

**PE Intent:**

Physical Education at The Oldham Academy North is an integral part of the week of a student. We believe that it not only equips learners with a robust understanding of different sports, their origins, including British and worldwide sporting role models and the issues affecting participation in sport (Locally, nationally and internationally). Student will develop crucial skills needed for a variety of sports (including invasion, racket, striking and fielding, aesthetics and athletics), but also takes a more holistic approach in developing their teamwork, communication and leadership styles, so that by the time they leave, all students have been encouraged to take on different roles and enjoy physical activity as performers, spectators and leaders as well as have the knowledge to be able to continue to be physically active throughout their life. Students are encouraged to use tier 3 terminology with confidence accurately and precisely, building up an extended specialist vocabulary. The curriculum is designed to be enjoyable, but at the same time develop and stimulate the students physically, socially, emotionally and cognitively. Students are prepared to transition from KS3 to KS4 with the skills, knowledge, character and leadership to excel in KS4 through a rigorous sequencing and assessment. Promoting underlying themes/components of OCR Cambridge National in order to provide a foundation for a positive transition to KS4. It aims to provide an equal opportunity of learning experiences in a wide range of sports. The practical elements of the sports are taught in conjunction with more theoretical facets, such as diet and nutrition, areas of fitness, and contemporary sports related issues. Attend extra-curricular sporting clubs and competitions, have an opportunity to represent their school and community.