

## PE Funding and Allocation 2017 - 2018

For the last 5 years, the government has funded £150 million per annum to improve provision of physical education (PE) and sport in primary schools. This funding - provided jointly by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport - will be allocated to primary school head teachers. The money must be used to improve the provision of PE, school sport and Healthy Living.

PE and school sport play a very important part in the life of North Newton Primary School. We believe school sport and PE contribute to the holistic development of our children. Through participation, our children build and learn more about our key values such as respect, co-operation and kindness for themselves and others. We have set aside funds to take part in local festivals which are organised by North Newton, Somerset Bridge and North Petherton. The impact throughout our school can be measured by the fitness and agility of our children, their health and hygiene, attitude towards clubs, festivals and sporting events. We always participate in a wide range of sports – impressive for a small school – including football, tag rugby, cross country (5<sup>th</sup>/17 schools last year), netball, athletics and rounders. Often our Year 5/6 team consists of some year 4 children and our Lower KS2 teams with Year 2 children due to numbers, but we are always proactive at participating. Our parents, as well, are dedicated and encourage children to participate.

**\*\* UPDATE: We were informed on 30<sup>th</sup> October our PE funding would effectively be doubled to £16 830 We are delighted with this increase from the Government. We are now planning to spend this allocation effectively to ensure it has maximum impact.**

We are delighted to be able to report our careful spending to support the development of PE and school sport in the following ways:

Provision 2017 – 18	Impact on Children's Learning	Allocation
<b>Running 4 PE mornings at Blackbrook Sports Centre</b>	This is to allow all 97 children to experience a range of quality resources and equipment in a professional gymnasium Positive impact to promote healthy living, and active bodies as well as learning to develop socially with other children in different school – essential for a small school! Transport costs included in this funding.  <b>*Frequency to be increased due to extra Government funding.</b>	<b>£1400 (£250 each for 4 session &amp; £400 transport)</b>
<b>Forest School</b>	Reception children have weekly sessions, led by a trained leader, and	<b>£200</b>

	develop their outdoor learning in a safe environment. Resources are purchased and replaced when needed. Minimal fuel cost used to transport children.	
<b>High quality PE provision</b>	Using Champion Sports – a locally run first class company, all children receive at least 60 minutes of PE teaching from specialists. All resources included and the impact is evident with the numbers of children who sign up for sporting clubs through the year: Over 24 extra-curricular clubs were run last year and 98% pupils did at least one club with 45% doing 3 or more clubs. Similar number of clubs running this year.  <b>*Increased range of clubs due to extra Government funding.</b>	<b>£3600</b> <b>Champion Sports</b>
<b>Playing Field Rent</b> <b>Maintenance of field.</b> <b>Village Hall Rent</b>	With no hall or field on site, we hire nearby facilities for children to have experience of all essential aspects of PE. Further example of healthy body and mind – sport plays a vital part of our school life, as explained above. Grounds Maintenance of playing field. We hire the Village Hall periodically at a fixed hourly rate.	<b>£1950</b>
<b>Subsidising Swimming</b>	All children from Year 1 attend weekly swimming sessions at Taunton. We use both our minibuses. Essential impact is all children can swim confidently by the end of year 6 – many very confident before they are 7 years old. Funds also used to provide certificates and entry to swimming galas.  <b>*Subsidy to be increased due to extra Government funding.</b>	<b>£1260</b> <b>84 x £15 subsidy</b> <b>across the year</b>
<b>Additional Funding given 30<sup>th</sup> October 2017</b>	Currently in the planning process to ensure this is spent effectively and has maximum impact.	<b>£8420</b>
	<b>Total</b>	<b>£16,830</b>

In accordance with the Government regulations, we need to state:

How many pupils within their year 6 cohort can do each of the following:

- swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres
- use a range of strokes effectively
- perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations

100% of our pupils.