

2012 Games Legacy Commitment to High Quality PE

We are sure that, you have been amazed and inspired by the wonderful performances in the Olympic and Paralympic games this summer. The performance of Team GB has lifted the nation and will hopefully inspire a generation to engage with physical activity and sport.

We are anxious that PE contributes to the Games legacy. The unique role that high quality physical education can have in engaging children and young people, ensuring that they receive a high quality movement education, positive experience and entitlement to PE; which fosters positive attitudes to a lifelong engagement and interaction with physical activity and sport is recognised. We want all primary aged pupils to have access to specialist, trained PE staff either at school level or through their cluster.

Our nationally recognised and award winning **Norfolk PE Teaching Competence Programme (NPETCS)** delivers that opportunity by training teaching assistants to a high level to fulfil this specialist role. We can see the impact that they are having and are totally committed to this programme, helping other local authorities to implement their own version of it. Therefore we are subsidising this programme and accrediting this course (level 3) to ensure that in the Olympic year any Norfolk school which wants to gain a specialist TA trained to deliver high quality PE can access the full programme for just £350. This represents a direct saving to schools of over £750.

This commitment to providing individual schools or clusters with the opportunity to have support staff trained in this role represents a strong belief in the impact that those who have completed this training have made in their schools. We would also like to celebrate and recognise their hard work and commitment to high quality PE and the support of their headteachers in facilitating their training and deployment. Should you as a school, or cluster want to put forward a member(s) of your staff for this training then please book via the website:

www.cpd.norfolk.gov.uk/sdms/ using course reference **ECSG2 D**

You can find out additional information about this course via the website link below or by contacting us direct.

www.schools.norfolk.gov.uk/go/pe

Additionally you can find more information about all our courses and cluster training, bespoke packages, accredited modules and support in our CPD brochure for 2012-13. Look out for it in schools.

We are keen to support schools in developing their PE further and building on the superb 'Summer of Sport'. Therefore many of the courses, including the accredited ones, can be delivered locally within clusters or small groups of schools.



If you would like to discuss any aspect of this legacy commitment further then do call Martin Radmore to discuss your needs using the numbers below.

We look forward to working with you and providing your staff with access to this award winning specialist, accredited training programme and seeing the impact that it can have in inspiring and engaging your pupils through high quality PE and school sport.

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