

Primary PE and Sports Premium 2024-2025: Funding Plan

The government is continuing to provide additional funding for the academic year 2024/25 to improve the provision of physical education and sport in primary schools. This funding is provided with the aim to:

- Develop or add to the P.E. and sport activities that school already offers
- Build capacity and capability within school to ensure that improvements now will benefit pupils joining the school in future years.

There are five key indicators that schools should expect to see improvements across:

- The engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity (the Chief Medical Officer guidelines recommend at least 60 minutes per day of which 30 minutes should be in school)
- The profile of PE and sport is raised across the school as a tool for whole-school improvement
- Increased confidence, knowledge and skills of all staff in teaching P.E. and sport
- Broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils
- Increased participation in competitive sport.



Proposed spending for current academic year

2024-25	£19,600	Aim
Swimming pool package	£5,000	This will enable the school to provide catch up swimming sessions on site. The sessions will be carried out by fully qualified Sports Coaching Group swimming instructors.
PE Resources	£4,500	Updating and adding to the P.E. equipment will allow more children to access a wider range of sports and more will have the opportunity to be involved and engaged before, during and after school. We will be able to expand Sports Day again this year, as well as complete whole school events such as National Sports Week and compete in local competitions.
PE and OPAL storage	£3,500	Our PE and OPAL storage needs updating with something more suitable for the storage of our vast range of sporting equipment so it can be kept in good condition, encourage easy access for children to participate in daily sport and aid its longevity.
OPAL Play Resources	£2,575	To build on our Platinum award by improving the school grounds in order to create happier playtimes, better play spaces and enable staff to support rich outdoor play and learning – enhancing daily exercise and engagement in outdoor activities.
Sports Week	£1,900	To offer an exciting range of activities to celebrate sports week in June 2025.
KSSP	£1,375	To give all children an opportunity to compete against other children from the Knutsford Schools' Sports Partnership.
OPAL Reaccreditation	£750	To continue to extend the range of outdoor play and learning activities using latest guidance and best practice in a safe manner.