

Newman Catholic Collegiate

Physical Education

OLSB Catholic Academy School Action Plan 2024-2025

All 'Area's to Improve were aspects highlighted as red on the Collegiate P.E audits completed at the completion of the 2023-2024 academic year. (Three 'Orange' areas have been added to allow the School to focus on three areas in 2024-2025. We have no reds!)

Area to improve	Pupils show very high levels of physical fitness and can work for prolonged periods of time.
School action	<p>We have made progress in regard to the pupils resilience and ability to keep moving in lesson time. After Covid we have found some of our pupils were a little short of fitness, whilst data shows they have begun to make a recovery. We still feel that all of our children would benefit from being encouraged to challenge themselves to move a little more throughout each day.</p> <p>Mr. Sigley &amp; Ms. Adams are running a plethora of initiatives to inspire the children to be the best they can be. We will also continue to use our effort bags as a reward and to tackle socio-economic barriers, as well as our Wall of Fame and Healthy, Lifestyle week.</p>
Area to improve	Pupils are able to evaluate what needs to be done to improve their own and other's performances.
School action	<p>One issue we've found can be tricky for both Staff and children is to how to make it really clear what the steps are to improve in each subject. Time is precious in P.E and we like are children to be as active as possible in P.E lessons – but we also want it to be clear for our children on what they need to do to improve (and how to do that).</p> <p>Mr. Sigley has created some 'mountains' which will help the children to be able to reflect on their performance/depth of knowledge – these have been trialled and worked really well. From September 2024 onwards these mountains will be used for all P.E lessons, children will be able to identify where they are on their P.E learning journey and how to continue improving!</p>
Area to improve	Pathways from school to community sport and physical activity exist.
School action	<p>We think our children are amazing at OLSB – especially in P.E! We think it's time our local community knows it too.</p> <p>Throughout 2024/25 we aim to encourage our children to become as active as possible outside of School. We will be strengthening links to community sport and physical activity and tracking how many of children are engaging with it. Ultimately we want our children to lead a healthy, happy and safe life. A great way to do that is to join in organised exercise outside of School.</p>