



Sainsbury's School Games Mark – Gold!



Leighton Academy is very excited to announce that we have been awarded the Sainsbury's School Games Gold Mark for 2013 – 2014. Schools are awarded these marks at bronze, silver and gold levels for their contribution to competitive sport both in and out of school. This year we have ensured the following:

To achieve Gold level, we must ensure that we:

- provide all students with two hours of physical education per week (within the curriculum only)
- engage at least 50% of students in extracurricular sporting activity every week
- offer talented young sports people specific support to help them to develop their sporting potential
- use the Sainsbury's School Games formats to provide the opportunity for both boys and girls to take part in the appropriate level of competition.
- Enter at least 9 intra school and inter school competitions
- provide the opportunity through inter-school competition (Level 2) for both boys and girls to take part in at least 4 'B' and 1 'C' -team standard competition
- promote the Sainsbury's School Games to parents and the local community once a fortnight
- regularly feature match reports and competition results on the school website and in the local press
- engage at least 20% of students in leading, managing and officiating Sainsbury's School Games activity
- have a School Sport Organising Committee in place
- utilise sports coaches to support school sport
- train wider school staff to support school sport
- have active links with at least six local sports clubs