



Woolden Hill
Primary School

Primary School PE and Sport Funding 2014-2015

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What is the PE & Sport Funding?

The Government is providing funding of £150 million per annum for academic years 2013/14, 2014/15 and 2015/16 to provide new, substantial primary school sport funding. This funding is being jointly provided by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport and will see money going directly to primary school Headteachers to spend on improving the quality of sport and PE for all their children.

Purpose of the funding

All schools will receive £8,000 plus a premium of £5 per pupil per academic year. Schools are free to spend the School Sports Funding as they see fit. However they will be accountable for how they have used the additional funding to support pupil progress in PE and Games and pupil accessibility to high quality provision and opportunity within and beyond the school day.

Possible uses for the funding include:

- Hiring specialist PE teachers or qualified sports coaches to work alongside primary teachers when teaching PE.
- New or additional sport clubs
- Paying for professional development opportunities in PE/sport
- Providing cover to release primary teachers for professional development in PE/sport
- Running sport competitions, or increasing participation in school games
- Buying quality assured professional development modules or materials for PE/sport providing places for pupils on after school sport clubs.

How will Woolden Hill uses the Primary School's Sports Funding?

1. Hire qualified sports coaches/external providers who will work alongside staff to deliver lessons and support planning and delivery of PE. Working in this way teacher confidence and expertise will develop and the school will benefit from high quality planning resource materials.
2. Buy into our Local School Sports Partnership and the Discovery School's Academy Trust (DSAT) to provide us with:
 - A range of opportunities to participate in sports festivals
 - Teaching and training resources
 - Sharing of resources (to maximise the use of funds)
 - Opportunities for our PE coach to arrange tournaments and fixtures between the DSAT primary schools.
 - Opportunities to develop innovative projects : for example "The Cage"
 - General advice and support on PE and School Sport (DSAT sports Coaching group)

- Support for training lunchtime supervisors to introduce playground games. At Woolden Hill our Lunchtime supervisors will be trained to offer children a positive play opportunity during the lunchtime break.
3. Provide opportunities for children to compete in a range of sporting events. We feel it is important that all children have the chance to represent their school and take part in competitive sport against other schools. We will continue to enter football, netball, basketball, cricket, dance and rugby competitions, many of which take place within the school day which previously we have not always been able to attend. The funding will help provide transport and cover for staff so that we can take teams to these events
 4. Sports coach to work with KS2 pupils in developing their skills working with other pupils.
 5. Woolden Hill is keen to raise the status of PE with all children and parents, the School Sports Funding will allow additional PE kit to be purchased to ensure all children participate in every PE lesson.
 6. Provide opportunities for pupils to participate in sports related activities organised by the PE coach at lunchtimes.
 7. As a result of the funding, our school is able to offer a range of after school clubs, accessed by children from Key Stages 1 and 2. We aim to provide clubs for Football, Cricket, netball, cross country, basketball, contact rugby, dance and multi skills. Some clubs will run throughout the year others are seasonal.
 8. Sports Coaches will be used to prepare children for tournaments and performances.
 9. We will also:
 - Pay for transport to various sporting events,
 - Purchase new sports equipment to support development,
 - Purchase a new team kits – a higher self-esteem and sense of pride for their team.

Budget Allocation 2014/15 = (£8,745): Key areas of expenditure

- £ Employ external providers to train staff on teaching PE and sport
- £ Join local PE network
- £ Event transport
- £ External sport coaches
- £ Equipment, resources and repairs
- £ Supply cover for CPD and staff release to take part in inter-school competitions in school time

Success criteria and Impact:

- ✓ Greater confidence in planning and delivery of PE lessons
- ✓ All areas of the PE curriculum are at least good
- ✓ Increased after school clubs and participation in PE and Sport – links with specialist organisations and coaches
- ✓ Pupils have greater opportunities to participate in competitions
- ✓ Pupils will have high self-esteem and sense of pride for their teams.
- ✓ Improved participation of children in out of school activities.