

Eastlea Primary has retained the School Games GOLD Kitemark for 2014-15

Eastlea Primary in Cramlington has again been awarded the GOLD kitemark for School Games in 2014-15, retaining the award for the second year running. This award recognises a schools' commitment to the delivery of school sport and competition and is a fantastic achievement for Eastlea who are the only school in Cramlington to win the award for the second year running.

At the Cramlington and Seaton Valley Sports Awards evening in November, the following information about the school was shared by Gill Marsden and Marie-Anne Dowson before the presentation of the gold plaque, pennant and framed certificate:

Eastlea Primary School were the first school in Cramlington to achieve the Gold Award in 2013-14, and this has been maintained for a second year. Eastlea fully embrace the School Sport programme and value the range of experiences to be gained by their pupils taking part. For a small school, they take part in a wide range of competitions, often entering more than one team so more pupils have a chance to take part. Every year group attended sports festivals, they offer their pupils a year-round programme of extra-curricular activities and additional activities such as The Greggs Cancer Run and Bikeability. Last year they quickly filled all of their places on the Top-Up Swimming, with pupils making great progress over the week. They empower the pupil voice through their Sports Council and have an established programme of Sports Leadership in Year 6, and their leaders were chosen to accompany the Sporting Champion at the Northumberland School Games Finals. Many congratulations to Eastlea Primary School!!!