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| **PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT** |

The PE curriculum is delivered by nine PE staff, six female and three male staff. Students are taught PE for two hours a week in Years 7 to 9 and one hour in Years 10 and 11.

The PE department offers the Level 2 OCR National Certificate in Sport Studies and Sport Science, alongside GCSE PE to our current KS4 students and at KS5 we offer the BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Sport, BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Sport and the BTEC Level 3 National Extended Certificate in Sport.

From September 2018, we now also have the Beauchamps Football Academy which is part of a carefully designed elite student athlete programme, where the students of Beauchamps will receive fully-qualified coaching.

There are many extra-curricular PE activities before, during and after school, which all members of the team are involved with. The school fully participates in the local district sports competitions including football, futsal, netball, basketball, table tennis, badminton, swimming, gymnastics, trampolining, cross country, rounders, cricket and athletics as well as competing in the Essex Cup for football and netball and the Essex FA Futsal competition.

The department has its own networked office, with developing sports facilities including a 3G all-weather pitch, fitness suite, sports hall, playing field, netball courts, long jump pit and detached playing fields for fixtures.

This is a welcoming team who work hard together and are highly dedicated in striving to achieve the best possible outcomes for our students. They encompass a wide range of skills, which enable students of all interests to enjoy their curricular and extra-curricular PE.

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. If successful, an enhanced DBS will be sought.