# Physical Education at Bateman Primary School

Term One 2023

**Greetings!** This is my second year as Bateman's official Phys Ed Teacher. I had the pleasure to teach sport all throughout the rollercoaster year that was 2022. I am excited to build on everything the students and myself have learnt from the previous year. My focus on sport is making sure students give each sport and activity a go, ensuring students are challenging themselves with new skills and most importantly having fun.

Our Phys Ed lessons are centred around Moving, Learning and Understanding goals. Each term will focus on new goals and new skills

For the Junior School (year1/2), Term One will be all about learning and exploring fundamental movements skills. The term will start of with gymnastic movements focusing on fundamental movements, balance, mobility and small group activities. Term One will end with introducing throwing and catching activities.

For Middle (Year 3/4) and Senior (5/6) students, we will be introducing and learning modified versions of Lacrosse and Tennis. Lacrosse is a game that allows students to develop skills in throwing, catching, defending and working as a team. The focus with Tennis will be around introducing the forehand strike. We will also have a focus around improving our roles within sport.

#### **Please Remember To**

- Bring a Bateman Primary School Hat
- Water Bottle
- Sunscreen (If allergic to the schools)
- Sport shoes (No thongs, sandals, crocs)
- Bring a smile

# **Term 1 Events**

- Interschool Lacrosse: 28/3 Week 9
- Swimming lessons weeks 9-10

### How to contact me

I am based in the Science Room and am here early in the morning and late after school. My door is always open for parents and students if they would like to discuss anything.

If you have any questions and concerns regarding your child's progress, please let me know. The best way to reach is by email or by seeing me in person.

My email is stipe.kapovic@education.wa.edu.au

## **Swimming Trials/Carnival**

Unfortunately, due to Naplan testing and our swimming lessons taking place from weeks 7-10, we will have to postpone the swimming trials/carnival to sometime early-mid term 2. Currently Booragoon Leisure centre only can slot in schools week 1-2 or 7-8. Neither of these two options would work

#### **Modcrosse Tourney**

For our Year 5/6 parents - Bateman will be participating in the 2023 Modcrosse Tourney and looking to win it for the 3<sup>rd</sup> straight year. Trials for Div 1/2 will begin in week 3. Students that make the teams will have the opportunity to take place in 1 day tournament in Week 9.