

Children's University

Graduation Speech

Summer 2017

Once again, we have massively increased the number of clubs available to children throughout the year and there are already plans in place to increase this further. In addition to this, the number of children participating is still increasing year after year. 58 of our children are graduating this year, which is an amazing achievement!

We have the many more children joining clubs. Every single person from Year 6 is graduating this year which is fantastic, and many more of Key Stage 1 are also participating. We have continued to improve our success in sporting competitions this year. We have attended many competitions this year. We have had many school football matches with other local schools, cricket, rugby, speed stacking competitions and much more! We have so many clubs going on at All Saints, from choir, to cooking, to irish dancing and table tennis! As well as all of the other fantastic sports.

Partly due to participation levels, we have managed to maintain our Bronze PE award this year, and hope to get Silver next year. One of our biggest improvements this year has been our partnership with the Widnes Vikings. Widnes Vikings rugby coaches provide class rugby sessions twice a week, as well as after school club, and many events for the children. Our Year 6 rugby team got to play before the Widnes vs Leigh game this month, as well as holding the flags on Sky TV! This partnership will continue next year with even more opportunities developing our fitness too with the Vikings coaches.

Children's University has really laid the foundations for sport and extra-curricular clubs, and the emphasis on attending the graduations has become a real goal for most of our children— some didn't even realise they had collected so many hours! It is fantastic to see the year-upon-year improvements! A massive well done should go to those children and their parents for supporting them as well as the staff in school who make all of the clubs and learning opportunities available to them! We are very proud and can't wait to continue to develop next year too.