



KEW WOODS PRIMARY SCHOOL

Policy for Sport Funding

Overview

In March 2013, the government first announced that it was to provide funding of £150 million per annum to improve the provision of Physical Education (PE) and sport in primary schools. The funding was initially until 2015, however this has now been extended until 2020. Government has committed to providing additional funding to improve provision of physical education (PE) and sport in primary schools. The 'Sporting Future: A New Strategy for an Active Nation and the continuation of the Primary PE and Sport Premium was announced. This funding has been extended and increased in September 2017. The funding - provided jointly by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport – is allocated to primary school headteachers.

The government are providing additional funding to improve provision of Physical Education (PE) and Sport in primary schools. The provision of this additional ring-fenced funding, specifically to make additional and sustainable improvements to the quality of PE and sport schools offer, demonstrates the importance placed on PE and school sport by Government and this is something Kew Woods Primary School fully supports. Our vision for using the funding is that all of our pupils leaving Kew Woods will be physically literate and with the knowledge, skills and motivation necessary to equip them for a healthy lifestyle and lifelong participation in physical activity and sport. The funding will be used to further develop and add to the PE and sports activities that we already offer and to build capacity and capability within the school to ensure that improvements made now will also benefit pupils joining the school in future years.

Annually, we will publish on our website details of the funding received and our plan to effectively use the funding.

Objectives

To achieve self-sustaining improvement in the quality of PE and sport at Kew Woods Primary School

The engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity and developing healthy active lifestyles (at least 60 minutes per day, 30 minutes per day in school / 30 minutes out of school)

The profile of PE and sport is raised across the school as a tool for whole-school improvement

Increased confidence, knowledge and skills of all staff in teaching PE and sport

Broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils

Increased participation in competitive sport

Strategies

- Will work in collaboration with local secondary schools to secure high quality PE and school sport at Kew Woods (Stanley High School and Christ the King Catholic Secondary School).
- Where it is appropriate, we will consider hiring specialist PE teachers or qualified sports coaches to work with teachers when teaching PE
- We will look for strategies of supporting and engaging the least active children through new or additional provision
- We will use the funding for paying for professional development opportunities for teachers in PE and sport including whole staff INSET in targeted areas
- We support NQTs with thorough PE CPD in a range of activity areas if required
- We will look for opportunities for providing cover to release teachers for professional development in PE and sport and to establish team teaming approaches
- We will use the funding to provide additional PE and sport activities including running sport competitions, or increasing pupils' participation in the School Games
- We will purchase equipment for new provisions to be offered to engage pupils
- We will buy additional equipment for developing the early key skills in sport and games in KS1
- We will look for appropriate opportunities to meet educational needs by providing places for pupils on after school sports clubs and where appropriate deploy support staff at the sessions
- We will utilise opportunities for active, physical learning across all areas of the curriculum and at break and lunch times to ensure pupils are active for at least 30 minutes per day
- We will look for opportunities for pooling the additional funding with that of other local schools to build joint provision or to share sports staff and facilities
- We will access a wide range of competitions and sporting festivals and events to broaden the experiences of our children
- We will participate in competitive leagues in football and netball, entering both A and B teams, to allow more children to have this experience
- We will include details of the provision of PE and sport on the website, alongside details of their broader curriculum, so that parents may see what is on offer both within and beyond the school day.
- We will use the weekly newsletter to highlight successes and opportunities in sport at Kew Woods
- We will monitor the standards of our pupils in swimming and plan provision for those children not meeting the expected standards. We will publish details of the children meeting swimming standards at the end of KS2 annually from this academic year.

Outcome

Through our carefully planned programmes which are reviewed and monitored annually, we work towards improvements in the following areas:

- engagement of pupils in regular physical activity
- the profile of PE and sport at Kew to be raised as a tool for improvement
- increased confidence, knowledge and skills of the teaching team
- broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils
- increased participation in competitive sport

PE and School Sport is given a high profile at Kew Woods Primary School. Details of Through our carefully planned CPD programme for staff, the use of specialists in sport, our commitment to entering events and competitions and our collaborative working with local high schools, our pupils are offered a broad, balanced and high quality PE experience. We will demonstrate an improvement in the range, quality and participation in our PE and sports provision. Details of the PE and Sports Premium Funding received, the amount spent and the details areas of focus, actions, funding breakdown as well as the impact will be published on the school website annually.