



Riversdale Primary School

Sports Progress Report

Use to Date

Sports Funding allocated by the government has been used to help:

- Fund the salary costs of our specialist sports teacher who works with classes across the school.
- Fund the salary costs of external specialist sports coaches who work with our sports teacher and class teachers across the school.
- Providing equipment, resources and CPD to ensure staff are well prepared for the delivery of PE and extracurricular sports.

Monitoring

The Senior Leadership Team and PE/Sports subject leader regularly review the impact of sports funding throughout the term and monitor its impact on our pupils. We insist that our teachers team-teach alongside the sports specialist teacher in order to develop their teaching skills in PE and Games.

Teachers monitor pupil progress using PE baseline assessments which are completed at the beginning and end of each term. One of the aims this term is to target children who are not participating in sport regularly enough and to provide more opportunities for swimming through Year 6 booster classes.

Impact

Our pupils show a great deal of enthusiasm and enjoyment for Sport and PE. As a school we promote a healthy lifestyle in children from an early age. We have had Chelsea Football Club come in to work with us in promoting this aspect into children's lives and introduce the concepts of sports leadership and sportsmanship. We have introduced a variety of clubs for pupils to benefit from. Participation numbers are encouraging and most clubs are fully booked. These numbers helped us to gain the Bronze Award from Sainsbury's Games last year. The impact of the sports funding is evident in the positive feedback received by pupils, staff and parents. We undertook class surveys and pupil interviews and found the results from this to be very positive and children's attitudes towards PE/Sports and a healthy lifestyle have continued to grow in positivity.

The impact can also be seen by the amount of children participating successfully in local borough competitions, particularly in Gymnastics, something which has grown over the last year. They have really enjoyed representing Riversdale at these events.

Furthermore, through the use of CPD/specialists coaches, teachers have upskills their knowledge of PE and the staff feel more confident in this area.