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Primary PE Funding 2013 - 2014

The Government is providing additional funding during 2013-14 and 2014-15 to improve the provision of physical education and sport in primary schools. This funding, which is provided jointly by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport, has been allocated to schools.

This funding is ring fenced and therefore can only be spent on provision of PE and sport in schools.

"Schools must spend the additional funding on improving their provision of PE and sport, but they will have the freedom to choose how they do this."

Source DfE website

Schools with 17 or more eligible pupils receive £8,000 plus £5 per pupil.

Schools with 16 or fewer eligible pupils receive £500 per eligible pupil.

Context of Linton First School in September 2013	
Total number of pupils on roll	21
Number of pupils eligible for Primary PE funding (Figures used to distribute funds were taken from Jan 2013 and excluded Reception pupils)	16
Total amount of PE Funding received 2014-15	2,765 (Sept – Mar) 4,735 (Apr – Aug) 7,500

Deployment of PPG 2014 -15

The aims of our use of funding are to:

- Provide high quality teaching in PE through staff training
- Enable the children to enter competitions at level 2 and friendly level both in school and with a group of schools.
- Increase level of activity and participation within a lesson

The Primary PE Funding was spent in the following ways:

Spending Allocated to...	Impact to date
Appointment of specialist PE teacher for 1 day per week. The costs are shared with three other schools and include all associated costs.	22 pupils receive high quality PE instruction. Lesson observation has shown that teaching is outstanding.

	<p>Mixed age classes in Key Stage 2 are taught by year group, enabling differentiation by age.</p> <p>Lunchtime sports club available for all pupils. Children have continued to pursue these activities when sports club is not running.</p> <p>22 pupils have had access to a new sport which was not part of our existing programme – golf, football.</p> <p>Greater element of risk, within safe boundaries, introduced in lessons. This has developed physical skills to the safe limit of abilities.</p> <p>All pupils have experienced outdoor and adventurous activities.</p> <p>We were able to have a qualifying pupil in the Northumberland School games.</p>
Transport to sports festivals	<p>18 pupils have attended at least one sports festival, working with pupils from the other schools in our scheme.</p> <p>They have had access to more specialist equipment and coaching at these festivals – Football, gymnastics (including trampoline), winter olympics, multi-sports and golf.</p> <p>Children have entered competitions at level 2 and friendly levels</p>
Purchase of resources to aid teaching	Improve quality and range of equipment available to pupils

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