Celebrating Sporting Success: The Whitley AP Academy Secures Bronze School Games Mark

We are delighted to announce that we, The Whitley AP Academy, have achieved the School Games Bronze Mark Award for the 2025/26 academic year.

The School Games Mark is a Government-led award scheme launched in 2012, facilitated by the Youth Sport Trust to reward schools for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community, and we are delighted to have been recognised for our success.

Our sporting achievements this year include:

- Successfully implementing our tailored approach to ensure our pupils achieve their daily active minutes, supporting both their physical and emotional well-being.

- Completing the Inclusive Health Check to guarantee our physical activity and extra-curricular offers provide equal opportunities for all pupils, regardless of gender or ability. Delivering targeted physical activity opportunities specifically designed to build the confidence, social skills, and physical literacy of the young people who need it most.

- With a total of forty young people competing in local inter-school Football, Basketball, Table Tennis, and Pool competitions this year, we are extremely proud of our pupils for their dedication to all aspects of school sport.

As part of our application, we were asked to fulfill criteria in the areas of participation, competition, workforce and clubs, and we are pleased that the hard work of everyone at our school has been rewarded this year.

We look forward to applying once again in 2027!