

**Learning and Achieving Together**

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## **Primary School Sports Funding 2015 to 2016**

### **What is it and where is it coming from?**

The government is providing funding of £150 million per annum for the academic years 2013 to 2014, 2014 to 2015, and 2015 to 2016 to improve provision of PE and sport in primary schools. This funding is allocated to primary school head teachers.

This funding is ring-fenced and can only be spent on provision of PE and sport in schools. The amount of funding allocated is dependent on pupil numbers.

### **Purpose of funding**

Schools must spend the additional funding on improving their provision of PE and sport, but they will have the freedom to choose how they do this.

### **Eligible funding**

All schools with 17 or more primary aged pupils will receive a lump sum of £8000 plus an additional payment of £5 per pupil. In 2015/2016 Glenbrook Primary School received £8970 for 194 pupils. (Aged 5 and above)

### **Uses for the funding:**

- Hiring specialist PE teachers or qualified sports coaches to work with primary teachers when teaching PE.
- Supporting and engaging the least active children through new or additional Change4 Life clubs.
- Paying for professional development opportunities for teachers in PE and sport.
- Providing cover to release primary teachers for professional development in PE and sport.
- Running sport competitions, or increasing pupils' participation in the School Games.
- Buying quality assured professional development modules or materials for PE and sport.
- Providing places for pupils on after school sports club and holiday clubs.
- Pooling the additional funding with that of other local schools.

## **Accountability**

- From September 2013, schools have been held to account over how they spend their additional, ring-fenced funding.
- Schools are required to include details of their provision of PE and sport on their website, alongside details of their broader curriculum, so that parents can compare sports provision between schools, both within and beyond the school day.

## **How is Glenbrook Primary School spending their funding allocation?**

*Glenbrook Primary School is using its funding to:*

Provide after school and lunchtime club provision.

Buy new PE equipment and upgrade old equipment to enhance the pupils' experiences in PE.

Send staff on a range of PE courses as part of their professional development.

Purchase new sports kit to wear for participation in competitions.

Provide time for the PE co-ordinator to monitor quality of teaching and standards in PE.

Participation in a wide range of sports competitions.

Transport to sports competitions.

Provide pupil support through a school health mentor.

Resources for planning PE lessons.

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