

PE and Sports Grant

The government is providing additional funding to improve provision of physical education (PE) and sport in primary schools. This funding - provided jointly by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport – has been allocated to primary school head teachers.

This funding is ring-fenced and therefore can only be spent on provision of PE and sport in schools.

Purpose of funding

Schools must spend the additional funding on improving their provision of PE and sport, but schools have been given the freedom to choose how they do this. A list of possible uses has been suggested.

Earlham Primary school has decided to use the money to:

- employ our specialised coaches to work within our school to strengthen teaching and learning of PE across the school
- support and engage the least active children in physical activities
- pay for professional development opportunities for teachers in PE and sport
- increase pupils' participation in the sports and physical activities
- provide places for pupils on after school sports clubs
- Increase opportunities for pupil participation in competitive sports
- improve resources to support the development of the subject

The impact of the use of the grant will be reviewed at the end of the academic year.

Sports Grant Report 2017-18

Grant to be received - £19,400			
Eligible Pupils	340		
Summary of Grant spending 2016-17			
Objective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To effectively use the Sports Grant to increase opportunities for pupils and raise the profile of PE, Sport and physical activity across school 			impact
Planned spending record 2017-18			
Objective	Activity	Cost	Dec 2017
PE equipment both for physical activities and in the playground.	Replenish/replace equipment to give opportunity for physical activity in the playground	£8,000	
Sports Events & Tournaments including travel	Encourage wide participation of pupils in interschool competitions	£1,500	
Subsidised Sports Clubs	Pay for club membership for children needing encouragement to do physical activity	£1,000	
Sports & Lunchtime Coaches	1/2 day of coaching per week dedicated to school teams training	£10,000	