What is the PE and Sport Premium?

• The Government invests £320m per year directly into primary schools with the objective of achieving self-sustaining improvement in the quality of PE and sport. This funding is called the Primary PE & Sport Premium (PESP) and schools receive the funding based on the number of pupils in years 1 to 6.

• Each year, approximately £36m will be shared between state schools, academies and pupil referral units in London that have primary aged pupils.

• The long term vision of the funding is that “all pupils leave primary school physically literate and with the knowledge, skills and motivation necessary to equip them for a healthy lifestyle and lifelong participation in physical activity and sport”.

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5 Key Indicators from the PE and Sport Premium

There are 5 key indicators that schools should expect to see improvement across:

- Increase in physical activity levels (CMO guidelines-60 minutes on average each day)
- Higher profile of the role PE and Sport can play in whole school improvement
- Increased confidence, knowledge and skills of staff delivering PE and sport
- Increased participation in competitive sport
- Broader range of sport and activities being offered
How much funding does each school get?

• Based on data collected from the January 2019 census, schools receive PE and Sport premium funding based on the number of pupils in years 1 to 6.

• Schools with 16 or fewer pupils receive £1,000 per pupil.

• Schools with 17 or more pupils receive £16,000 plus £10 per pupil.
How could schools use their premium?

✓ Training, mentoring and/or resources for teachers
✓ Hiring qualified sports coaches to work alongside teachers
✓ Introducing new sports, dance or other activities
✓ Getting the least active children active
✓ Entering more sport competitions
✓ Partnering with other schools to run sports activities
✓ Increasing pupils’ participation in the School Games
✓ Sports leadership or volunteer roles that support sport and physical activity
✓ Providing additional swimming provision targeted to pupils not able to meet the swimming requirements
✓ Embeding physical activity such as active travel, active playgrounds and active teaching

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How schools can’t use their premium

To teach the minimum requirements of the national curriculum – with the exception of top-up swimming lessons after pupils’ completion of core lessons (or, in the case of academies and free schools, to teach your existing PE curriculum)

To employ coaches or specialist teachers to cover planning preparation and assessment (PPA) arrangements

To fund capital expenditure
Planning your spend of the PE and Sport Premium

We would advise you and your school to follow a simple four-stage process when it comes to spending your PE and Sport premium.

What is the impact?
Your impact can be qualitative and quantitative
Record your impact

Where are you now?
Self-review
How Broad is your PE, physical activity and sport offer across your school?
What are the gaps

What will you do?
Create an action plan of what you are going to do?
Have clear timescales, what needs to be done.

Is it sustainable?
How sustainable is your spending?
Will there be the same impact in one year, 5 or 10 years?

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Useful resources

DfE Guidance on the PE and sport premium for primary schools
NEW AfPE & YST Evidencing the Impact Template 19/20
Engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity video
A tool for whole school improvement video
Increase the confidence and skills of all staff in teaching PE video
More children, more sports, more competition video
London Sport School Suppliers Hub
AfPE PE & Sport Premium FAQ’s
Coaching in Primary Schools Toolkit
Reporting deadline

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