



Windmill Hill Primary School

Impact of PE and Sport Premium 2016-17

After an internal review, we are able to summarise the impact that the PE and Sport Premium money has had on the children of our school. The information below shows the main areas of impact for 2016-17.

Halton Competitions

In 2016-17, our school competed in a number of sports in Halton. Despite being the smallest school in Halton, the children competed at a very high level. Children competed in 11 competitions across both Key Stage 1 and 2 – the most competitions our children have ever entered in one academic year.



Pupils in Year 5 took part in a 'Sports Day' at Sandymoor High School. This not only gave the children an opportunity to compete against children from different schools, but also contributed to a successful transition to secondary school. The children finished as runners up in the annual Halton Futsal tournament where they managed to get into the 'Champions League' stage to test their skills against the most talented footballers across Halton. The money from the Sports Premium was used to fund an FA qualified coach to teach the children the rules of the small-sided version of football and enhance their football skills.

Extra Curricular Clubs

Pupils in all year groups have been given an opportunity to take part in a variety of sports after school. These clubs include dance, gymnastics, football, athletics, rugby, hockey, rounders and netball. Participation has increased significantly - 75% of pupils took part in an after school club in 2017. Next year, this should give the children greater confidence in intra-school competitions and give the children a greater chance in competing in a variety of sports. The Sports Premium has been used to pay for specialized teaching and courses for staff to





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improve their CPD and give them more ideas to support children when teaching different sports. The funding has also been used to purchase new equipment and resources. Exposure to a wide range of sports in school has increased participation in sports outside school hours. The children's achievements have been celebrated each week in 'Celebration Assembly'.

Swimmingly' Good.

This year, 100% of pupils of Year 6 pupils demonstrated their ability to swim 25 metres unaided – this is the length that is believed to be the expected standard by end of Key Stage 2. All children practiced and demonstrated their ability to swim using a range of strokes and time was invested in ensuring that all children were capable of basic self-rescue in various water-based situations. Anecdotally, we have noticed that children who are having success in the pool are transferring that confidence into other areas of the curriculum and it is having a significant impact upon overall academic progress.



Schools Games Mark Award

Based on our achievements in 2016-17, we awarded the Silver School Games Mark Award. The School Games Mark is a Government led awards scheme (launched in 2012) to reward schools for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community. It can be used by OFTSED as part of their inspection framework.

This shows that we have made progress from the previous year when the school was awarded the Bronze School Games Mark. This is a great achievement for our school and shows the commitment to participation in sport. This award highlighted areas for further improvement, which gives us a starting point to progress further in the new academic year.

