

Platanos College News

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Jack Petchey table tennis facilities

We are delighted in our successful application for the outdoor Table Tennis Donation Scheme through the Jack Petchey Foundation. Platanos College maintains a strong link and partnership with the Jack Petchey Foundation and through this collaboration we have introduced our new table tennis facilities at the school.

There has been a growing interest in table tennis over the past two years which has been evident in participation numbers at the Tuesday extracurricular club. Our pupils expressed a natural affinity for the sport across both key stages and the new facilities serve to extend our ability to cater for pupils' needs. Table tennis is a sport that allows pupils of all ages and gender to compete and improve their skill level based on challenge and playing ability.



Pupils will have the opportunity to use the facilities at various times during lessons and beyond in specialist, extracurricular coaching sessions. This will be the start to our new programme which will see our pupils competing in elite tournaments as part of a long term plan.

