



St Michaels Community Academy Statement of intent

We believe that all of our students should leave our school possessing the skills, motivation and knowledge to enjoy a lifelong engagement with sport and physical activity.

We aim to:

- Provide an **engaging and challenging curriculum** that allows all students to achieve beyond their expectations
- Offer **excellent opportunities** to develop a healthy life-long love of physical activity
- Develop a **first class teaching** and learning environment where pupils develop and show life skills such as resilience, compassion, perseverance and team ethic
- Enable all students to feel they **belong as part of a team**, believe in their healthy potential and thrive physically, socially and emotionally
- Provide our pupils a **variety of opportunities and experiences** through a range of extra-curricular activities including after school clubs and half term holiday clubs
- Offer opportunities to **compete in intra and inter-school competitions**
- Develop **physical, technical and tactical sporting skills**
- Improve **fitness, health and well-being** through knowledge and application
- Develop **leadership skills**, with older pupils encouraged to take on additional roles such as sports leaders and playground leaders

We trust that our broad and innovative PE curriculum will allow students to develop their love of movement and sport well beyond their time at St Michaels Academy. Every child at our school is able to complete a minimum of 2 hours physical activity each week. We also target key groups of children with extra sessions to develop any area needed.