



St Mary's RC Primary

Sport Funding 2016 – 2017

Rationale:

At St Mary's we promote a high quality and enjoyable physical education programme as we understand that this is a vital part of a child's development. Through both curriculum and extra curriculum activities we aim to ensure that each child's physical confidence and skills encourage and enable them to lead healthy lifestyles. Through the curriculum we offer the children will have the opportunities to compete both against themselves and others, in order to build self-confidence, resilience and a sense of fair-play. The curriculum is designed to enable all children to participate including those who are more able, as well as those with additional needs. The P.E. and Sports premium has been used and will continue be used to promote and develop these aims, as well as support teaching staff in their continuous professional development.

Financial Statement

During the financial year 2016-17 it is anticipated that the schools will be allocated a further £8,870. Using the premium the following provision for children and continuous professional development for teaching staff has been actioned. This provision and CPD will continue into the financial year 2017 = 2018.

Actions Taken:

- Review of P.E. and Sport provision with support from South Tyneside School Games and the REAL programme.
- Review and development of Extra Curricular P.E. provision to promote healthy lifestyles.
- All teachers are linked with professional coaches as part of the REAL programme which will enable them to improve confidence and skills. All teachers will work alongside the coaches and to reflect on how they might improve their own practice.
- Our Sports Leaders programme in Year 5/6 provides training for the children to enable them to develop leadership skills and coach younger children.
- All children have the chance to participate in competitive sport at an appropriate level. Extra funding has enabled us to increase the opportunities available by subsidising transport accessing outward bound activities for years 5 and 6. A variety of teams compete against other schools including: football, rugby, sports hall athletics, basketball, hockey, cricket.

Successes 2015-16:

- Our children in Year 6 had the opportunity to participate in an outward bound residential. This five day residential incrementally develop the children's outward bound skills and gave them life enhancing opportunities. No child is prevented from attending as a result of finance.
- A cycling club was set up following the instalment of the pump track and the children cycled 60 miles with and overnight stay in Consett. Our caretaker qualified as a cycle lead to enable him to lead sessions next academic year.
- The sporting side of the school continues to excel.

We know that the exceptionally high sporting achievement supports our academic achievements.

Expected Outcomes / Impact 2016-17:

- Maintain high academic attainment across all key stages
- Improved fitness and ability to make healthy lifestyle choices
- Needs of all children met through precise and well informed teaching
- Increased participation and provision all pupils with strong pathways for more able sporting pupils
- Strong wider provision across the school
- Improved continuous professional development for teaching staff