

## Congratulations

Orchard Fields Community School has recently been awarded the **Sainsbury's School Silver Games Mark**. The Sainsbury's School Games Mark is a Government led awards scheme launched in 2012 to reward schools for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community. Schools in England are able to assess themselves across bronze, silver and gold levels of the Mark. Through this award children have to receive a minimum of two hours PE a week, they have to have competed in 5 in school competitions and need to have competed in a variety of competitions against other schools. To obtain the Silver award we needed to have a minimum of 525% of our children in an after school sports club, this term has seen a rise in the amount of children attending sports clubs. Next we aim to get the gold award by increasing the involvement of our School Games Organisers, Young Leaders increasing links to local sports club.

