

**Primary School PE and Sport
Funding statement 2023-24**

The government is providing additional funding of £150 million per annum to improve provision of physical education (PE) and sport in primary schools. This funding - provided jointly by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport - will be allocated to primary school headteachers. This funding is ring-fenced and therefore can only be spent on provision of PE and sport in schools. This funding has been extended for another two years

The evidence is clear- for many children their daily physical activity levels dropped significantly while schools were closed during the COVID despite children having daily physical activities to complete. This will have resulted in both physical development and fitness deficits. Alongside this we know that young people's emotional wellbeing and mental health has also been affected many are yearning for time with their friends and structure and routine again in their day.

We believe it is more important now than ever for schools to harness the power of play, sport, physical activity, and physical education to help children build back their functional capacity, their belonging and their happiness. However, we are also all too aware of the real and perceived challenges that sit in the way of this; from social distancing and sharing of equipment to managing changing areas.



However, we are committed to ensuring that all children have access to physical activity that not only begins to help them restart their active lives so that they again, begin to experience the benefits of regular exercise- from becoming healthier both mentally and physically, helping them to adjust quickly back into school routines, to improve behaviour and better academic achievement. This will truly support our 'catch up 'recovery plan'.

Purpose of funding



Schools must use the funding to make additional and sustainable improvements to the quality of Physical Education, School Sport, and Physical Activity (PESSPA) they offer. This means that you should use the Primary PE and sport premium to:

- Develop or add to the PESSPA activities that your school already offer
- Build capacity and capability within the school to ensure that improvements made now will benefit pupils joining the school in future years

The Primary PE and sport premium should not be used to fund capital spend projects; the school's budget should fund these. Possible uses for the funding

might include:

- hiring specialist PE teachers or qualified sports coaches to work with primary teachers when teaching PE
- supporting and engaging the least active children through new or additional Change4Life clubs
- paying for professional development opportunities for teachers in PE and sport
- providing cover to release primary teachers for professional development in PE and sport
- running sport competitions, or increasing pupils' participation in the School Games
- buying quality assured professional development modules or materials for PE and sport
- providing places for pupils on after school sports clubs and holiday clubs.

Funding details

Total amount of funding for 2022-2023 to be spent and reported on by 31st July 2022.	£22910 with a carryover of £2600 from 2021-2022 and £4800 from 2022-2023
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Cliftonville Primary School believes passionately in the importance of physical activity and sport; its ability to make a difference to all our children. Through our commitment to ensuring high quality PE in lessons; opportunities for active play at breaks and lunchtimes and structured school sport after school and weekends, we encourage our children to live healthy, active lifestyles where they enjoy and participate in physical activity, they develop the, confidence skills and attributes associated with good sportsmanship and leadership as well as be given opportunities to engage in competitive sport and coaching.

Due to the impact of the COVID pandemic on children's physical and mental wellbeing, we were looking to use our funding to re-establish PE and School Sport at the very heart of what we do.



What are our school's aims?

1. To ensure that every child has high quality PE experiences so that all can live healthy and fulfilling lifestyles both at and beyond Cliftonville Primary School.
2. To provide opportunities for competitive sport for all. We strongly believe in the educational value of training to work as part of a team towards goals, competing according to individual levels of attainment. We promote leadership and teamwork and help pupils develop personally through both winning and losing.
3. To allow pupils the opportunity to experience a wide variety of sports, both team and individual, through the PE and games programmes, so that they are able to enjoy sport for years to come.
4. To identify, nurture and support those individuals who have the talent and ability to progress in their chosen sport to represent the school, district or county. Cliftonville Primary School has an outstanding record of fulfilling this aim in all our major games for both boys and girls including football, netball, sports hall athletics and cross country.
5. To guarantee a legacy by ensuring that all teachers are fully trained in delivering a high-quality PE experience for all pupils.



The sports premium funding also supports our key priorities

- Development of a range of activities to improve participation of our most vulnerable children
- Develop children's leadership qualities
- Increase the range of intra school tournaments across the whole school
- Increase the number of B teams taken to inter school tournaments
- Broaden the range of children taking part in inter and intra school events
- Maintain high quality teaching and learning of PE through the create development scheme
- Ensure all children have access to 2 hours high quality PE and Sport a week – no interventions in PE time.
- Development of dance at KS1 and 2
- Develop and embed PE assessment across the school and have included in the end of year report
- Develop the role of the sports council to have more of a role in sport around the school
- Develop the schools resources, particularly in the KS1 and KS2 play areas
- Clear policy of physical activity and participation for CPS



What are we using our funding for?

Supporting a high-quality PE curriculum



For many years we have used the REAL PE curriculum to drive high quality physical education across the school. This year we are investing in staff training and support with this scheme. REAL PE helps support EVERY child to develop the physical literacy, emotional and thinking skills to



achieve in PE, Sport and life. The unique, child centred approach transforms how we teach PE to include, challenge and support EVERY child



Our school has a long history of a commitment to sports and PE. We have a specific PE teacher and co-ordinator, Mr Doug Holyer who work closely with the Head Teacher, Ms Claire Whichcord who has previously been a Director of Sport at secondary level. We also employ Jamie from Ramsgate FC apprenticeship scheme.

Through this collaboration, Cliftonville Primary School has taken a new emphasis on the importance of high-quality PE in lessons as well as continuing to provide a wide range of opportunities for all to participate in sports clubs and tournaments. The take up of sports clubs (before, during and after school), participation in tournaments and festivals and sports club ambassadors is excellent.

We have also gone into partnership with Ramsgate Football Club and their apprenticeship scheme. Through this scheme we have a first team player- Jamie, running a range of sports activities for all year groups at playtimes and lunchtimes. They will also be running clubs after school as well as interventions with key children- supporting with their learning. The aim is to get more children active, inspire a generation to try different sports and join teams to play both competitive and non-competitive sports.



We are committed to using the government's money to provide a lasting legacy for PE and Sport at Cliftonville Primary School. To achieve this, we are participating in the 'Thanet Super passport' scheme which includes: -

- ✓ Access to termly networking meetings for Thanet PE Leaders
- ✓ Access to the Thanet annual competitions and sports festivals calendar
- ✓ Links with local clubs and coaches
- ✓ Certificates and medals

Examples of our usual provision at our school

- Weekly sport which includes, football, hockey, gymnastics, dance, multi-skills, rounder's, games skills, basketball, speed stacking and athletics
- Football, netball, short-tennis, table tennis, curling, indoor/outdoor games, cross country, sports hall athletics, badminton, dodge ball, hand ball, dance through lunchtime and after school clubs
- Daily access to qualified sports coach- Ramsgate FC apprentice
- Access to competitive sports which include matches, tournaments and festivals through Thanet Passport
- Inter and intra school games
- Swimming for Year 3 and 4 with additional sessions for Year 5 and 6 not meeting 25m standard
- Sign posting pupils to extended school sports activities and clubs outside of school time
- Sign posting pupils to holiday sporting activities- Ramsgate HAF fund using schools facilities
- Celebrating sporting success in and outside school including those sports not taught in school i.e. Sailing
- Annual Sports Day
- Dance activities after school
- All clubs and activities will continue to be run
- Forest School provision developed further around the school
- Pupil leadership reinstated with play leaders
- Bikeability



Swimming

Swimming is part of the National Curriculum. As a school so close the sea, before children leave in Year 6 it is essential that they are able to meet the national curriculum standards: by the end of key stage 2 (age 11), pupils should be taught to swim unaided for a distance of at least 25 metres, using recognised strokes, on their front and back, and demonstrate an understanding of water safety. At Cliftonville Primary School, all children in Year 3 and 4 swim each year to meet the above standards. The children are taught for a term at Hartsdown pool in Broadstairs. Swimming started in 2021-2022 however due to pool closures and lack of alternative facilities we were unable to make up the time lost. The pool remained closed until July 2023. We have now secured additional slots for September 2023-2024 to ensure that all children have the opportunity to 'catch up' which includes Y4-6.

Meeting national curriculum requirements for swimming and water safety. Due to exceptional circumstances priority should be given to ensuring that pupils can perform safe self rescue even if they do not fully meet the first two requirements of the NC programme of study			
	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024
What percentage of your current Year 6 cohort swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres?	40%	37%	
What percentage of your current Year 6 cohort use a range of strokes effectively [for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke]? Please see note above	18%	35%	
What percentage of your current Year 6 cohort perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations?	0%	0%	
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- unable due to closure of pool	No- unable due to closure of pool	

Impact of funding 2022-2023

The Sports premium funding in the year 2022-2023 was spent in order to;

Key indicator 1: The engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity – Chief Medical Officers guidelines recommend that primary school pupils undertake at least 30 minutes of physical activity a day in school

Key indicator 2: The profile of PESSPA being raised across the school as a tool for whole school improvement

Key indicator 3: Increased confidence, knowledge and skills of all staff in teaching PE and sport

Key indicator 4: Broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils

Key indicator 5: Increased participation in competitive sport

The impact of this year has continued to be affected by the COVID pandemic, especially terms 3 and 4. However, the following was achieved.

- All children have access to an inclusive PE curriculum of 2 hours a week
- Whole staff training delivered. PE part of the schools QA processes DH with CW conducted PE QA across all year groups and feedback given to staff well as collated as part of the wider curriculum QA by SLT DH and CW delivered whole staff training on the REAL PE scheme
- Apprentice in school all year running activities for every year group during playtime and lunchtime and after school.
- Term 1-2

Y2 Yoga, 15 Y3/4 Dance, 23 Y4 Basketball, 15 Y5 Football, 20 Y1 Football, 20 Y1/2 Dance, 28 Y4 Tennis, 10 Y2 Football, 22 Y6 Basketball, 20 Y6 Football, 20 Y3 Football, 20 Y3/4 Taekwondo, 14 Y6 Basketball, 13 Y6 Football, 14 Y3 Football, 15 Y3/4 Taekwondo, 14 Y3-6 Sport & Sport Leadership, 18 Y5/6 Dance, 12 Y4 Football, 18, Y5 Basketball, 12 Y5/6 Dance, 18 Y4 Football, 15

- Term 3&4 2

Y3/4 Dance, 11 Y4 Basketball, 7 Y5 Football, 20 Y1 Football, 13 Y1/2 Dance, 30 Y2 Football, 24 Y2 Football, 22 Y5/6 Cricket & Rounders, 12 Y6 Dodgeball, 17 Y6 Football, 15 Y3 Football, 18 Y3/4 Taekwondo, 15 Y5 Basketball, 15 Y3-6 Sport & Sport Leadership, 10 Y5/6 Dance, 12 Y4 Football, 14

- Term 5&6

Y3/4 Dance, 7 Y5 Football, 18 Running Club, 30 Y1 Football, 19 Y1/2 Dance, 30 Y4 Tennis, 10

- 38 different competitive events were participated in Involving 478 chn from y3-6
- HAF clubs run by RFC at all holiday times
- Visitors/ coaches from different activities Tennis, Rugby and Cricket to use the power of sport to raise aspirations and understanding of different sports
- Dedicated website page to PE and School sport including all termly sport reports Regular updates via the schools social media
- Play leaders trained term 3 and 4 and used in terms 5/6
- Member of the Thanet Passport Network