Catholic Social Teaching in Physical Education

"Sport is a very rich source of values and virtues that help us to become better people." Pope Francis

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| Human Dignity All created in the image and likeness of God | Provides young people with opportunities for face-to- face encounters while they are engaging in an activity that stirs passions. In such a context, they must learn to exercise self-control and how to manage conflicts within the team |
| The Common Good Whatever is needed for each person to flourish | Sports Education Officiating in all activities Organisation of inter house competitions |
| Solidarity Not just doing things for other people but acting with them to build a more just world together | Sports Education Officiating in all activities Organisation of inter house competitions |
| Participation <i>People have a right and duty to take</i> <i>part in shaping a more just and</i> <i>human society</i> | All extra-curricular provision in school. Morning, lunch and after school. This allows for all pupils to be involved in a club All activities in the curriculum KS4/KS5 Sports Participation section |
| Subsidiarity As far as possible, decisions should not be taken at the highest levels but by the people who are most affected | Gamesmanship |
| Stewardship of Creation We are called to care for creation as stewards, not just as consumers | Sports Education Officiating in all activities Organisation of inter house competitions Spare PE kit Extra-curricular provision after school |
| Rights and responsibilities When one person has a right, others have a responsibility to uphold that right | Fixtures and inter house competition Provides young people with opportunities for face-to- face encounters while they are engaging in an activity that stirs passions. In such a context, they must learn to exercise self-control and how to manage conflicts within the team |
| Option for the poor To choose to consider the needs of the poorest and most vulnerable people first | Sports Education Officiating in all activities Organisation of inter house competitions Spare PE kit Extra-curricular provision after school |