



**Laurence Jackson School**  
A Specialist Sports College



# SPECIALISM UPDATE 2009-10

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# PE Impact

- Specialism targets stringently monitored with Strategic data leader.
- Best ever PE department results August 2009 (89% A\*- C GCSE, 100% BTECs); subsequent impact on whole school results (without PE results 2009 would have been 71.2% not 74%).
- Fast track GCSE 92% and above in last 4yrs; highly successful popular course for Y9s.
- Review of KS4 PE qualifications to have larger impact on whole school results.
- Strongest and consistent PE team in place 09-10.
- New PE staff: impact HQPE and whole school support of specialism initiatives; G & T/YL/ ASD provision/Science/ Maths/ External visits.
- Highest no. of extra-curricular opportunities; evidence club timetables; Sept/ Jan/ April/ extra curricular data.
- High achieving extra-curricular teams - Boys Rugby/ Girls Football/ Cricket; Evidence Guisborough hall student guest list.
- Guisborough Hall Sports presentation 2009 evening 500+attendance.
- Diploma SAL - September 2011 (collaboration with PPC); increasing qualification opportunities for students wishing to pursue sport related careers.
- DoS continues to be Edexcel moderator GCSE PE supporting standards in GCSE PE @ LJS and within LA.
- G & T sports performers now stringently tracked & led by MBA; £50 bursary in place for performers through specialism funding.
- SEN/ASD provision including lessons and out of hours session led by SCL and MRO; YST example of good practice. £1,000 funding May 2010 / proposed showcase at Sports College Conference 2011.
- Tees Valley Paralympics and Olympic logo winner April 2010.
- Nominated for Evening Gazette sports school of the year 2010.
- Teesside University Research project in collaboration with Y9 students July 2010; perception data on physical activity and Sport at LJS.

- ⇒ U16 Redcar Town Football Club
  - ⇒ Cheer leading through GEL
  - ⇒ Gymnastics: Extended Schools
  - ⇒ Safe in Teesside "Positive Actions in People" - fitness suite Fridays
  - ⇒ Neighbourhood police team - holiday programmes
  - ⇒ Holiday programmes support GEL & other external agencies
- Adult Learning - LTH; see separate programme.
  - Guisborough Extended Learning - LTH.
  - Tesco school run 2009 & 2010 organised by LJS.
  - Fun run 2009 & 2010 organised by LJS.

## Areas To Develop

- Promotion/ publicity of leisure centre in Guisborough.
- Fitness class provision - extending what is on offer.
- Facility development in relation to BSF.
- Development of Sports College Forum (LTH).

# Community Impact

- Hub site for CSSP; PDM, SSCO and CM; utilisation of LJS facilities to organise primary and secondary events.
- DoCS main representative on Guisborough Extended Learning.
- Dance show 2009/2010.
- Sport relief 2009/2010 school and community event planned.
- Newsletters going out in to the local community.
- Community events: Country watch/ Guisborough and Great Ayton Rotary Club.
- Young Americans specialism and GLC support.
- Supporting local clubs/club links -LTH (GRC/GCC/ NMH).
- GLC - full to capacity with local users; look now to modernise what's on offer to community
  - ⇒ General user no's; fitness suite membership & weekly booking sheets
  - ⇒ Guisborough Archery Club
  - ⇒ Redcar Running Club
  - ⇒ Guisborough Ladies Hockey Club
  - ⇒ Priory Badminton
  - ⇒ Hutton badminton
  - ⇒ Northgate badminton
  - ⇒ Guisborough town Football Club; U11s, U12s, U13s, U15s, U16s, U18s
  - ⇒ North Riding FA Tesco Skills host site
  - ⇒ Guisborough Rugby Club - strong school club links
  - ⇒ Guisborough Cricket Club - strong school club links
  - ⇒ JHR Karate Club
  - ⇒ Marske football Club: U15s/ U11s
  - ⇒ Prior Pursglove Hockey Club
  - ⇒ East Cleveland U11s
  - ⇒ Moorsholm Athletic Football Club
  - ⇒ New Marske harriers
  - ⇒ Guisborough Gym Club



# Areas To Develop

- Specialism targets and data - review ongoing & share whole school.
- To set up a School Sports Council to address the views and needs of students (PDO).
- Restructure leadership in PE dept Sept 2010 (CPA).
- Cross curricular impact to engage more learners across school;
- To investigate further KS4 accreditation opportunities: Foundation Learning Tier/ SAL Diploma.
- Development of KS3 attainment data taking in to consideration FT GCSE PE in Y9.
- Further development of New NC and level descriptors.
- Further development of Baseline testing Y6/7.
- Living for Sport Sept 2010; ASD/SEN focus; whole school impact also.
- Extra-curricular - look at capacity v uptake; data - are we meeting needs of students?
- Re-launch student voice PE questionnaire - use example of good practice from MFL dept.



