

The Sports Premium Funding 2016

Impact to Date

For the last 3 years the Government has provided Primary schools with an additional grant for improving the participation and attainment of pupils in PE and Sports. At Bromesberrow St Mary's Primary School, we were awarded £8275 for the academic year 2015-2016 and will be awarded the same for 2016-2017. This funding, which is ring-fenced for investment in sport, is given directly to schools to use as they wish for improving the quality of sport and PE.

At Bromesberrow St Mary's we have always recognised the positive contribution of PE to the health and well-being of the children. We believe that an innovative, varied PE curriculum and extra-curricular opportunities have a positive influence on the concentration, attitude and academic achievement of our children. We are also keen to ensure that we make the best use of our hall and outdoor areas.

The Sports Premium has allowed us to provide a Sports Specialist to work alongside class teachers in the delivery of our PE curriculum. This ensures that all teachers constantly receive the latest guidance in how to deliver well organised and challenging PE lessons which have a positive impact on the children's attainment in PE. It has also helped class teachers to develop their confidence and skills in teaching PE.

In 2013 KS1 had 65% of pupils attaining age related expected levels. In 2016 this has risen to 80%.

In 2013 KS2 had 60% of pupils attaining age related expectations levels. In 2016 this had risen to 81%

Having a Sports Specialist, working alongside our PE Lead, has enabled us to further increase the number of extra-curricular clubs on offer at our school. The number and variety of extra-curricular clubs involving physical activity has increased year on year since 2013. Over the course of the current academic year, we have provided the following clubs, which offer the opportunity for children to participate in organised extra-curricular activities involving physical exercise: Tag rugby, football, multi-sports, dance, gymnastics and Team Bees hockey and netball.

Since 2014 the take up in sports related activities/clubs has increased by 30% in Ks1 and by 35% in KS2.

The Premium has also helped us to fund our membership of the Newent Schools partnership who organise numerous competitive sporting activities.

In conclusion the impact of Premium funding has been: higher attainment across both key stages, greater participation/attendance in sporting extra-curricular activities, increase in staff confidence and skills in delivering high quality PE lessons and the ability to join sports partnerships.