Physical Education

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Programme of Study	Year 8 Milestones		
Games	Use a range of tactics and strategies to overcome opponents in face-to-		
	face competition through team and individual games		
	Become more competient, confident and expert in techniques		
	Understand what makes a performance effective and apply these		
	principles to own and others' work		
	In racket sports vary serve effectively and understand the need for this.		
	Perform a basic repertoire of shots (including smash) in a competitive		
	environment.		
	Officiate a variety of games with confidence		
Dance	Understand what makes performance effective and apply these		
	principles to own and others' work		
	Express an idea in original and imaginative ways		
	Consistently plan, perform and repeat complex sequences		
	Show control in movements and a rhythmic awareness		
Gymnastics	Understand what makes performance effective and apply these		
	principles to own and others' work		
	Show competence in varying speed, direction, level and body rotation		
	during floor performances		
	Sequence work is creative and imaginative and is confidently performed		
	form start to finish.		
	Analyse then refine performance		
Athletics	Understand what makes a performance effective and apply these		
	principles to own and others' work		
	Understand rules for officiating in a throwing event		
	Add run ups, shuffle, turns to throws		
	Compete with others and keep track of personal best performances,		
	setting targets for improvement		
Outdoor and Adventurous Activities	Take part in outdoor and adventurous activities, which present mental		
	and physical challenges and be encouraged to work in a team		
	Empathise with others and offer support without being asked		
	Use maps and compasses to orientate themselves		
	Remain positive even in the most challenging circumstances, rallying		
	others if need be.		
	Quickly assess changing conditions and adapt plans to ensure safety		
	comes first		
	Explain how the body reacts during different types of exercise and why		
	regular safe exercise if good for fitness and health.		