport with this appointment.

Applications from Newly Qualified Teachers and experienced teachers are welcome.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Michael Wright
Headteacher