



ST. MICHAEL'S CE SCHOOL

A Celebration of PE & Games

2020-2021 Achievements



At St Michael's we are proud of our high quality PE and school sports provision. We believe in creating opportunities for all children to enjoy sport and physical activity. We are proud of our achievements below for the autumn term and working hard to improve each term.

- Increase in the number of weekly sport related afterschool clubs on offer.
- Increase in the number of inter-school sports competitions attended. This year we have been unable due to COVID-19 restrictions. We were able to attend Cricket Festivals for Year 5 boys, Year 6 boys and Year 5 and 6 girls at Spencer Cricket Club.
- St Michael's helped Wandsworth win the London Youth Games Virtual Challenge competition during Lockdown.
- We participated in Virtual Athletics competitions in which the children took part in events during PE lessons with their results recorded and sent to Wandsworth. For Indoor Athletics, Year 3 and 4 finished 1st out of 13 schools in Wandsworth and represented Wandsworth in the London Youth Games in which they finished 5 across London. Year 5 and 6 finished 6th out of 13 schools in Wandsworth.
- We participated in the PPSSA Cricket and Rounders matches in the summer term. The Football and Netball leagues and competitions were cancelled due to COVID-19 restrictions.
- In July 2021 we were able to host a sports week, Wednesday 7th to Friday 9th July. Every child in the school had the opportunity to take part in 11 different sports across the week during lesson time.
- There was a restructure of the PE curriculum to ensure more coverage and improve key skills of Key Stage 1 children.
- We were able to put on weekly pre-recorded PE lessons for the children to complete at home. We also did live fitness sessions every Friday for Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 to participate in during Lockdown in the Spring Term.

- Behaviour of the children in PE lessons improved this year and there was a greater focus.
- A new gymnastics frame was installed in the hall which the children have enjoyed during gymnastics lessons.
- Employing a gymnastics and dance specialist to teach dance for an extra afternoon a week so the children can have longer lessons.
- 82% of year 6 children could swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres.
- 69.1% of year 6 children use a range of strokes effectively.
- 93.5% Year 6 cohort perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations