

Sports & PE Grant

Government Statement on PE & Sports Grant

The government has provided additional funding of £450 million per annum over the three academic years 2013 to 2014, 2014 to 2015 and 2015 to 2016 to improve provision of physical education (PE) and sport in primary schools. This funding is provided collaboratively by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport and will be allocated to primary schools based on a lump sum of £8000 plus a premium of £5 per pupil aged 5 to 11 as recorded in the annual school Census each January. This funding is ring-fenced and therefore can only be spent on provision of PE and sport in schools.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/2010-to-2015-government-policy-sports-participation/2010-to-2015-government-policy-sports-participation>

Schools must spend the additional funding on improving their provision of PE and sport, but they will have the freedom to choose how they do this within the parameters set out each year.

Schools are held accountable for the decisions they make through:

- including details of their provision of PE and sport on their website.
- the Ofsted inspection framework will be updated, "so that schools and inspectors know how sport and PE will be assessed in future as part of the school's overall provision".

Henry Chichele Funding 2015-16

For the academic year 2015 to 2016 Henry Chichele will receive **£8890** PE and Sports grant.

How the funds will be used for the academic year 2015-16

We intend to :-

- continue our work with the local cluster; sharing good practice and resources.
- increase the number of children experiencing competitive inter-school sport; particularly targeting children in lower KS2 and KS1.
- employ the services of a specialist gymnastic coach to work alongside two members of staff, one in KS1 and one in KS2, helping them to teach key skills (e.g. forward roll) and extend their ideas for using our apparatus in lessons.
- purchase additional gymnastics equipment with the aim of developing children's control, balance and agility.
- engage our children in 'inter-house' sports events throughout the school year, with particular regard to target groups.

The calendar on the school website bears full testimony of the successes of the investment. Children across all year groups, regardless of ability and previous experience, are participating in an ever increasing number of sporting events.

Henry Chichele Funding 2014-15

For the academic year 2014-15 Henry Chichele received **£8875** PE and Sports grant.

How the funds were used for the academic year 2014-15

- **Specialist Sports coach**

Building on the previous year successes we have engaged the services of the local sports coaches programme for Wellingborough & East Northants schools. We aimed to build on the skills learnt by the pupils during the previous year in core sports such as football, cricket and tag rugby and give greater opportunities to experience a wider range of sports for example, tennis, gymnastics, multiskills. Equipment was purchased to enable staff to teach tennis as part of the PE curriculum. We also worked on building skills to run school teams in these sports and for a greater number of our pupils to enter more competitions this year. Our sport coordinator continued to build networks with other similar sized schools to run specialist competitions or fixtures where our teams successfully competed on a more equal basis and ensured that any disadvantaged pupils are given every opportunity to participate.

- **Focus on the professional development of the staff**

One of the key strands of the sports funding is to develop the skills of our school staff so that the quality of PE and sport that is delivered will be enhanced. We continued to employ a range of qualified sports coaches to work alongside staff to deliver lessons and support planning and delivery of PE. Working in this way teacher confidence and expertise developed and the school continues to benefit in the longer term from high quality planning materials. The school worked with the School Sport co-ordinator, based at The Ferrers School, to develop playtime games utilising our playground markings. As a result, a larger number of pupils, especially in KS1, are now involved in non-competitive intra-school sport (i.e. playing games against fellow HCPS pupils).

Henry Chichele Funding 2013-14

Henry Chichele Primary School was allocated £8,000 plus £5 per pupil aged 5-11: a total of £8845 for the 13/14 academic year.

How the funds were used for the academic year 2013-14

In recognising that learning outside the classroom, in all its forms, significantly raises standards and achievement and enhances young people's motivation and levels of interest, providing real, exciting and enjoyable contexts in which they can respond, behave and learn well. (Ofsted recommend that schools should ensure that their curriculum planning includes sufficient well-structured opportunities for all learners to engage in learning outside the classroom as a key, integrated element of their experience). Henry Chichele Primary wanted to realise sustainability with the initial first two years of funding and used the PE and Sport Grant 2013-14 to enhance the outdoor provision with multi-skills markings and games units. Alongside this the entire staff received CPD Training together with a group of Year six and five children, who became our first active play leaders. These skills are passed down over successive years to encourage all children to take an active part in unstructured periods during the school day.

Planned Expenditure
PE Funding13/14: £8845
Total committed: £9999
Funds remaining: (£1154)