The Good Shepherd Catholic Primary School is proud to have earned the Platinum School Games Mark!

We are delighted to announce that we, The Good Shepherd Catholic Primary School, have achieved the School Games Platinum 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:
Chance to Shine & Steelbacks cricket coaching: Sessions that have nurtured talent but also instilled a love for the game in our students.

Reward Days: The reward days have been an amazing way to motivate and celebrate our students hard work and commitment in sports.

Northampton Saints: Offering girls rugby coaching sessions.

Northampton Town Football Club: Delivering 'Takeover Days' offering football skills sessions and resilience-building workshops.

The 'Pools to Schools' initiative: Every child in school had the opportunity to learn how to swim. The life skills and confidence that come with swimming are priceless.

With our young people competing in local inter-school competitions and events this year. We are extremely proud of our pupils for their dedication to all aspects of school sport, including our Year 3/4 Athletics team who qualified for the county finals this year!

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.

With thanks to our wonderful children and school community for your continued support.

We look forward to applying once again in 2026!

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