Physical Health and Fitness – Curriculum Overview

| Statutory | Reception | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | Year 6 |
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| The risks associated with an | What is physical | What is | Why do we do | Risks of | Risks associated | Links to obesity | Recap on |
| inactive lifestyle (including | activity? | exercise? | PE in school? | inactivity – poor | with lower | and type 2 | benefits and |
| obesity). | Share ideas of | Discuss sports | Talk about | sleep, as not | immune system | diabetes. | risks. |
| PHF1 | what they enjoy | and clubs both | impact and | tired. | and energy | | |
| | doing. | in and out of | benefits on | Development of | levels. | | |
| | | school. | bones. What is | skeleton. | | | |
| | | How do they | the difference | Mental | | | |
| | | feel afterwards? | between high | wellbeing | | | |
| | | | impact and low | | | | |
| | | | impact activity? | | | | |
| The characteristics and mental | Check science/PE curriculum | | | | | | |
| and physical benefits of an active | Strengthen muscles and bones, heartrate – measuring fitness., regular exercise, moderate and vigorous, improve balance and co- | | | | | | |
| lifestyle. | ordination, healthy weight. Mental health – improve mood (endorphins), aid concentration, cognitive function (Oxygen to the brain), | | | | | | |
| PHF2 | academic achievement, increase self-esteem, improve sleep, build resilience, support and reinforce friendship. | | | | | | |
| | Examples of exercise – daily and weekly. | | | | | | |
| The importance of building | What do they | Discuss and | Discuss and | Discuss clubs | Look at inspiring | Survey of daily/weekly activity. | |
| regular exercise into daily and | enjoy? | encourage | encourage | both within and | examples of | Can they incorporate a challenge to | |
| weekly routines and how to | Examples of | exercise. | exercise | out of school | physical | increase this? | |
| achieve this; for example walking | exercise. | | Link to Science: | they could join. | achievement | Share ideas on available sport – | |
| or cycling to school, a daily active | | | describe the | What is a good | from a wide | home/school/wider community. | |
| mile or other forms of regular, | | | importance for | amount of | range of | | |
| vigorous exercise. | | | humans of | daily/weekly | contexts. | | |
| PHF3 | | | exercise, eating | exercise? | | | |
| | | | the right | | | | |
| | | | amounts of | | | | |
| | | | different types | | | | |
| | | | of food, and | | | | |
| | | | hygiene | | | | |
| How and when to seek support Link to work on trusted adults and where to seek help. | | | | Importance of | Importance of | Importance of | Importance of |
| including which adults to speak to | | | | getting advice | getting advice | getting advice | getting advice |
| in school if they are worried | | | | from trusted | from trusted | from trusted | from trusted |
| about their health. | | | | adult, rather | adult, rather | adult rather | adult rather |
| PHF4 | | | | than friends. | than friends. | than looking | than looking |
| | | | | | | online. | online. |