

Sports Premium Funding – Looking Forward

From April 2021, Heron Way Primary School has received £8,167 from, PE and Sport Premium, to improve PE and Sport Provision with a further £11,433 to come later in the year. We also have a carry forward of £7305 from the previous year due to the impact of COVID on our teaching etc. With 417 children on roll, this money can be used to have an impact on their physical activity, PE lessons and sport participation and attainment throughout the year.

The majority of the Sports Premium Funding will again be used to employ a specialist sports coach. As seen in previous years, there was a significant rise in the children's health and wellbeing, as well as a vast improvement in their attitudes towards physical education due to this support. This year we are changing how our specialist sports coach is used and this will be detailed later in the document.

Below illustrates the range of ways we plan to spend the money:

- Employing specialist qualified sports coach.
- Purchasing a PE scheme - The PE Hub
- Being an active member of Horsham and District Primary Schools Activities Association (HDPSAA).
- Significantly raising the profile of PE within our locality through involvement in tournaments (both outside school and hosting here at Heron Way).
- To encourage active play at break and lunch times
- Providing CPD training for staff in PE lessons.
- Ensuring that children are leaving Year 6 meeting the NC requirements

It has been an interesting year for all aspects of school life but I am pleased to say that some normality is returning to sport and PE. We are now back attending outside sports tournaments (although virtual is still an option for some) and we are looking to participate in more than we ever have done. After school clubs will be picking back up again in the Spring Term with staff running some as well as AD running a club a night. We have been able to welcome back many of our outside agencies to run dance clubs too which has been fantastic! It has been brilliant to see teachers and students enjoying PE in the hall on the gym equipment and outside competing in inhouse competitions and we hope this continues throughout the year. Antony Dawson will have a different role within the school for part of his time this year. He is going to be working alongside class teachers and assisting them with their lower and higher attainers. We want to aim to 'close the gap' between some of our groups of children so AD will be able to offer the extra support to those who need it or stretch and challenge those that excel in PE already. Antony and Meg will observe each teacher teaching PE and look at how we use these sessions for the following academic year as well as reflect on the use of the escheme. This year, we are having a big focus on break and lunchtimes to ensure that children are remaining active and using equipment provided to have a worthwhile and enjoyable break; this is so important as this will affect their behaviour and learning when back in the classroom.

Please see our action plan below to see how we plan to spend our funding for the year ahead (April 2021-2022).

Target	Action	Action Date	Monitoring and Evaluating	Funding
To raise the standard of taught PE throughout the school.	Antony Dawson to teach ALL year groups throughout the school for at least 1 session a week. Antony to then support EVERY teacher during PE lessons throughout the year.	April'21 – ongoing	Throughout the year, we will plan opportunities for the children to share their skills through a variety of 'sports days'.	£14,000
	PE Co-ordinator attends termly meetings with Horsham and District Primary Schools Activities Association (HDPSAA) in which training session workshops are provided highlighting new teaching strategies.		Teachers had access to AD in lessons but mostly he is assisting with those specific groups.	£25 per year plus competition fees (HDPSAA Affiliation Fee)
	Purchasing a scheme (The PE Hub)		Ensure PE Co-ordinator has time within staff meetings to share training from workshops attended.	£630 for scheme
			The scheme will allow everyone to have lesson plans, assessment tools and variety of activities to teach their class.	

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To increase opportunities for children to participate in competitive sport.	PE Co-ordinator attends termly meetings with Horsham and District Primary Schools Activities Association, funding for these meetings to take place are from sports budget. These meetings inform schools of upcoming sporting events and costings. Meetings also create a forum for discussing how each school are spending their Sports Premium Funding. Cost of tournament entries are covered by sports funding allowing the children to compete in many more competitions.	April '21- ongoing	PE Co-ordinator to attend a welcome meeting in September and budget meeting in November in which all competitions for the academic year are introduced. (all virtual) As competitions are back, AD and MB are hoping to enter more tournaments in school as well as having tournaments between classes and year groups.	£25 per year for affiliation to HDPSAA Equipment for classes - £1,016 Prices of Tournaments - £1,500 - est.
To place the emphasis on the enjoyment and engagement of ALL our children by helping them to learn and develop at their level.	The range of sports clubs on offer at Heron Way allow the children to build on their enthusiasm from PE sessions within school and continue to develop these skills with specialised coaches.	April'21 - Ongoing	To arrange for specialist sports coaches to visit the children and teach them new skills. Send G&T students on specialised courses. Whole school to join in with Joe Wicks – School Workout for an entire week.	Cost of Sport Coaches-TBC Cost of G&T course- TBC Participating in 'School workout' – FREE!
To encourage active play during break and lunch times To build capacity and capability within the school to ensure that improvements made now will benefit pupils joining the school in future years Looking at adopting an active mile initiative	With break and lunchtimes being just a few year groups, it is so important that the children are being encouraged to be active during these times. Each class has their own set of equipment to use but the addition of the printed playground and daily mile track will add to this. It will encourage children/teachers to get the children outside, in the fresh air and moving which will have a benefit on their learning in the classroom.	Sept '21 - ongoing	Train and timetable play leaders to lead activities on the playground to encourage play. Wanting to increase the size of the lower playground for younger children. As this is a work in process, getting a quote and finalising details is the first job. Once in place, explaining to staff how to use it, putting a timetable in place so that every class is using it throughout the day/week. Conduct a questionnaire at the end of each term for children and staff to see the effectiveness of having it, and could anything be improved for break and lunch times	Playleaders - £135 £9,624 - this quote is being finalised but atm £7500 is current.