

David Livingstone Academy Sports Impact Report 2019-20

What is the Sports Premium?

The Government in England has provided additional funding of over £150 million per annum since 2013/14 to improve PE and school sport in primary schools. Schools with 16 or fewer eligible pupils receive £500 per pupil. Schools with 17 or more eligible pupils receive £16,000 and an additional payment of £10 per pupil. The money goes directly to Head teachers to enable them to improve the quality of PE and sport for all children. Schools must spend this on improving their sports and PE provision, but can choose how to do this.

Our main objectives:

At David Livingstone Academy, we have a dedicated Sports Coach who is responsible for high-quality Physical Education provision and instruction. Our PE curriculum aims to ensure that all children are physically active for regular and sustained periods of time, and make progress and develop their skills across a range of activities and sports. We aim to increase the participation rate in sporting clubs such as football and handball across the academy that take place before and after school. These clubs provide the opportunity for children to engage in team activities within smaller groups. Pupils in Years 3 to 6 have a half term of weekly swimming lessons which are subsidised by our Sports Premium Funding. Children take part in athletics and other sporting events within the local authority and we have made links with Crystal Palace Football Club to access workshops and events. We wish our pupils to become confident in competitive and individual sports and to gain knowledge to support their health and fitness. At David Livingstone, we hope that this will provide them with the chance to discover new talents, aptitudes and preferences while learning to make positive choices about physical activity.

Our Sports Grant was used to:

- Project a positive image of the Academy when competing against other schools, focussing on team spirit, good sportsmanship and positivity.
- Ensure that equipment is safe, practical, usable and in a good condition.
- Participate in competitions within our local area and within STEP Academy Trust.
- Introduce new forms of sport/exercise.
- Identify pupils that will benefit from sport to manage their emotions.
- Ensure every child has the opportunity to take part in a sporting activity/PE and not accepting pupils not having a PE kit as an excuse not to take part.
- Provide an opportunity to showcase our sporting talents to our parents and staff.

Impact Statement 2019/20
Curriculum

In 2019/20 David Livingstone Academy employed a PE and Sports Coach to deliver a PE curriculum and to model PE lessons to all teachers. Every child in Reception to Year 6 received 2 hours of PE lessons each week. Spare PE kits were made available to PPG families and to those pupils who may have forgotten their PE kit at home. This ensured that all our pupils were included in PE sessions. A PE curriculum which includes complete, whole-school schemes of work for Gymnastics, Dance, Games, Athletics and Outdoor and Adventurous Activities for Primary Schools have been implemented and as such our pupils are exposed to a number of activities that they wouldn't normally have access to.

Clubs

The range of before, after school and lunchtime activities available to pupils across the Academy increased last year. Sporting activities were available for pupils from Reception to Year 6, and included dance, gymnastics and football (KS1 and KS2 groups).

Competitions

At the end of each academic year, we planned to host a Sports Day for KS1 and KS2 respectively to showcase our talents to our parents and the community, however, because of the COVID-19 pandemic, this had to be cancelled.

Throughout the year, Key Stage 2 pupils had the chance to participate in a number of inter-school competitions, including football, cricket and athletics as part of Croydon Sports Partnership. This comprehensive competition calendar is designed to encourage schools to actively participate in a wide range of inclusive events.

Summary of Sports Grant Premium Spending 2019/20

Project/Item	Cost
Sports Equipment	£12,700
Sports Day	£0
Minibus	£600
Swimming Lessons	£2,500
Sports trips	£2,300
TOTAL	£18,100

2019/20 Sports Grant	Expenditure	Balance
£18,100	£18,100	£0