



14 September 2021

PE and Extra-Curricular Sport

Dear Parent/ Carer

Please find attached a timetable of the sporting extra-curricular activities we will be offering over the first two terms of the academic year (until Easter). All the activities on offer will take place during lunch times and after school. Activities are open to everyone, whether wanting to compete for school or just for fun!

Students will need to wear their normal PE kit (or school team kit if they have it) for all clubs and will just need to report to the assigned changing rooms. Lunchtime clubs last 30 minutes and start at 12.15pm (Years 7, 8 and 10) and 1.15pm (Years 9 and 11). Activities after school will usually run until approximately 4.15pm.

Students who fully commit to extra-curricular sport and show a positive attitude will be eligible to apply for a sports tie at the end of the year. We will be resuming our competitive fixtures against other schools and will also be running some competitive sport through inter-form activities within school. Beyond 'in school' sport, if your son/ daughter wishes to get involved with a local sports team/ activity, please visit www.sportchevin.com or www.leedsschoolssports.co.uk for links to many local sporting activities.

Please encourage your son/ daughter to attend one or more of the activities (see next page) as it will give them an opportunity to make new friends, improve their fitness levels and develop their confidence.

Finally, in terms of PE lessons in curriculum time, if your son/daughter is unable to participate fully in the lesson, can I draw your attention to the following paragraph in the school planner:

"If participation in practical PE is not possible for any reason then a dated note from a parent should be written in the planner outlining the issue. If non-participation is longer term (more than two lessons) then a doctor's note will be required. Non-participating students should still bring their PE kit and get changed, unless this isn't possible e.g. due to a cast."

Yours faithfully

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