

Castleton & Glaisdale Primary Schools

Sports Premium Funding Report

Physical education is valued at Castleton & Glaisdale Primary Schools and is an important part of our curriculum. We believe it enables children to grow in confidence, build self-esteem and self-reliance, and develop social skills.

What is Sports Premium Funding?

In 2013 the Government provided an additional £150 million to schools 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, is allocated to primary school head teachers. The funding is ring-fenced and can only be spent on the provision of PE and sport in schools.

Castleton & Glaisdale Schools receives approximately £16,000 per year for each school.

Purpose of Funding

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

Possible uses for the funding might include:

- Hiring specialist PE teachers or qualified sports coaches to work with primary teachers when teaching PE.
- Supporting and engaging the least active children through new and additional clubs.
- Paying for professional development opportunities for teachers in PE and sport.
- Providing cover to release primary teachers for professional development in PE and sport.
- Running sports competitions, or increasing pupils' participation in the school games.
- Buying quality assured professional development modules or materials for PE and sport.
- Providing places for pupils on after school sports clubs and holiday clubs.
- Pooling the additional funding with that of other local schools.

Accountability

Since September 2013, schools are held to account for how they spend their additional, ring-fenced funding. Ofsted strengthened the coverage of PE and sport within the Inspectors' handbook and guidance so that both schools and inspectors know how sport and PE will be assessed as part of the school's overall provision.

Schools are required to include details of their provision of PE and sport on their website, alongside details of their broader curriculum, so that parents can compare sports provision between schools, both within and beyond the school day.

Sports funding for 2019/20 is: £16,000 (Castleton), £16,000 (Glaisdale)		Impact
Coaching (Including PE co-ordinator, specialist instructors, dance events and after school clubs)	£ 6000	Children had access to sessions delivered by specialist instructors, including after-school clubs. Attendance in cross-school clubs enabled children to develop social skills through learning alongside peers from other schools. Children were able to develop skills in order to compete in local sports events and tournaments.
Additional Staffing to support clubs and attend events TA support so that PE co-ordinator is not the only one member of staff with the clubs or around the site. TA available to support external events so that children are able to attend	£ 2000	Provision of extra-curricular activities was improved due to availability of additional staff. Children were able to attend tournaments and events during school time, supported by school staff.
Forest Schools Forest Schools teacher – 0.2 per week Additional staffing to ensure ratios are accurate – 0.2 per week	£14,000 £5,000	Children had access to regular forest school provision, delivered by trained staff. Children made progress against the '50 skills' and pupil voice reported high levels of engagement and enjoyment.
Transport (Buses and coaches to and from sporting events and competitions)	£4000	Transport enabled access to a range of events beyond our village location.
Primary Schools Sports Membership Allows children to participate in a range of events with pupils from other schools	£1500	Children had the opportunity to participate in a range of events. Staff also had access to appropriate training and support; particularly useful in preparing for the safe return to PE and sport from September 2020.
School Trips	£1500	The residential visit was cancelled due to Covid-19. The possibility of rearranging this will be explored once overnight stays are considered safe.
Total	£34,000	Both schools allocated equal funding so as to ensure children receive the same experiences.