

Beech Green Primary School

Investment Plan for School PE and Sports Funding, 2014 to 2015 (Updated November 2014, evaluations added September 2015)

Action	Approximate Cost	Expected Impact	Evaluation
<p><i>We have joined the Gloucester Schools Sports Partnership</i></p>	<p>£2000</p>	<p>Curriculum support and CPD is available for teaching staff provided by specialist PE teachers (We will focus on the teaching of Gymnastics)</p> <p>We will be able to participate in various sporting events within the partnership (Eg. Cross Country Championships, KS1 Multi-Skills Sports Festivals, Sports Hall Athletics, Dance Festival, Tag Rugby Tournament and Rounders Competition.)</p> <p>Access to specialist sports coaching to support curriculum delivery</p>	<p>This has been organised for later this term with other sports in addition to Gymnastics, such as Archery and Street Dance.</p> <p>As a school, we have participated in numerous tournaments, competitions and events throughout the year, which have involved all year groups.</p> <p>The children in a number of different year groups have benefitted from specialist coaching. For example in Sports Hall Athletics. This helped to improve their performance, as well as providing valuable CPD to non-specialist teaching staff. For example, our Special Educational Needs Coordinator took a group of children with additional needs to a special athletics event. All the children absolutely loved representing the school and their parents noticed a real difference in their children's motivation and attitude towards sport.</p>

<p><i>During the summer term, we will provide an additional lunchtime sports club for one day per week for at least one Year Group, in a sport the children may not have participated in before, led by a suitably experienced coach</i></p>	<p>£1200</p>	<p>Children participate for 10 weeks and learn the skills associated with an unfamiliar sport. (Eg handball coaching for some KS2 children.)</p> <p>This will encourage more structured activity during certain lunchtimes</p>	<p>Due to the massive demand for football coaching we decided to divert some of our funding in order to continue with the football sessions provided by a highly regarded external provider.</p> <p>Other clubs were provided for the children instead, such as Table Tennis.</p>
<p><i>We will pay for or subsidise various extra-curricular sports clubs, so the costs are not met by parents</i></p>	<p>£1100</p>	<p>Increased participation in extra-curricular clubs, such as Andy Tucker Football Club.</p>	<p>A very popular after school football club with qualified coaches, was provided free of charge to all parents/carers. This ran for over 20 weeks and was attended by over 60 different children, including Y2.</p>
<p><i>We will pay for or heavily subsidise the cost of transporting children to sporting events and activities</i></p>	<p>£1200</p>	<p>Parents and Carers will not be discouraged from allowing their children to participate in off-site sporting activities, thus increasing participation levels especially from our "disadvantaged" children</p>	<p>This proved to be very popular and helped to remove any barriers to participation in sporting events, especially for our Pupil Premium children.</p>
<p><i>We will purchase new PE resources and equipment, such as balls, rackets, skipping ropes, as well as specialist equipment to enable us to focus on teaching Sports hall Athletics</i></p>	<p>£1500</p>	<p>This will improve PE teaching and provide better learning opportunities because the children will be using good quality equipment, which is in good condition and appropriate for their age</p>	<p>We are a well resourced school in terms of PE and general sports equipment. We purchased a good range of essential equipment, including a Sports Hall Athletics pack. Staff training was organised to ensure all our PE equipment is being used effectively. Our children always tell us that they really enjoy PE lessons!</p>

<p><i>We will organise a big "Skipping for Life" event over 2 days in school</i></p>	<p>£600</p>	<p>All children will be taught some basic and more advanced skipping techniques by a specialist skipping instructor. This improves general fitness and mobility, as well as hand to eye coordination. This will also serve as useful CPD for all staff, who will gain in knowledge, skills and confidence when using and teaching skipping skills as part of a PE lesson</p>	<p>This proved to be a really successful event and many of our pupils became hooked on skipping for many weeks. It's great to see so many children from different genders and year groups have retained a passion for skipping. Our teaching staff grew in confidence and could often be seen joining in with the children!</p>
<p><i>We will purchase new playground sports equipment to be used by children at play time and lunch time</i></p>	<p>£500 (+ possible contribution from PTFA)</p>	<p>Improved and more extensive resources will encourage more children to engage in active and constructive play</p>	<p>Our range of playground equipment has been regularly updated and improved. The carefully chosen resources are well used during morning break and lunchtimes.</p>
<p><i>We will continue to offer a broad range of sports based activities and clubs during lunch times and after school, so we will invest in new resources for these clubs as and when required</i></p>	<p>£400</p>	<p>This year's sports clubs have so far included Dance, Country Dancing, Cross-Country Running, Netball, Football, Table Tennis and Change4Life. Further clubs will be added or changed throughout the year</p>	<p>Mostly thanks to the generosity of our staff, we have been able to provide a fantastic number of extra-curricular sports clubs and we have continued to participate in the traditional inter-school competitions and leagues, as well as some newer events.</p> <p>This allocated funding has been used to ensure our pupils can access good quality resources and that they are suitably attired when representing the school in competitive fixtures. The purchasing of new kit for many of our school teams has helped to develop a genuine sense of pride in all the children, as well as igniting their ambition to play more competitive sport.</p>

			The ongoing and future provision for PE and School Sport at Beech Green is looking very positive, especially given that our previous PE Subject Leader has recently returned from a long term absence and we have just appointed a KS1 teacher who specialises in PE.
Total Cost	£8,500	-	-