

PE & Sport Teaching Assistant

Sinn Kaye

"Sinn Kaye completed our PE and Sport Teaching Assistant apprenticeship and secured ongoing employment. He is now planning to go to university and was shortlisted as a finalist for the 2020 London Borough Apprenticeship Awards.



Sinn Kaye is an absolute inspiration to the children at our school. He is a wonderful PE apprentice and encourages staff and children to be the very best they can be in our PE lessons, at clubs and at sporting competitions.

100% of teachers have praised the positive impact he has had this year on the quality of PE provision at our school. 100% of the PE lessons that I have observed have been graded "Good". My lesson observation shows children to be more engaged, more challenged and having more fun than they have been previously. His tutor from the Greenwich Sports Partnership observed him teach and praised the quality of his work. For the first time ever, we were victorious in the Greenwich Sportathon, bringing back medals, a trophy and 30 smiling and very proud children!

Sinn Kaye also organised a school bench ball competition and led the Key Stage 1 sports day. Both were highly successful.

In another role, beyond teaching PE, Sinn Kaye supports two children with speech and language difficulties by following a daily programme of speaking and listening exercises. This is helping them develop speech skills but has also had a massive impact on their confidence and self-esteem. He greets them each morning and sets them up for a positive day.

Beyond his role as a PE coach he has taken on a mentoring role for some of our most vulnerable children, calmly talking them through the decisions they have made and helping them to understand the impact of their behaviour. His kind, calm and professional manner sets an example of excellent behaviour for all our children. He is polite, respectful and always positive – the definition of a true role model."

RBG Headteacher

