

Sport PE (Sports Premium) Funding Report: July 2015

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 sees money going directly to primary schools to spend on improving the quality of sport and PE for all their children. Our school receives on average £8000 per school year for this activity. The sport funding can only be spent on sport and PE provision in schools.

How has this funding benefited Joseph's Catholic Primary School pupils during 2014/15?

The Governors have determined that the funding must be used so that:

- All pupils benefit regardless of sporting ability
- All children benefit from increased access to extra-curricular activities
- All pupils benefit from access to new lunchtime sports activities
- That the whole school take part in extra-curricular activities that improve self-confidence and teamwork
- That staff have access to training opportunities and continued professional development so that
- PE expertise remains in the school after funding has completed.

In the academic year 2014 to 2015, we used our primary sports funding to:

- Deliver effective professional development to staff on areas that they identified as areas where additional training was required
- Promote PE and Sport at playtimes
- Purchase equipment for PE lessons to develop the curriculum offered
- Release the PE leader from the classroom to manage the funding, to assess the quality of PE teaching and to organise enrichment activities
- Release teachers and TAs to take children to additional enrichment sporting events
- Pay staff to run a 'Change for Life Club'
- Subsidise the cost of some after school clubs to allow more children to participate in sport
- Train the PE leader

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A summary of how we spent our sports premium and its impact in school			
Area of Focus	Actions	Funding	Costing
<i>Increase participation rates in PE activities as games, dance, gymnastics, swimming and athletics</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CPD opportunities given to staff focusing on delivering gymnastics curriculum led by PE leader (support for 2 teachers x 5 sessions) • Purchase of new wall bars for school hall to enhance gymnastics provision • Provide additional qualified teacher for swimming (2 hours per week) • Provide targeted dance sessions for Y5 children resulting in performance at Easter (release of specialist teacher) • Provide Pilates' taster sessions for all classes (1 per class) leading to launch of 'club' • Staff CPD – 2 members of staff to Cricket training (1 X L2 cricket course) • PE lead CPD – attending regional PE Conference at Bournemouth University 	£4500	Staff more confident in the delivery of gym sessions; wall bars used to enhance PE sessions; staff training in cricket enabled success in girls' cricket competition; greater number of children participating in swimming sessions.
<i>Extend opportunities to engage in extracurricular activities</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fund a range of extra-curricular clubs for pupils (e.g. girls' cricket; gymnastics; football) • Provide a gifted and talented gymnastics club for pupils led by PE lead (1 session per week) • Provide a range of new experiences for pupils (e.g. Y ball club) • Bronze ambassador training enabling 4 students to develop 'sports leadership' skills and lead activities at school 	£3000	Greater range of clubs in place. Summer term 226 children attended extracurricular activities at 13 different clubs which was an increase on Autumn provision.
<i>Extend participation and success in competitive school sports</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide transport to school sport events (mini bus plus driver) • Participate in a greater range of sporting activities (swimming gala; football fixtures; golf; netball; cricket). • Attend Dorset school games 	£1000	Transport enabled a greater amount of children to participate in competitions. The school attended 38 fixtures throughout the year; 12 football; 7 cricket; 6 netball; 13 'other' which included swimming, orienteering, golf, tennis, tag rugby
<i>Provide an inclusive physical education curriculum</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enable more pupils to engage in inter school sporting opportunities (e.g. targeted disadvantaged children attended festival at St Edwards) • Deploy students specialising in 'Sport' to support PE lessons 	£100	Greater amount of adults in taught sessions resulting in greater participation of children in lessons
<i>Maintain and develop partnership with other schools and local partners</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase partnership with St Mary's leading to inter school netball tournament • Participated in Dorset School Games festival • Link with Dorset Cricket 	-	Dorset CC Coach in school from sept 2015 targeting girls' cricket
<i>Develop links with other subjects that promote overall achievement</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PE teacher released to attend training and meet with Active Dorset lead to coordinate audit of school provision (2 x ½ days) • PE long term plan developed to ensure coverage of NC 	£100	PE long term plan in place. An audit of staff skills indicates areas for development for future training.