

PE and Sport Premium expenditure:

St Nicholas C of E Primary

Report to Parents: 2023/2024 (September '23 to July '24)

Our Vision for PE and Sport

At St Nicholas C of E Primary we know that P.E. and Sport plays an important role in the development of our children. When our children engage in P.E. and Sport this leads to improved fitness, health and well-being, concentration, engagement in class and academic achievement.

Through engagement in P.E and Sport, children also develop our sport's values of: determination, teamwork, respect, self- belief, honesty and passion.

At St Nicholas, we aim to encourage a lifetime love of sport and keeping fit whilst encouraging the children to be the best that they can be.

How do we encourage a love of P.E and Sport at St Nicholas?

This academic year we have continued to develop our engagement with other schools and teams across the local area and county. We have entered into many different sports competitions and tournaments. Aiming to enter into a wide range of sports to encourage different children and abilities to be active and keep fit. We take part in: quad kids, agility, boccia, archery, rowing, indoor and outdoor athletics competitions, cross country, rounders, cricket, netball, football, archery and rugby.

We have close links with the local tennis, rugby and cricket clubs whose professional coaches come into school to develop these particular sports and associated skills.

To encourage a love of sport for enjoyment and competition, we strive to provide opportunities throughout the year for children to compete with each other and push themselves with events such as; cricket workshops, enrichment days (this year being Quidditch), sports day and sports week where we concentrate on inter-house competitions.

We also organise a variety of after school clubs such as; netball, football, cricket, rounders, athletics and swimming.

What is the Sports Premium?

The Government is providing funding of £150 million to schools over the year. This funding is being jointly provided by the Department for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sports, and will be allocated to primary school head teachers to spend on improving the quality of sport and P.E. for all their children. The sports funding can only be spent on sport and P.E. provision in schools. Funding will be calculated by reference to the number of primary-aged pupils (between the ages of 5 and 11), as recorded in the annual school census.

How is the Sports Premium used at St Nicholas C of E Primary School?

The Sports Premium will be spent in such a way that it has a direct and sustained improvement on sports provision in the school, not only for the current pupils of the school but also for future pupils. Listed in the grid below are the projects that are being funded by the Sports Premium for this academic year.

Record of the PE and Sport Funding spending by item/project 2023/2024			
Amount of Sport Premium Received: £19,660			
Below is a breakdown of how this money is being spent:			
Item/project	Cost	Objective	Intended Outcome
Additional Inclusive swimming and SEND sport sessions at lunchtime	£2574	Ensure inclusive sessions for children of all interests and abilities	All children regardless of ability are able to access sport and feel valued as a team member
Sports Enrichment days (Quidditch)	£750	To give the children and adults opportunities to try new and different activities.	For children to be confident in trying new activities to encourage more pupils to take up sport and physical activities.
Opal training and resources	£5,500	To give the children more equipment to play on during play and lunch times.	Children to have a variety of play equipment for lunch and play times.
Purchase of 'Get Set 4 P.E' New curriculum	£550	To ensure the staff are confident to deliver P.E and sport across the school.	The staff and children enjoy the new curriculum.
Purchase new resources to support delivery of the curriculum	£8965	To ensure that the staff have the appropriate resources to teach the new curriculum.	Appropriate resources are available for the staff to teach successfully therefore developing confidence in subject delivery.
CPD for new sports and PE lead	£550	Develop the confidence of new subject leader	New leader is able to begin leading on subject across school with a clear understanding of the curriculum and attainment of children in sport and PE
Wimbledon Tennis Coaching from Alcester Tennis Club	£300	To give the children opportunities to learn new skills from a Tennis coach.	The children will have a better understanding of Tennis.
Sports competitions and additional coaching staff	£2850	Encourage more children to take part in sports across the school year	Access to further opportunities for sports competition across the school
Bell boating for year 6 children		To introduce children to a new type of sport.	For children to be confident in trying new activities to encourage more pupils to take up sport and physical activities
Open water Swimming for year 5 children		To perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations.	The children have an understanding of safety in and around different water- based situations.

What the children say:

- **OPAL is amazing, we are so lucky to have all this space and equipment to play with!**
- **I couldn't believe that I won a medal at a sports competition! I was so excited!**
- **Extra football time at lunch with Mr Geden has been brilliant, I am pleased that we have a girls team too.**
- **We got to play actual Quidditch, there was even a sorting hat from Harr Potter!**

What the children would like;

- Even more swimming!
- Mats to do gymnastics on outside
- More rugby
- Can we do Quidditch again?
- More go karts on the scooter zone