

FUNDING FOR PRIMARY SCHOOL PE and SCHOOL SPORTS 2018-19

The aim of this funding is to improve the Physical Education (PE) and Sports programmes offered by primary schools, and is provided jointly by various governmental departments, including Education, Health and Culture, and Media and Sport. Although the funding will be allocated to primary school head teachers, it will be 'ring fenced' – this means that it can only be spent specifically on PE and sport in schools.

Purpose of funding

Schools must spend the additional funding on improving their provision of PE and sport, though how they do this remains their decision.

This is how Leighton Academy plans to use the funding in 2018-19:

- Hiring a specialist qualified sports coaches to work with pupils across the school and with the staff for CPD with a focus on dance and gymnastics
- Paying for qualified sports coaches to provide after school clubs to develop skills in specific sports as well as providing spaces for children at these clubs both in term time and in the holidays
- Paying for professional development opportunities for teachers in PE and sport
- Increasing pupil participation in inter and intra school sports competitions through running school and community based events, helping to maintain our Sainsbury's School Games Mark platinum award for 2017-18
- Implementing new and innovative ways of engaging all pupils in regular physical activity in line with the Chief Medical Officer guidelines
- Purchasing quality resources to support the delivery of school sports clubs and P.E lessons which will
 also mean that we can run 'active' clubs for whole families in all weather conditions
- Supporting and engaging the least active children through new or additional Change4Life clubs

For the academic year 2018-19, Leighton Academy will be allocated £20,100 of sports funding and this is topped up by funds allocated to PE and school sport within the academy budget. Below you will find a full breakdown of how the sports funding will be allocated and the potential impact of this.

Provision

- PE is taught by class teachers and by our full time PE Instructor. Class teachers who do teach PE lessons will work with the PE Instructor to plan and assess lessons and must take an active supporting role in each PE lesson to ensure effective CPD.
- The school will offer a variety of sports clubs during and after school. These will be run by members of staff, in addition to using outside providers for clubs.
- The school provides a subsidy for children in years 2 to 6 to attend swimming lessons for one block of 6 hourly lessons. Top up swimming sessions are also available to identified year 5 and 6 children to work towards meeting the national curriculum target.
- The school has greatly increased provisions of spare PE kits to ensure all children are taking part in the entire PE lesson.

- Quality resources are continually replaced to ensure the children have access to equipment that is appropriate for competing in level 2 and 3 competitions.
- The school provide funding for transport to and from level 2 and 3 competitions throughout the year.
- Bikeability is delivered to pupils from years 4 to 6 each year.
- The school field has recently been resurfaced with astro turf to ensure it is a suitable surface for all weather conditions. As a result, more PE lessons can be taught outside and break times/lunchtime physical activities can continue in all weathers.

Reporting

• The school reports the use of funding on the school website and shall continue to inform parents of PE provision in newsletters, by text, by letter and on the school website.

Evidence of Impact

PE and Sport Premium Key Outcome Indicator	How this is achieved	Impact
1.The engagement of all pupils in regular physical	All KS1 and KS2 children receive 2 hours PE a week.	The children have access to outstanding first quality teaching in PE.
activity – kick-starting	A variety of engaging physical activities are promoted	
healthy active lifestyles	to ensure playtimes and lunch times are active.	Progress in lessons is excellent as the lessons are taught by highly qualified
	All KS1 and KS2 children have access variety of resources and activities at break and lunchtimes.	teachers.
		Participation in after school clubs is high.
	A wide variety of clubs are on offer every night after	
	school. Some are free teacher-led clubs. In addition, we offer specialist clubs run by outside providers, for a small fee.	Children have the opportunity to be physically active every day (exceeding the 30 minutes minimum guidance encouraged by the government).
	Classes are trialling new innovative approaches to being active, including under-desk pedal and wearing pedometers.	
	The school will be taking part in 'Marathon Kids' as a new whole school fitness initiative for 2018-19.	
2. The profile of PE and sport being raised across the school as a tool for	The profile of PE at Leighton Academy is already extremely high.	The school has been awarded the Sainsbury's School Games Platinum award for 2017-8 which will last for 3 years.
whole school	The PE co-ordinator is a member of the senior	
improvement	leadership team, so can ensure that PE is a development priority across the school.	
	Regular PE updates are uploaded to social media platforms and match reports feature in the school newsletter. This year, this will be planned and written by sports leaders and team captains.	
	Achievements in school sport and outside activities are celebrated regularly in our achievement assemblies.	
3. Increased confidence,	PE lessons are taught by our PE Instructor, specialist	The delivery of PE across the school
knowledge and skills of all staff in teaching PE	coaches and the class teachers who are supported in their planning and delivery.	continues to be of a high standard.

and sport		
4. Broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils	The curriculum overview is written to ensure that children have access to developing a wide range of sports with an opportunity to develop this further.	Across the school, all children have the opportunity to learn a wide variety of sports.
5. Increased participation in competitive sport	All children take part in at least 3 interclass tournaments across the school year at the end of each PE unit. Outside sports coaches run weekly inter class tournaments at lunchtimes.	The school were successful in defending the title in the football autumn league and Timperley Shield for the second year running in 2017-18.
	All of the children in year 2 attend 2 intra agility festivals at South Cheshire College each year.	We attended level 3 competitions in gymnastics, football, athletics, netball and OAA in 2017-18.
	We enter level 2 competitions in at least 8 different sports each year with further opportunity to then proceed to level 3. Termly level 2 cross country competitions are offered to all children in KS2.	