

Sports Premium

The Sports Premium Grant allocation for Little Kingshill Combined School is £16,000 for the academic year 2017/18. Schools must use the funding to make additional and sustainable improvements to the quality of PE and sport that they offer.

Expenditure from the grant has been made on:

- £1,167 on joining the Holmer Green Sports Partnership to enable all classes throughout the school to participate in at least two competitive and sports events over the school year. There are many different sports offered including: football, netball, cricket, basketball, gymnastics, handball, multi-skills and volleyball. This has been successful this year, showing great impact on the children, allowing them to take part in some new sports they have not tried previously. We hope to take part in this opportunity for the year 2018/19.
- £1,350 to employ a specialist coach who delivers dance during curriculum time on a Monday. The coach, Angela Goldsmith, runs her own company 'Strictly Shine' and has worked alongside class teachers improving their confidence to teach dance. We have been lucky enough to experience different dance styles including street and ballroom and Latin, which every child in Years 3-6 have taken part in. Following the success of this, we have then put into place an extra-curricular activity, run before school, which has been opened up to KS1. We very much look forward to their sharing assembly in front of the whole school to see what they have learnt.
- £6,081 on Ross and Andy to extend our specialist sports coaching to now cover all classes in Key Stage 2. This has been found to have a real impact on all the children across KS2 and beyond. This can be seen in our pupil questionnaire and feedback.
- £306 has been spent on the opportunity for all classes in Key Stage 2 to take part in cricket coaching from Nigel Kerry. We have also have had cricket coaching from Emma from Chance to shine for Key Stage 1.
- £300 has been spent on replacement netball posts allowing us to use both netball courts.

Swimming Data 2017/18

Percentage of children to swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres by Year 6.	94%
Percentage of children able to use a range of strokes effectively by Year 6.	94%
Percentage of children able to perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations by Year 6.	100%

£2,300 of the grant has been spent on swimming for Year 4. This money allows our children not only to take part in swimming lessons but gives the children in Year 4 the opportunity to take part in many different water sports such as: water polo, synchronised swimming and underwater obstacle events. These exciting opportunities impact our children greatly, ensuring confidence in the water. The children in Year 5 and 6 are given the opportunity to demonstrate their swimming skills and confidence in with an annual swimming gala. The confidence in water is also demonstrated when attending the River Dart residential in the summer term of year 5.

Future Expenditure:

- Approximately £1,000 will be spent on additional equipment to benefit the children such as: basketballs, javelins, discus, larger sacks for sports day etc.
- In line with guidelines recommending that all children and young people aged 5 to 18 engage in at least 60 minutes of physical activity a day, of which 30 minutes should be in school, we will be looking to take on a short physical activity program for the following academic year. Approximate cost £1,000.
- In line with providing for future generations attending Little Kingshill Combined School, we are hoping to buy Balance Bikes for Nursery and Reception children to use. The bikes will encourage confidence and work on the children's motor skills. Approximate cost £1,500.
- Teacher training in PE for Key Stage 1 and 2 £1,000.