

# St Mary & St Paul's – PE & Sports Premium Funding 2020-21



## **What is the Sports Premium?**

The government provides an annual amount of primary school sport funding for each school to spend on improving the quality of sport and P.E;

At St Mary & St Paul's our funding for 2020-21 was: £17590, we carried over £7872 from the previous year making £25462

Due to COVID some of the money was left unspent and this equated to £6057. This will be carried forward into 2021-22 and brings the total to £23647.

## **Purpose of the funding**

Schools will spend the sport funding on improving their provision of PE and sport, but they will have the freedom to choose how they do this. Examples include additional sport clubs, equipment to support P.E and hiring specialist P.E teachers/qualified sport coaches.

## **How do we use the funding?**

At St Mary & St Paul's we recognise the contribution of P.E to the health and well-being of the children. In addition, it is considered that an innovative and varied PE curriculum and extra-curricular opportunities have a positive influence on the concentration, attitude and academic achievement of all children.

We have used the sport funding in a variety of ways:

Area of spending	Costs	Aims	Impact
Employ Sports coaches to teach classes of children in game strategy and skill development and Dance	£7145	Progressive Sports education coaches to work with children in Key Stages 1 and 2 developing games skills and strategies in line with NC	Improved confidence in the children ability to play games and the development of better teamwork and strategy.

			<p>Offer a wide range of After School Provision to offer greater opportunity.</p> <p>Support the Curriculum design and supply plans for ongoing sustainability.</p> <p>To identify talent and support the development of children who are identified.</p>
Teaching top up sessions in swimming that are outside the national curriculum	£170	To increase the number of children accessing swimming as a regular activity.	Children's increased confidence in swimming in year 2 and year 3.
Developing a space with additional equipment designed to support the delivery of PE and enrichment activities.	£12004	<p>Increase facilities for children to actively engage in physical activity and develop fitness</p> <p>Develop Astro Turf to ensure it can be used for multiple sports</p>	<p>More access to physical activities led by TA's at break and lunch</p> <p>Increase in sporting after school clubs</p>

Sports Partnership Funding	£1300	To increase opportunities for children to represent the school at competitions  To increase opportunity at a variety of sports.	Children representing the school in swimming, football, rugby.  A wider variety of children able to access sporting activities.
Upgrade sports equipment in order to play a wide variety of sports	£659	To enable active participation in PE sessions and at break and lunch.  To purchase sports equipment unavailable previously	Children now have regular access to sports equipment and are able to actively engage with equipment during sessions and breaks.
Total	£21278		

### What impact has this had?

- An increase in the number of pupils engaging in sporting activities in school and through extra-curricular clubs
- An increase in staff confidence in delivering PE and sporting activities, and thus the quality of PE and sport teaching across the school due to coaching sessions
- More opportunity for children to take part in organised/well resourced activities that further develop their PE and sport skills and encourage them to exercise – such as at lunchtimes
- Opportunities to increase fitness through use of equipment.
- More regular access to equipment required to develop skills.

## **What future plans do we have?**

We want to extend our use of the sport funding during 2021-22, so that:

- More children get the chance to represent the school in inter-school competitions by signing up to Knowsley Sports SLA
- Contribute to insurance for minibus to ensure safe travel to events and competitions
- Greater release time for D Halsall to coordinate PE and support staff in the development of the subject.
- Upgrade sports equipment in order to play a wide variety of sports.
- Employ sports coaches to ensure high level PE sessions for all
- To develop out of bounds sessions and team building across Key Stage 2.
- To develop a Gifted and Talented provision for children with identified talent to be pushed and supported.

## **Swimming**

- Pupils to swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres - 15/30 (50%)

- Perform a safe self-rescue in different water based situations - 17/30 (57%)

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