



What is the Sports Premium?

The Government provided sports funding for primary schools of £450 million over the four academic years 2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16, 2016/17 & 2017/2018. This funding is being jointly provided by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport, and will see money going directly to primary school head teachers to spend on improving the quality of sport and PE for all their children.

The sport funding can only be spent on sport and PE provision in schools. At North Walkden Primary School, the funding we received for 2017/18 was £17570.

Who has and who will benefit from the Sports funding?

All children benefit regardless of sporting ability. All children are given the opportunity to develop their skills in both lunch time and after school clubs. The staff will have access to continued professional development through specialised sports' coaches. Improvements in PE and sports provision at North Walkden will continue to be sustained by continuing and further developing the provision provided from specialist PE teachers and qualified coaches. Staff CPD and the needs of the children will be taken into account, so that different areas of the PE curriculum can be targeted, including health and wellbeing.

Helen Warburton

Head teacher

How have we spent the Sports funding and what was the impact?

Our Funding for the academic year, 2017-2018 was spent as follows:

<u>Use of funding</u>	<u>Staff involved and Number of children</u>	<u>Impact</u>
Hiring specialist PE teachers and qualified sports coaches to work alongside class teachers to deliver part of our PE curriculum.	Six PE lessons per week covered throughout the year across all classes from nursery to reception.	All children accessing high quality PE. Areas taught by the specialist teachers are strategically chosen to provide CPD in areas of PE staff feel less confident with.
Specialist sports coaches to provide after school clubs to supplement the schools PE curriculum, whilst also providing after school activities. These after school clubs have been planned to cover all age-ranges and lead to a competitive experience against other local primary schools at the end of the block of sessions.	Half termly after school clubs with specialist sports coaches. 20 children per week.	<p>We have provided our children with 12 different after school sports clubs:</p> <p>Autumn 1: Hockey KS1, Dodgeball KS2</p> <p>Autumn 2: Fencing KS1, Handball KS2</p> <p>Spring 1: Football KS1, Cricket KS2</p> <p>Spring 2: Athletics KS1/2,</p> <p>Summer 1: Cricket KS1, Football KS2</p> <p>Summer 2: Football KS1, Hockey KS2.</p> <p>This has provided 240 children with the opportunity to participate in after school physical activity and Competition.</p>
Development of inter-school sports	Specialist sports coaches. Key Stage Two children.	<p>We are now competing in an increased amount of competitive sports. This year we have taken part in 4 competitions:</p> <p>October - Handball (Yr5&6)</p>

		December - Dodgeball (Yr3&4) February - Basketball (Yr3&4) July - Football (Y1&2) This is an opportunity for our children to develop teamwork and performance skills in a more pressured sporting environment.
The purchase of new PE equipment		Purchase of a variety of multi-skills equipment to develop a more active lunchtime and to support high quality teaching and learning.

Swimming

Swimming and water safety is an extremely important part of the PE curriculum at North Walkden Primary and another way of helping children to lead healthy and active lives. Throughout the academic year, pupils in Year 3,4 and 5 attend swimming lessons.

For those children in Year 5 who are not able to swim at least 25 metres, they attend 'top-up' swimming lessons in the Summer term in Year 6. This ensures that nearly every pupil leaving North Walkden Primary can reach the National requirement by the end of Year 6. Pupils are grouped according to their ability and are taught to:

- Straddle Jump (Deep Water)
- Tread water 30 seconds
- Push and Glide on Front and Back
- Mushroom into Star Float deep water (5 seconds each)
- Swim 25m (min 10m Front crawl into 10m Backstroke)
- Swim 25m (simultaneous arm and leg movements)
 - Swim 25m with object

- Climb out (Deep water)
- HELP Lifesaving position
- Perform a land based rescue
- Action for raising alarm and getting help

Analysis of results 2017-2018

86% of Year 5 children achieved Key Stage 2 Pass award.

Words from our swimming teacher “This is an excellent achievement. Their knowledge and demonstration of the water skills are fantastic and the progression from the start of their lessons has been a pleasure to watch.”

- Full achievements:
 - Year 5:
 - Water Confidence - 0
 - Level 1 - 0
 - Level 2 - 1
 - Level 3 - 2
 - Pass - 20