In 2012, as part of the Olympic legacy, the government pledged to provide additional funding to improve the provision of physical education and sport in primary schools. This additional funding is continuing to be awarded to schools and is being jointly provided by the Departments for Education and the Department for Health and Culture and will see money going directly to schools to be spent on improving the quality of sport and PE for all children. This funding has continued to be provided to school to maintain the high levels of sporting provision.

Schools must therefore use Sports Premium funding to make additional and sustainable improvements to the quality of physical education (PE), physical activity and sport a school offers.

## **Funding for 2022/2023**

In the 2022 to 2023 financial year, sports premium funding will be allocated as follows:

- Schools with 16 or fewer eligible pupils receive £1,000 per pupil.
- Schools with 17 or more eligible pupils receive £16,000 and an additional payment of £10 per pupil.

Mereside Primary Academy has been allocated a total of £18,580 (estimated) for pupils in school. This comes in 2 payments throughout the year. Funding is based on data from the school census.

## 1. Overview of the school

Number of Pupils and Sports Premium Grant for 2022-2023	
Total number of pupils on roll not including Nursery	258
Total amount of PPG allocated	£18,580

## 2. Intent and Implementation

Academic Year 2022-23		Date updated	September 2022	Total Allocation – £18,580
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			Percentage of total allocation	
day in school				9%
Intent	Implementation		Measurable predicted Impact	Sustainability / Next Steps
Children have access to appropriate resources to experience and enjoy PE including outdoor play equipment for playtime and lunchtime	Outdoor sports equipment available to all children during playtimes and use is modelled and supported by staff. This is supported by TAs and welfare assistants, dance instructors and sports coaches.	Funding allocated: £1750	All children will have the opportunity to enjoy active playtimes and access appropriate resources.	Review resources and update as necessary. Additional sports staffing is able to support different areas as needed.
Key indicator 2: The profile of PESSPA being raised across the school as a tool for whole school			Percentage of total allocation	
improvement				4%
Children are exposed to a wide range of activities throughout the year additional to the core curriculum offer which continually raises the profile of PESSPA	Subject leader to work closely with Active Blackpool, Blackpool Football club and clubs in the wider community to ensure ALL pupils have the opportunity to engage in a range of activities beyond the core curriculum. PESSPA is promoted through displays in the main learning areas and the school newsletter features examples of pupils engaging is wider opportunities along with signposting to	Funding allocated: £766	ALL key stage one and key stage two pupils will have had the opportunity to engage in extracurricular activities supporting PESSPA over the year. Raising the level of engagement and enjoyment in PESSPA.	Tracking of opportunities and engagement through PE Passport, Subject leader to ensure a wide offer and target those not engaging through pupil voice.

Key indicator 3: Increase	sports clubs within the community. Funding is used to support pupils being able to access activities.  d confidence, knowledge and skills of	all staff in teac	hing PE and sport	Percentage of total allocation
				70%
- PE teacher works alongside Class teachers to plan and deliver activities linked to PE curriculum and to assess effectively using the PE Passport APP -children access good quality sports coaching - school adults receive high quality CPD to enhance their teaching of PE - subject lead works collaboratively with academy schools to continually review and improve school offer	PE teacher in school 1 day a week to work with all classes from Nursery to year 6, timetabled and targetted support from the staff voice completed in 2022.  Dance specialist one afternoon a week to deliver dance curriculum alongside school staff.  Subject lead access PE Passport training in order to support school staff.  Subject lead to lead on Academy wide quality improvement group.	Funding allocated: £13,014	PE lessons will be delivered in a consistent high standard with positive pupil engagement demonstrated through progress recorded on the PE Passport. Class teachers will be able to confidently scaffold pupils learning to ensure curriculum outcomes.	Termly monitoring by SLT and subject lead to identify any ongoing areas of concern which can then be responded to through additional CPD, mentoring and support
Key indicator 4: Broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils			Percentage of total allocation	
				14%
Access to extra-curricular clubs – deliver a range of extra-curricular sports clubs in school including multi-sports, football, Archery, netball etc.	Staff buy in to promote active lifestyles through delivery of extra-curricular clubs. Subject leader to engage offers from Active Blackpool and BFC to enhance our extra-curricular clubs.	Funding allocated: £2550	ALL pupils will have had the opportunity to take part in PESSPA extracurricular clubs free of charge throughout the year.	PE Passport to record engagement and attendance of pupils termly, this will then go with information from pupil and staff voice to ensure

throughout the year which can be offered free of charge to all children	Dance specialist to run extra-curricular clubs throughout the year which target the different key stages. Attendance and engagement to be monitored throughout the year and offer will be adapted to meet the needs and interests of the pupils wherever possible.			at least 90% of pupils are able to engage in at least one half termly extra- curricular club each academic year.
Key indicator 5: Increased participation in competitive sport			Percentage of total allocation	
				3%
Children have access to a comprehensive and regular programme of competitions and festivals for children across the primary age range which enables them to compete against other schools	Working with Active Blackpool, Youth Games organiser and FCAT primaries subject leader will ensure that pupils have access to a wide programme of festivals and competition throughout the academic year. This will be monitored and tracked through PE Passport	£500	School will maintain the Bronze School Games mark and continue to work towards achieving the silver. Children will have the opportunity to represent school in a wide range of different events. Target for school at least 90% of pupils will represent the school in an activity against other schools.	Monitoring to ensure the highest percentage of children are able to engage, subject leader to ensure children have a wide range of opportunities supported by SLT.

By using the Sports Premium in the ways mentioned above Mereside Primary Academy is producing an increasingly skilled team of teachers thereby creating a model which will sustain the effectiveness for the future.

## **Swimming Competency**

Schools must report the percentage of students in year 6 who are classed as being competent, confident and proficient swimmers.

It is a requirement for all schools to provide free swimming sessions for pupils by the end of Key Stage 2. At Mereside Primary Academy, we take swimming very seriously as we feel it is a life-long skill that the children should be able to use recreationally and if ever a situation arose in which they needed to save themselves.

In September all pupils in year 5 and 6 will commence swimming sessions, once KS2 attainment has been achieved then they will stop swimming and have additional PE in school, looking at alternative and additional sports. It is intended that by February half term all pupils will have achieved the expected standard and at this point pupils from year 4 will start swimming. Those pupils yet to achieve the expected standard in years 5 and 6 will continue swimming. All pupils will have a minimum of one term of swimming lessons with those who require more having their needs met.

In addition to the costs involved in our swimming sessions, we will invest in CPD for new to swimming staff to be able to assist on poolside with the swimming sessions.

We always evaluate the impact of Sports Premium Funding as part of our normal monitoring and self-evaluation. We will look at how well we use the sports premium to improve the quality and breadth of PE and Sporting provision, including increasing participation in PE and Sport so that all pupils develop healthy lifestyles and reach the potential performance levels they are capable of.

At Mereside Primary Academy, we believe in a holistic approach to the development of sport and physical activity for all and encourage collaboration and partnership working to make the best use of resources and enhance PE and Sport provision in order to raise participation and achievement for all pupils. We pride ourselves on being a happy and healthy place to learn. We aim for the money to be used so that all pupils benefit regardless of sporting ability, that a large number of pupils are given the opportunity to compete in tournaments with other schools, staff have access to training opportunities and continued professional development, that some activities may be subsided so that pupils do not miss out due to financial constraints and we make use of collaborative and partnership working. We want to ensure this funding is invested to maximise the long-term impact of our PE provision for pupils and staff.

Signed off by	
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