

Sports Grant Funding

Most schools with primary-age pupils receive the PE and sport premium.

What is the Sports Premium?

The Government is providing funding of £150 million per annum for academic years 2013/14 and 2014/15 to provide new, 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 their 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 sport clubs
- paying for professional development opportunities in PE/sport
- providing cover to release primary teachers for professional development in PE/sport
- running sport competitions, or increasing participation in the school games
- buying quality assured professional development modules or materials for PE/sport
- providing places for pupils on after school sport clubs and holiday clubs.

Spending the Sports Grant Funding

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

The Governors agree that the money must be used in our pursuit of excellence for all children: every child will benefit from additional opportunities; our most able children will be given further opportunities which will enable them to benefit from subject specialist high level coaching; in addition staff will have access to training opportunities and continued professional development.

In 2015-2016 we received £ 21715.

The following shows how we spent the sports funding during 2015-2016.

Activities	Cost
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gymnastics coaching for all children in years 1 and 2. 	£715
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dance support for Hip hop in Year 1, and Production in Yr 3 Chinese Dance Workshop Infant School 	No charge £360
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cricket and tennis coaches for specialist teaching, staff CPD and after school clubs 	£1680 cricket £925 estimated for tennis
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fee for joining local co-ordinated sports hub which gives access to CPD for staff, resources to support lessons and tournament opportunities. 	£3130
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Comprehensive scheme of planning for PE across the school Supply cover to release teachers for sport activities <p>All teachers have received in-house training to improve the quality of lessons in PE</p>	£695 £785

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Junior school swimming pool – new heater • Training for swimming teachers <p>Swimming is part of the National Curriculum. Before children leave our school it is expected that they are able to swim at least 25m. Sports funding has allowed us to ensure that parents do not have to pay/subsidise for the extra staffing required to facilitate small group teaching. The pool is open for ten weeks a year and every child in the Juniors should receive a minimum of fourteen lessons each year.</p>	<p>£3400</p> <p>£1200</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transport costs to allow children to attend tournaments. 	<p>£1035 estimated</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional coaches and wide variety of alternative sports providers during Sports Week 	<p>£4000 estimated</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outdoor soft play area Year 1 • Various playground markings at the Junior school • Small sports equipment ie skipping ropes 	<p>£4645</p> <p>£2219</p> <p>£94</p>