Going for Gold!

We are delighted to announce that we, Sandgate School, have achieved the School Games Gold Mark Award for the 2024/25 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:
Making the northwest regional finals for 10 pin bowling
Competing in regional Boccia tournaments
Playing in inter school Boccia matches
3rd in The Hervey Cup cross country team event at KS4
4th in The Hervey Cup cross country team event at KS3
Pupils have achieved 60 active minutes across the school day
Laura Burnham and staff have embedded the use of MOVE, a programme is an activity-based practice that enables young people with disability to gain independent movement.
Students have been awarded certificates in MOVE and MATP throughout the year
Achievements have been recognised through the Skills showcase celebrations.

With a number young people competing in local inter-school competitions this year, we are extremely proud of our pupils for their dedication to all aspects of school sport, including those young volunteers, leaders and officials who made our competitions possible.

As part of our application, we were asked to fulfil 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 2026!

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