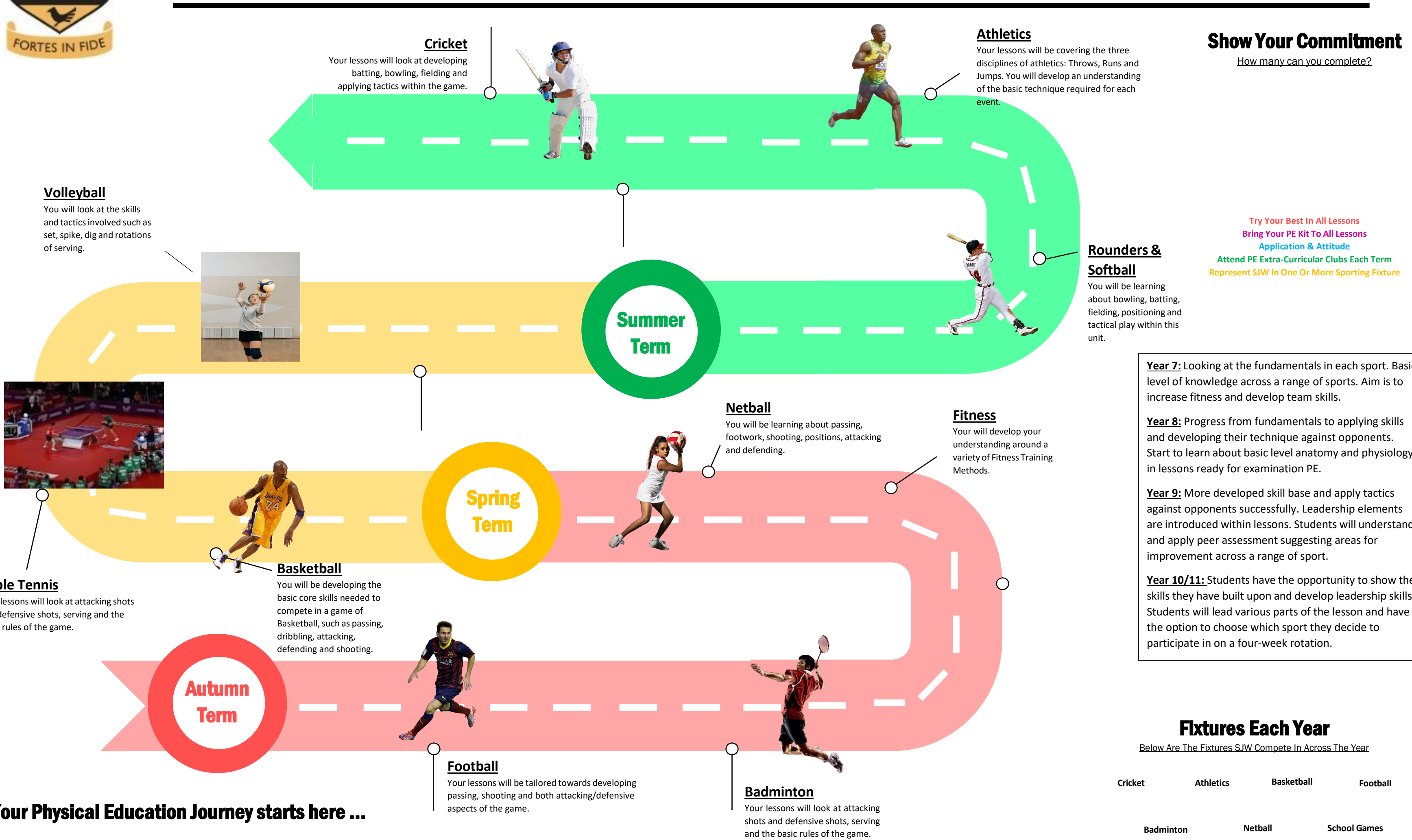




# Saint John Wall Catholic School 'A Catholic School For All'

Core PE – Creating A Love For Physical Education, and 'Sport for Life'



Your Physical Education Journey starts here ...

# PE & Health Curriculum Intent

| Mission Statement                    | School Curriculum Intent  | Curriculum Intent  |
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| <b>'To educate</b>                   | Our skilled teachers and support staff live out their vocation to serve and teach children and young people at Saint John Wall Catholic School  | We have several subject specialists in the PE department who use various teaching strategies to develop and push our pupils to excel in PE & Health. The curriculum is designed to help pupils excel, through careful planning of the various topics that have are sequenced to support learning of key knowledge and skills. Our schemes of work provide plenty of opportunity for pupils to constantly use memory recall through modelling and scaffolding within the Rosenshine Principles.   |
| <b>each and every</b>                | We are ' <i>A Catholic School For All</i> ' and we welcome pupils from each and every diverse background, faith and culture into the Saint John Wall community.   | We offer GCSE PE, BTEC Health & Social Care, Child Development and core PE is part of all pupils' curriculum from Years 7 to Year 11. Through our schemes of work, we ensure that pupils are on the right course for what God is calling them to be. Our curriculum enables pupils to develop our SJW values such as compassionate, active, wise and attentive. We develop all our learners so that they can recognise opportunities for leadership and coaching in structured activities and to inspire pupils to continue with a physical & healthy activity for a lifetime. |
| <b>unique child</b>                  | We value human dignity and recognise every child as a unique individual made in the image of God.   | Within PE & Health we look at local universities to develop a thirst for learning and inspire students to get ready for the next chapter in their lives. We also look at athletes from the Birmingham area and seek to develop their talents in sport. Each child's interests and hobbies are important in shaping our extra-curricular activities.  |
| <b>in our care</b>                   | We provide high levels of care within a respectful and disciplined environment to safeguard children's wellbeing, welfare and safety.   | The health department has high expectations of our pupils and we endeavour to provide our pupils with the skills needed to have the option to pursue career in Health. We are fair but also firm with pupils and seek to build relationships for a disciplined learning environment. As a practical based subject, it is vital pupils are aware of the safety elements and endangering others around them; this is done throughout every lesson ensuring the safety of the child is key.   |
| <b>to hear</b>                       | We instil SJW values and encourage spiritual, moral, social, cultural and emotional personal development so that our young people are open to hear God's calling.   | Our subjects help pupils understand our bodies and how to look after both our physical and mental health. It enables students to continue an active lifestyle after secondary school. We promote the use of leadership tasks within our lessons, building personal attributes such as confidence, problem solving, team-work and resilience.   |
| <b>and respond</b>                   | We foster our young people's gifts and talents so they are equipped with skills, knowledge and qualifications to create opportunities to be able to respond to God's calling.   | Pupils study in this area are able to leave school with either a BTEC Sport Qualification, GCSE in Physical Education, Cam Nat in both Health & Social Care and Child Development. Our subject caters for a variety of skills and are assessed in various ways to help meet the needs of each child.   |
| <b>to what God calls them to be'</b> | Taking Jesus Christ as a role-model we help pupils understand what God calls them to be; informed and responsible citizens whose vocation in life contributes to peace, tolerance, justice and service in both our local community and wider society. | We ensure children are aware of opportunities available to them in the next stage of their life both academically and professionally. We provide opportunities for trips to a University where pupils get to spend the day in the life of an undergraduate. Our curriculum promotes PE & Health occupations for pupils to consider a range of careers in sports and fitness as well as other health care professions.  |