

Sports Premium Evaluation of Effectiveness– Fairfield Primary School

Academic Year 2022-2023

Vision for the Primary PE and Sport Premium

ALL pupils leaving primary school **physically literate** and with the **knowledge, skills and motivation** necessary to equip them for a **healthy, active lifestyle** and **lifelong participation** in physical activity and sport

The funding has been provided to ensure impact against the following **OBJECTIVE:**

To achieve self-sustaining improvement in the quality of PE and sport in primary schools. It is important to emphasise that the focus of spending must lead to long lasting impact against the vision (*above*) that will live on well beyond the Primary PE and Sport Premium funding.

It is expected that schools will see an improvement against the following 5 key indicators:

1. the engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity – kick-starting healthy active lifestyles
2. the profile of PE and sport being raised across the school as a tool for whole school improvement
3. increased confidence, knowledge and skills of all staff in teaching PE and sport
4. broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils
5. increased participation in competitive sport

At Fairfield Primary School, we have prioritised school sports by employing a specialist PE teacher to deliver lessons and staff training. We also buy into the local sports partnership so that we can access further support, CPD, and competitive events. We spend more on providing a high-quality sports offer than we receive in Sports Premium Funding. We go beyond the National Curriculum and have developed our own curriculum that not only addresses progression in skills etc. but also seeks to develop children's key personal, social and leadership attributes

Details of Sports Premium Funding

Sports Premium funding for the academic year 2022-2023: £19,500

(No funding was carried over from the previous year as we spent more than our allocated amount in 2021-2022)

Information on Swimming

Swimming is an important skill and can encourage a healthy and active lifestyle. All Local Authority schools must provide swimming instruction either in key stage 1 or key stage 2. The [programme of study for PE](#) sets out the expectation that pupils should be taught to:

- swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres
- use a range of strokes effectively [for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke]
- perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations.

Our children go swimming in Years 3, 4 and 5. They have a two-week block every year and, until swimming lessons were halted by the pandemic, these lessons were very effective in teaching children to swim. Swimming lessons restarted this year (although they were subject to some significant disruption this year due to high levels of Covid-19 in school).

Swimming and Water Safety (current Year 6 pupils – academic year 2022-23 – based on performance in swimming as self-reported by Year 6)	Please fill out all of the below:
• What percentage of your current Year 6 pupils can swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 20 metres by the end of last academic year?	70%
• What percentage of your current Year 6 pupils can use a range of strokes effectively [for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke] to swim a distance of at least 25 metres by the end of last academic year?	75%
• What percentage of your current Year 6 pupils can perform a safe self-rescue in different water-based situations?	75%
• Schools can choose to use the primary PE and sport premium to provide additional provision for swimming but this must be for activity over and above the national curriculum requirements. Have you used it in this way?	No

Effectiveness and Sustainability of Sport Premium Funding (academic year 2022-23)

Amount	Description	The effect of the premium on pupils' PE and sport participation, attainment and promotion of healthy lifestyles	How will we make these improvements sustainable?
£2,348	Membership of School Sports Partnership	<p>This gives access to numerous sporting events, CPD and competitions for children across KS1 and KS2. The school takes part in numerous competitions and our children are successful (over 70% of our local cluster finalists for the 2022 athletics were from Fairfield)</p> <p><u>In July 2023, we were given the Platinum Level Award from the Schools Games Mark in recognition of our commitment to school sports.</u></p> <p><u>In July 2023 we won Active school of the year</u></p>	We will continue to participate in our local Sports Partnership as we value the opportunities for CPD and access to a wide range of activities and sporting competitions that it provides.
£1,000	Costs for staff overtime/cover to enable children to access sporting events	To ensure that children can access the sporting activities and competitions available through the School Sports Partnership, we often have to provide additional cover – without this, the children would not be able to go. We always seek to send our staff who have a PE specialism with children attending sporting events so that they can use their expertise to support the children and staff back in school with lessons learnt from the experience.	We will continue to commit time and resources to enabling children to participate in competitive sports.
£22,165	Costs for specialist PE teacher to provide additional PE	50% of total cost of PE teacher allocated to Sports Premium. This enables children to access additional PE lessons and provides on-site CPD for all staff. PE teaching is a strength of the school and children develop excellent skills/show excellent progression across school.	<p>Staff will use and share the skills that they have developed through CPD.</p> <p>Our PE teacher will also support local schools through sharing is expertise delivering</p>

	(and CPD for teachers)		<p>example lessons, and offering curriculum planning advice.</p> <p>We have a bespoke PE curriculum that not only focuses on the progression of skills needed to be successful, but also helps develop children's personal attributes and characteristics to enable them to be successful sportspeople and leaders in all areas of life.</p> <p>Children also undertake leadership training as part of their PE curriculum to enable them to deliver PE activities to other children (e.g. at break times).</p> <p>Our children enjoy PE and being active and they enjoy sharing their skills with others through leadership tasks. These skills are portable and will equip our children to enjoy an active life into the future.</p>
£1,000	Travel costs (for competitive sports and sports taster/access sessions)	Actual costs are likely to have been a little higher than the amount budgeted for due to the huge increase in transport costs this year.	The school has a commitment to competitive sports and will continue to use funding to enable large numbers of children participate. This academic year so far, our school teams have enjoyed significant success across a wide range of sports.
£26,535	Total		