



Primary School PE and Sport Funding 2016-2017

For more information from the Department of Education about Primary School PE and Sport Funding use the following link.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/policies/getting-more-people-playing-sport/supporting-pages/school-pe-and-sport-funding>

What is the Sports Premium?

The Government is continuing to provide funding of £150 million per annum for academic years 2015/2016 to provide substantial primary school sport funding. This funding is being jointly provided by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport, and will see money going directly to primary school headteachers to spend on improving the quality of sport and PE for all children.

The sport funding can only be spent on sport and PE provision in schools.

Purpose of Funding

Schools will have to spend the sport funding on improving their provision of PE and sport, but they will have the freedom to choose how they do this.

Possible uses for the funding include:

- Hiring specialist PE teachers or qualified sports coaches to work alongside primary teachers when teaching PE
- New or additional Change4Life sports clubs
- Paying for professional development opportunities in PE/sport
- Providing cover to release primary teachers for professional development in PE/sport
- Running sports competitions, or increasing participation in sport
- Buying good quality assured professional development modules or materials for PE/sport
- Providing places for pupils on after school sports clubs and holiday clubs

How will we be spending the Sports Funding and who will benefit?

The Governors agree that the money must be used so that : all the children benefit regardless of sporting ability; that the most able children are given the opportunity to compete in inter-school tournaments; that staff have access to training opportunities and continued professional development.

The table below shows how we intend to spend the sport funding during 2016-2017

Sports Coaching
We have continued to employ a Sports Coach to work with each class from YR – Y2 for an hour each week from September 2016
Pupils should be taught to;
<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Travel with, send and receive a ball and other equipment in different waysb. Develop these skills for simple net, striking/fielding and invasion type gamesc. Play simple competitive net, striking/fielding and invasion type games that they and others have made, using simple tactics for attacking and defending
We have employed a Dance Teacher to work with each class for two half terms each over the academic year from September 2016

Staff will continue with training to teach gymnastics in line with the National Curriculum:

Pupils should develop fundamental movement skills, become increasingly competent and confident and access a broad range of opportunities to extend their agility, balance and coordination, individually and with others. They should be able to engage in competitive (both against self and against others) and co-operative physical activities, in a range of increasingly challenging situations.

Pupils should be taught to:

- a. master basic movements including running, jumping, throwing and catching, as well as developing balance, agility and co-ordination, and begin to apply these in a range of activities

Hiring qualified coaches to work alongside teachers when teaching PE

The school has used the sports coach to deliver lessons alongside the staff. Not only have the children benefited from being taught by specialist staff, but our own staff will be developed through sharing good practice