

# BPSS Inclusion Newsletter Autumn 2021



## About Us

Barnet Partnership for School Sport (BPSS) are a “not for profit” organisation involved in Physical Education, School Sport & Physical Activity (PESSPA).

The team; Jo (Strategic Manager), Caroline, Katie, Mark & Vanessa (SGOs), deliver the government funded School Games programme. This programme is available free of charge to all primary schools nationally.

In addition, BPSS also provides a local buy-in offer, enabling schools the opportunity to receive enhanced services outside the national programme.

To help differentiate to schools the difference between each offer, we have used the following symbols throughout this newsletter;

School Games Programme:



BPSS Offer:



As of June 2021, the DfE reported that 15.9% of all pupils across England have some type of additional support need provision (EHCP or SEN support). That's 1,408,701 pupils in total!

This has created a huge need for meaningful inclusion across PE, physical activity and sport. In both mainstream and SEN provision.

At the BPSS we hope to support you to provide inclusive opportunities within (intra) and external (inter) for your pupils and staff. To ensure everyone is included and has a chance to succeed.

If you need support, please get in touch.

All the best,

The BPSS Team 😊



## BOCCIA “COME TRY IT” FESTIVAL

Boccia kicked off the first inclusive/SEND event of the year. It was a huge success With 76 pupils from 14 schools (Deansbrook Jnrs, The Orion, Goldbeaters, Brookland Jnrs, Millbrook Park, Wessex Gardens, AKIVA, St Agnes, Wren, Sunnyfields, Copthall, TTA, Ashmole and Whitefield) taking part.

The festival was a mix of friendly matches and skill stations, where the pupils got to practice and learn a new sport. The atmosphere was excellent, with not only pupils taking part but staff too! Pupils went back to school with a huge buzz. A pupil from Deansbrook Jnrs said to their headteacher when they returned “I give it a 10 out of 10”.



A huge thank you to the leaders from St James' Catholic High School, who had smiles on their faces all day, and were incredibly encouraging to everyone involved.

We look forward to seeing everyone at the next event!



## BPSS Partners

### Topsportability CPD

Top Sportsability ([Website link](#) - free code - YSTINCLUSION27) is a unique inclusive activity resource developed by the Youth Sport Trust in partnership with National Governing Bodies. Consisting of video clips and downloadable content showing ideas and strategies.

- Provides physical activity and sport options for young people with support needs
- Creates a vehicle for the inclusion of all young people together in PE
- Provides a basic introduction to a wide range of inclusive sports and activities in support of the School Games programme.

There is a FREE online virtual training on 8<sup>th</sup> December, 9.30am to 11am and being delivered by Niamh Morton –To show how this resource can be maximised. [To Book Click Here](#)

### Inclusive Health Check - Open

The inclusive health check is now open. If you are wishing to go for a Games Mark Award then this must be completed. It is a simple self-review tool (Yes/No answers) and should take no more than 10minutes to complete).

By completing, it is evidence for inspectors, but also helps with ensuring and supporting inclusivity within your school. With the current engagement profiles in the national curriculum ( [Click Here](#) ) We would highly recommend completing.

### Other CPD and Resources:

- All about Autism, All about me \_ E-Learning Course click: [Click here](#)
- LEARNING & DISCOVERY INCLUSIVE PERSONAL CHALLENGE DAYS RESOURCES [Click here](#)
- This is PE: YST Webpage: [Click here](#)
- LimbPower – Brand new resource to increase engagement in PE & sport for young people with an amputation or limb impairment. [Click here](#)
- The YST Active Recovery Hub: [Click here](#)

### Contact the team for more support

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