



Dewhurst St Marys Primary School

Dream, Believe, Achieve

What is the Sports Premium?

The government is providing additional funding of £150 million per year since 2103, in order to improve the provision of physical education (P.E.) and sport in primary schools. This funding (provided jointly by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport) has been allocated to all primary schools. The provision of this ring-fenced funding is specifically there to make additional and sustainable improvements to the quality of PE and sport schools offer.

Purpose of the funding

Schools must spend the additional funding on improving their provision of P.E. and sport, but they will have the freedom to choose how they do this. The funding must however be used to enhance, rather than maintain existing provision and that improvements must be sustainable in the long term.

Since September 2013, we have been held accountable over how we spend our additional ring-fenced funding. Ofsted will check this and make sure that it is strengthening the coverage and provision of P.E. and sport throughout the school.

Possible uses for the funding might include:

- Hiring specialist P.E. teachers or qualified sports coaches to work alongside primary teachers when teaching P.E.
- Supporting and engaging the least active children through new or additional clubs.
- Paying for professional development opportunities for teachers in P.E. and sport.
- Providing cover to release primary teachers for professional development in P.E. and sport.
- Running sport competitions, or increasing pupils' participation in School Games.
- Buying quality assured professional development modules or material for P.E. and sport.
- Providing places for pupils on after school sports clubs and holiday clubs.
- Providing further opportunities for gifted and talented children.
- Pooling the additional funding with that of other local schools.

How we have been using the funding at Dewhurst

Actions	Impact
<p>Employing specialist P.E. teacher to teach P.E. from reception to year 6 as PPA cover. (Employed sport leader at Easter 2013.)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quality lessons provided to ensure all children have a rich and broad P.E. curriculum. • Increased participation in P.E. and sports clubs, during and after school. • Support to staff e.g. staff meetings, team teaching, observations etc. • Monitoring and assessment. • Provision of more extra-curricular clubs. (For example; Tag rugby, football, athletics, speed stacking, multisport / multiskills, cricket, swimming, table tennis) • Organised competitive / inclusive whole school themed sports days, healthy living assemblies and sport relief days. • The running of intra and inter-school sports teams; Tag rugby, boys and girls football, mixed cross country, sports hall athletics, speed stacking, Tri golf, Kwik-cricket, swimming, district sports, multi-sport festivals, bell boating. • Organised coaching from the 'Chance to Shine' cricket charity. • Forging links with local secondary schools. • Cheshunt school; use of sports leaders, facilities for athletics and swimming clubs during P.E. lessons and afterschool clubs. • Goffs School; sport leader lead activities and festivals. • Introducing new inclusive sports, such as Goal ball and Boccia. • To promote healthy living and lifestyles. • To encourage and promote G and T pupils. • With assistance from the head, implemented the new flapjack healthy snack scheme at break times. • Developed a healthy lunch box leaflet, which was given out to the whole school.
<p>Hiring of specialist sports coaches.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To provide after-school clubs for pupils providing access to high quality sport/coaching. • The hiring of a specialist sports coach to run activities every lunchtime. • Gymnastic coach to run an afterschool gymnastics club for years 1 and 2. • Hiring of specialist Netball coach. • Sports coach (A10 active) to run the Change4Life club, aimed at pupil premium children and other target children. • The very popular after school Karate club. • Foundation sports afterschool fun football club. • Working alongside the 'Charlotte Dove' dance charity in providing specialist instructors for the street dance and ballet clubs. • Allsorts healthy eating and cookery club.
<p>Cover for sport leader</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Release time for CPD. (See below) • To take children to different events / activities.
<p>New P.E. equipment</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To provide more opportunities within lessons.
<p>Subscribing to the WDPSSA (Waltham Cross district primary schools sports association)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opportunities for children to take part in football and netball leagues and cups. Tag rugby, cricket, speed stacking, cross country, rounders, swimming and athletics competitions.
<p>Whole school activity sessions.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skip to be fit. • Box to be fit. • Exposing children to a variety of sports. • Sport relief fundraising and activity day.
<p>A10 Active opportunities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Giving children the opportunity to take part and compete in a variety of sports and activities. For example: Inter-primary football and netball. Tri-golf, tag rugby, indoor athletics, Gifted and Talented days, • Sports meetings and CPD sessions.

CPD in P.E.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sport leader on The FA level 1 football coaching qualification. (2013-2014) • Sport leader on a Change4Life CPD. (2013-2014) • Sport leader on the Matalan Topps sport CPD. (2013-2014) • Sport leader on Level 1 Basketball course. (2014-2015) • Sport leader on Level 2 Dodgeball course. (2015) • Sport leader on Deaf awareness course. (2016) • Sport leader on the annual Herts sports partnership Primary PE and sports conference. (2014,2015 and 2016)
Move it Project with Foundation Sports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase knowledge and understanding of physical activity, diet and nutrition. • Help children and families in maintaining good health.
Hiring of a Net ball coach Through Foundation Sports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specialist Netball coach to work alongside staff in running the netball club. • To coach netball during PE alongside the year 4, 5 and 6 class teachers. • To offer specialised and expert coaching and to try an increase participation.
Fitness Trail	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A selection of different fitness equipment that the children are able to use during break, lunch and PE times. • Each class was given an initiation lesson by the school PE teacher. • A rota system has been worked out during break times due to the popularity of the equipment.
Allsorts cooking club	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To teach children about healthy eating. • They also try different foods and take information as well as the food home with them.
Family cooking sessions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As part of the healthy school initiative, families are invited into school to take part in in cooking lessons.
'Danceacise' dance mats and resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The purchase of 30 'Danceacise' dance mats. These will provide a fantastic resource to help teach dance and fitness. This resource will be used in class PE sessions, lunchtime and afterschool clubs and even during wet lunch and break times.
Potential use of the funding in the future	
Possibility to pay for children to take part in paid extracurricular clubs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pupil premium children, given opportunities to take part in activities they wouldn't normally be able to e.g. Street dance, ballet, change4life, gymnastics, karate and football.
Possible membership to the youth sports trust.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support • Resources • CPD opportunities
Possible membership to Herts Sports Partnership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CPD opportunities • Sports and club links • Information exchange • Resources
Trips to sporting events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To showcase top level sports and inspire children's participation. • Possible trip for the boys and girls football squads to visit Harlow town football club.
Future workshops	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children to experience and become engaged in a variety of different sports. • KZ Bollywood dance workshop. • Future STOMP DANCE workshop.