

Sport in



Cookstown Primary School



Education and Culture DG

Lifelong Learning Programme

Hockey



Hockey is a very popular sport in our school that is played during PE lessons and as a club after school. We have a boys' and a girls' team who participate in many tournaments and who have been very successful over the last 10 years. We also are very lucky to have access to two hockey pitches, a sand based one and a new water based one.

Netball



Our school has a very good girls' netball team. They practice after school every Monday and play in lots of tournaments. They also have been quite successful.

Killowen Trip



Every year our two P.6 classes go on a 4 day residential trip to Killowen Outdoor Education Centre. During their time at Killowen they get the opportunity to take part in activities such as rock climbing, abseiling, canoeing, rope traversing and orienteering etc. It is so exciting!!

Orienteering



The P5's have recently participated in an orienteering competition that was organised around the grounds of our school. It was great fun!

P.E



We have P.E. lessons in school at least once a week. We play games and learn new skills. In P.E. we do dance, gymnastics, games, swimming, and athletics.

Football



Football is probably the most popular sport in our school as it is played at breaktime, lunchtime and is also an after school activity. Our football team have also be very successful over the last 10 years. An Irish F.A. coach is teaching football skills to the P3 and P4 classes as part of their P.E. programme this year.

Sports Day



Every year our school has a sports day when we get the chance to take part in different competitive and novelty activities. These include the sprint, relay race, long distance, egg and spoon race, hoop race and a few others. We even have races for our parents and a relay race where the parents compete against the pupils. It is very funny!