# Whole School Impact

- PE results impact on whole school results (without PE results 2009 would have been 71.2%).
- 100% of KS4 students do at least 1 PE qualification; 58% do 2 or more; 18% do 3 or more; 4% doing 4 or more.
- Bishop Barrington YST Link Maths work - £4100 funding to collaboratively work with another sports college.
- Y7 Carlton trip -supported by specialism.
- Pilot of SEN OSHL programme in PE; extremely positive feedback to date. YST visit 12th May 2010; subsequent Loughborough workshop 8<sup>th</sup> June 2010.
- Science: STEM project (canoe glove) - supported by specialism staff.
- Get Set Network London 2012- 1 of first 15 schools (national requests now to support other schools). Young Ambassadors Programme.
- National School Sport Week - exemplary Sports Day programme (national requests for support).
- Y7 curriculum enrichment day - led and supported by specialism.
- Ofsted Dec 2009- specialism still recognised as extremely positive part of school.
- MTY - T & L team/ High quality PE.
- Reward policy -led by CPA (positive ethos of whole school).
- Lunchtime Policy - led by CPA (impact on afternoon lessons/community).
- School Newsletter—CPA.
- BTEC whole school - led by CPA (science and music coming on line Sept 2010).
- Cycle2school led by CPA/LTH.
- Cross Curricular Maths project - SGR & MTY.
- Whole school fantasy league (MTY).
- 56 KS4 sports students successfully completed appointed first aid course May 2010.
- KS4 Sport Leader still thriving: festivals well attended (1000+ primary students Sept 09-July 2010).
- Extra-curricular club timetable is strongest it's been; stringently controlled by whole school by CPA/PE extra-curricular data kept.

- LA training day: MTY/MFO/CPA led workshops Feb 2010.
- PDM/DoS attended professional development course Feb 2010.
- South Africa trip - joint venture LJS & GRC May 2010 hugely successful.
- Supporting local clubs -LTH; see GLC information also.
- Teesside University workshops attended by sports students.
- Kingdom sports business link - staff PE kit.

## Areas To Develop

- PEESYP targets/ CSSP targets/ YST targets - need to address these further in relation to target setting and future development.
- Local businesses involvement.





# Partnership Impact

- Cleveland School Sports Partnership is based on LJS - exceeding national targets.
- CSSP slashed YST targets - 7/450 nationally as a SSP/ 21% above national average.
- SAL Diploma 2011- collaboration with PPC.
- YST Dreams and teams Holland link school October 2009/ March 2010
- Freeborough/St Peter's: BTEC support CPA/TMI.
- CPA chair of LA HoPE meeting.
- R & C 5hr offer steering group - LJS to lead.
- R & C KS4 PE working party - LJS used as base for this sharing of good practice; May/July 2010.
- GCSE PE collaboration work: Sacred Heart/RCC - CPA support as a GCSE PE moderator.
- R & C BTEC Dance OSH project - led by MTY; benefiting students from Freeborough and Nunthorpe.
- MFO supports R & C GTP PE programme.
- Sport Leader still thriving: festivals well attended (1000+ primary students 09-10); 40 leaders achieved NGB awards April 2010.
- Y7/8 Sport Leader programme also in place: impact LJS & primary events
- Y10/11 Sport leaders going independently into primary schools.
- Kiltonthorpe OSH Club - ran by LJS Sport Leaders.
- MFL leaders now working with local primaries; extremely positive feedback.
- SSCO role - newly appointed Pam Dodds having a massive positive impact in raising profile of student leadership with partner primaries.
- Multi-skills academy hosted @ LJS; G & T Primary work.
- Fitness for Future hosted @ LJS - targeting disengaged primary students/ Y7s.
- Eastern Europe Shoe box appeal Y7s worked through specialism to support this rotary club charity work.
- Dance INSET delivered to Durham University PGCE students.

- "Activate 13" - piloting successfully with Y7s during form time.
- Y11 "Healthy Mind, healthy Body" annual workshop - PE staff involvement.
- YST catalyst for learning resources being used by departments in school.
- Young Americans - specialism support.
- Sport college conference 2010 (3 PE 1 MFL staff).
- Dance Show 2010, sell-out both evenings.
- Y7 London Olympic trip July 2010.
- Competition winners - tees valley logo and maths challenge.
- Y8 Olympic Enterprise Day; students learnt to develop business and management skills to promote the Olympic values.
- Evening Gazette Sport School of Year : Nomination 2010 .

## Areas To Develop

- Ensure specialism forms part of SEF and SIP.
- Living for sport Sept 2010.
- Raise the profile and impact of the link with second target subject: PE warm-ups/ NVQ support/ Joint Specialism Trip 2011 .
- Cross -curricular impact needs to be developed further.
- Raise profile whole school/ increase publicity around school London 2012; the Olympic values.
- House system to be investigated based on BSF situation.
- Student achievement/ rewards/ extra-curricular involvement entered on to SIMs - creating of an overall database.
- Kinaesthetic teaching bags - good practice from MFL and PE to be used whole school.
- Summer school; Maths Pilot 2010 (DFE).

# French Impact

- Y9 Curriculum Enrichment Day collaboration with MFC and LJS.
- Worldwide language days celebrated in school.
- MFL/PE link: YST funding £1000 secured.
- French NVQ development supported by specialism.
- Strengthen of department cross-curricular links.
- Arsenal Doubles Club (May 2010).
- Primary language days June/July 2010.
- Specialism Trip 2011; activity/languages focus.
- Specialism funding; ICT purchase, CPD needs.



# Areas To Develop

- 2010 36% uptake @ KS4.
- Increase KS4 uptake of languages through a raised profile at KS3.
- Development of NVQ Level 2 business language qualification.
- Develop links with foreign schools to facilitate language skills ("Etwinning").
- Joint specialism trip May 2011.
- Monitor impact of literacy intervention @ KS3 on language lessons.
- Student voice questionnaires to inform and develop practice.
- Kinaesthetic starter activities in PE.
- Arsenal Double club evaluation and review of programme.
- Timetable modification needed Sept 2011 to support language lessons.