

Thaxted Primary School

PE and Sport Premium Funding: Allocation & Impact 2023-24

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Why?

The Department for Education's vision for the Primary PE and Sport Premium states that "ALL pupils leaving primary school are physically literate and with the knowledge, skills and motivation necessary to equip them for a healthy, active lifestyle and lifelong participation in physical activity and sport."

To achieve self-sustaining improvement in the quality of PE and sport in primary schools there are 5 key indicators:

1. The engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity – kick-starting healthy active lifestyles
2. The profile of PE and sport being raised across the school as a tool for whole school improvement
3. Increased confidence, knowledge and skills of all staff in teaching PE and sport
4. Broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils
5. Increased participation in competitive sport

At Thaxted Primary School, the PE and Sport Premium Funding has been allocated to develop or add to the PE and sport activities that we already offer by:

- Introducing new sports or activities across the school as additional learning opportunities during the school day and through extra-curricular clubs;
- Running sports activities with other schools;
- Increasing pupils' participation in competitive sport;
- Hiring qualified sports coaches to work with teachers;
- Providing existing staff with training or resources;
- Increasing physical activity of children within the school day;
- Educating the children upon the importance of an active and healthy lifestyle.

Our aim is to continually improve the quality of PE and sports activities we offer our pupils.

How?

To provide a complete picture of the provision of Sport and PE at Thaxted School, both the elements that are directly funded by Sports premium, and those that indirectly benefit from the Sport Premium fund have been included in this report. Those elements directly funded by Sports Premium are highlight in blue

The engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity – kick-starting healthy active lifestyles

Aim	Outcome
➤ All children in school to have two hours of high quality PE teaching during their school week.	
➤ A continuation of the Daily Mile programme throughout the whole school. Promoted through the addition of a 'Daily Mile' track on the playground.	
➤ All children to take part in Forest School and outdoor learning sessions. (Reception weekly and the rest of the school half termly).	
➤ A continuation of The Bikeability (KS2) and Scootfit (KS1) schemes to build bike riding and scooter skills and confidence.	
➤ Offer further swimming lessons to children unable to swim 25m in additional to the half term of lessons given to KS2 as part of their PE lessons.	
➤ The continuation of regular yoga sessions for all children	
➤ New playground equipment to encourage physical activity during children's breaktimes.	

The profile of PE, sport and healthy active lifestyle being raised across the school as a tool for whole school improvement

Aim	Outcome
➤ Ensure a range of afterschool sports clubs (provided to disadvantaged children for free)	
➤ Re-application for the School Games Kitemark award.	
➤ PE and Sport information board to be regularly updated in school to raise knowledge of sports, awareness of extra-curricular sports clubs on offer, and school involvement in interschool competition.	
➤ Inter-House Sports Day.	
➤ Daily Mile track to be added to the playground	

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

Aim	Outcome
➤ Staff to develop skills and ideas through gymnastics CPD	
➤ Staff to develop knowledge and ideas through observations of visiting Dance specialist.	

Providing a broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils

Aim	Outcome
➤ Sport Week at School. Sports coaches to introduce new sports to children	
➤ Dance workshops to be run by external dance specialists.	
➤ Selected classes to take part in an interschool sport festivals throughout the year (these will be multi skills, football, athletics, rounders)	
➤ Replenish football, netball, rounders and cricket and playground resources to ensure these activities can be delivered effectively in PE lessons and children are encouraged to be active at breaktimes.	
➤ The continuation of regular yoga sessions for all children	
➤ Scootfit sessions delivered to reception and year 1 children. ➤	

Increasing participation in competitive sport

Aim	Outcome
➤ Children to take part in inter school competition within PE lessons. Opportunities for the more able children to compete at a higher level.	
➤ Inter-House Sports Day.	
➤ New USSP individual skill challenges at lunchtimes run by Play Leaders	

What will it cost?

Proposed spend 2023-24

Resource	Cost	Impact
Contribution to Consortium SSCO	£1050	Opportunities for children to experience competitive and new sports.
Transport for Inter School Sports competitions	£2000	Opportunities for children to experience competitive and new sports.
Release time for staffing for inter school competition	£300	Competitive provision for children. Wellbeing, Self-esteem and sense of School community developed in the children.
Hockey, Tag rugby, Football and general PE Resources	£1000	Lessons well-resourced to enhance teaching and improve engagement and enjoyment.
Gymnastic equipment - Springboard	£300	Lessons well-resourced to enhance teaching and improve engagement and enjoyment.
Playground Resources	£500	Enhance activity levels during break times.
Playground running track	£2,500	Enhance activity levels during break times.
Forest School and outdoor learning	£1,500	Children experience practical curriculum activities and alternative non curriculum activity. Children develop new skills, outdoor activity and exercise. Improvement in fine and gross motor skills.
Orienteering resources	£500	Children develop new skills, outdoor activity and exercise
Yoga sessions	£1,800	Develop confidence in children. Children experience new activities.
Dance workshop across the school / international week	£800	Teachers upskilled with dance teaching. Children experience high quality new dance experiences.
Sports week taster sessions -Judo / Pound	£600	Children develop new skills, an opportunity to try a new sport and exercise
Additional swimming lessons for non-swimmers	£1000	Develop confidence in children. Increased activity in children. Development of key life skills.
Gymnastics CPD for all teachers	£500	Increasing the confidence, knowledge and skills of staff
After school sports clubs for PP children	£2,800	Increase the opportunities of extra-curricular activity for PP children.

Total
(£18,580 Budget)

£17,150

PE and Sports Premium Funding: measuring the impact 2023-24

The school will evaluate the impact of PE and Sports premium allocation at the end of the financial year. The evaluation focuses on pupil attainment in PE, pupil/teacher perceptions and pupil participation levels.
