

PE & Sport Newsletter

Spring Term 2023

Welcome to the second edition of Cheetwood Primary School's PE newsletter for this academic year. We have made the decision to release a newsletter every term, so please look out for the next one in July! The pupils have been up to lots this term, we hope you enjoy finding out all about it.

It has been a very busy term here at Cheetwood, with pupils across the school working on a wide variety of skills and games.

In Reception we have been working on fundamental movements, with children working on controlling objects such as balls, bibs and beanbags by rolling catching and bouncing.

In Year 1 we have been working on sending and receiving striking the ball cleanly with hands and feet and getting into correct positions.

While in Year 2 the focus has been on target games, with children bouncing, rolling and throwing at targets each week as well as further developing skills in dance.

Invasion games has been the focus in Year 3, working on passing the ball, dodging past players and defending against attackers.

In Year 4 we have been working developing our gymnastics knowledge working on our balance and sequencing skills. **So far 50% of pupils in Y4 have achieved their objective of being to swim 25m unaided!**

In Year 5 we have been developing our dance skills, understanding the rhythm and linking our own moves with others in our group.

Year 6 have been focusing on invasion games, working on improving their possession and shooting skills as well as playing small sided games.

Extra Curricular Activities

The school is keen to provide a wide range of extra-curricular clubs for pupils throughout the year which are delivered by sports coaches and teaching staff. Through the use of the Sports Premium, we currently offer six free sports clubs to pupils in Years 1 to 6. After School Clubs have been really well attended this term and we are hoping to introduce more after school clubs in the summer term. New letters will be sent home for the clubs starting in the summer term.

PE Kit – Whole school reminder

There is an expectation that all children will wear the correct PE kit to school for lessons, it is important that all children have the correct and suitable PE kit throughout the year; this is also an essential part of our school uniform as stated in the home-school agreement. The kit should include the following: white t-shirt and black shorts or Close fitting black leggings/tracksuit bottoms and trainers.

Cheetwood Sports Superstars!

At Cheetwood Primary School, we are lucky to have so many pupils who take part in extra-curricular activities and we want to share and celebrate some of their amazing achievements with the rest of our school community!

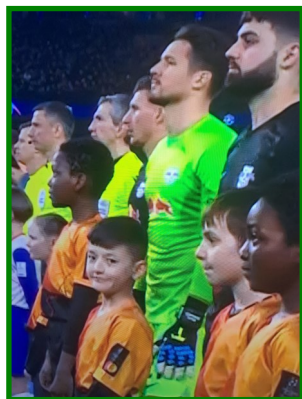


Do you take part in a sports club or other sporting extra-curricular activity outside of school? Have you achieved

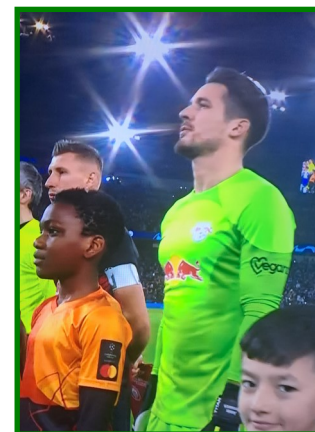
something really special that you're proud of? If so, bring your badge, medal, certificate in and show Mrs Clark or Mr Nordon for a chance to appear in the PE newsletter next term. If you have photos of your sporting successes – come and tell us so we can celebrate you in the next newsletter! You can send them to: c.nordon@cheetwood.manchester.sch.uk and put 'PE newsletter photos' in the subject.



Pupils in Y4, Y5 and Y6 took part in Bike-ability training, Bike-ability gives everyone the confidence to cycle and enjoy this skill for life.



Three pupils in Y4 were extremely lucky to be chosen to be mascots at the Man City V RB Leipzig Champions League match at the Etihad Stadium!



We hope you have enjoyed hearing about all of the things PE and sport related that have been going on this term. Remember, if there is something that you would like to see in future PE newsletters, please contact me.

Thank you for reading.
Mr Nordon - PE Subject Leader

