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MISSION STATEMENT Believe and Achieve

We are committed to the protection and safety of our pupils and safeguarding is a priority

The Use and Impact of Sports Premium at Abbey Primary School - 2016

General Information: What is the Sports Premium?

The Government has allocated funding to improve the quality of provision of physical education and sport in primary schools for all of our pupils. The funding is ring fenced which means that it can only be spent on PE and sport provision in school.

We are held accountable for how we have used the additional funding to support pupils progress and participation in PE and school sport. We are required to publish on-line information about how we have used the additional funding, including details about our sporting provision alongside curriculum details. This will ensure that parents/carers and others are made fully aware of the PE and sporting provision at Abbey Primary School.

Purpose of funding

Schools can only 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, paying for professional development opportunities for sport, running sport competitions, or increasing participation in school games, purchasing sports resources & equipment, providing places for pupils on after school sport clubs and holiday clubs.

How this funding is being used at Abbey Primary School:

See Sports Premium action plan, on school website

Our Rationale: At Abbey Primary we feel it is important to encourage pupils to lead healthy and active life styles. We want to enhance the quality of teaching and learning of physical education at Abbey, making the best use of resources to enhance our PE provision in order to raise participation and achievement for all pupils.

Principles:

Gifted & Talented Provision: The most able children are given the opportunity to compete in tournaments with other schools, or across the local authority, where possible

Inclusion: Some activities may be subsidised so that pupils do not miss out due to financial constraints. All children benefit regardless of sporting ability.



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Partnerships: We try and make use of collaborative ways of working with our local cluster of schools in Bloxwich and Blakenall.

Training: Staff access training opportunities and continued professional development.

Sports Impact

Funding in 2015-16 is targeted to increase participation in sport by extending PE and Sport opportunities as follows:-

Providing places for pupils in after school sports clubs

A variety of additional clubs were provided in Spring and Summer 2016, including Zumba dance, Futsil, Archery and gymnastic clubs. We also made available a football club to younger pupils. The numbers of pupils engaged in sport increased, with many pupils trying different sports for the first time

Increasing participation in school sport and setting up new after-school clubs

A log is kept of all of the pupils that take part in the different activities that they take part in after-school. This ensures that we can monitor participation in extra-curricular school sports. Each year we strive to provide a wider variety of sports to encompass the sporting interests of all learners across the school. The school council recommends sports that they want to see included.

Monitoring and observing lessons

Funding was set aside for staff to watch swimming coaches and the sports coaches. Planning and lesson observations were made in order to improve provision. From Autumn 2016 a new more experienced teacher and P.E. co-ordinator took over the role.

Providing opportunities for children to compete (i.e. in tournaments and fixtures between the local cluster primary schools) Although limited, some attendance was made at a wider local authority level.

The purchase of sporting equipment and resources

Sainsbury's vouchers was utilised to boost our school resources throughout the school for lunchtime equipment in particular.

Hiring qualified sports coaches to work alongside teachers when teaching PE:

Sports plus continue to support provision on P.E. in school

Who is responsible for managing this and delivering a quality sports and P.E programme?

Mr Grocott was the PE Co-ordinator in 2015-16. Mrs Crookes took over this position in September 2016. She ensures that the PE curriculum is fit for purpose and matched to the needs of our pupils. Miss Thorpe is our qualified Sports Coach responsible for delivery of PE. The pupils in KS1 and KS2



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take part in 2 hours of physical activity each week working through a challenging curriculum appropriate for all abilities.

How we monitor the impact of this funding:

The school monitors both the physical development and engagement levels of pupils through:-

- Teacher observation, assessment of PE and quality assurance measures.
- Pupil 100% attendance and maximum take-up at school sports Clubs
- School council and pupil voice
- Participation and achievement in school sporting events
- Improved attitudes, well-being and raised self esteem
- Improved behaviour at Lunch-time of pupils actively engaging in sport

The school will maximise opportunities for both in school and out of school sporting competitions. The results of the competitions will be shared via the website & school newsletter.

For further information on the Sports Premium Funding please click here for the Department of Education link to the Primary School's Sports Funding page:

<http://www.education.gov.uk/schools/adminandfinance/financialmanagement/b00222858/primary-school-sport-funding/Primary>



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