



Impact of School PE Funding 2018/2019

With this funding we aim to improve the provision of PE and sport in our school. This academic year, ALL children have had the opportunity to participate in whole school competitions. As a result, 100% of pupils took part in competitions in school. We are active members of the local Bournemouth schools cluster for sport, with over 35% of children taking part in local competitions. Children have also been participating in friendly matches with other junior and primary schools in the local area. This is in addition to our team Sports Programme we continue to maintain from last year.

At Elm Academy we have always promoted the importance of sport in our school. We believe that sport enhances the lives of our children by teaching them to be active, healthy and live a healthy lifestyle. Sports also teach children morals when following rules and developing sportsmanship. The social aspect of school and learning is also met through sport in team games. Sporting excellence and participation has always been a very strong focus in our school.

New equipment has been purchased to encourage children to participate in physical activity. Below is a list of equipment that has been purchased in order to deliver PE lessons effectively and for the children to experience new sports.

- Specialist age appropriate tennis balls
- A medal or Sticker for every child on sports day
- Entering competitions - Team Sports fees - £350
- Swimming Gala Entry
- Sports Day equipment
- Junior hockey sticks and balls
- Portable Sound System

We have also established Sports Ambassadors who assist teachers in the delivery of lunchtime clubs. They also run their own lunchtime club which involves fun games and activities specifically aimed at less active children in KS1.

The Sports Premium Funding has allowed us to improve the quality of our PE provision. The school received £12,300 and we have spent that on ensuring good quality PE and health education across our school, including a new P.E curriculum based on a varied number of sports for key stage 1 and 2.

Within the cohort for the academic year 2018/2019, our qualified swimming instructor has confirmed that 75% can now swim competently, confidently and proficiently over 25 metres

while also using a range of strokes effectively, also to be competently perform self-rescue in different water-based situations.

Within the playtime provision, pupils have been playing small-sided games and learning how to win and lose appropriately. As well as providing a choice of activities including football, basketball, hockey and netball, we have also introduced girls football, proving extremely popular.

Below is a summary of how we have spent the Sport Premium Funds and how the Sports Premium is having an impact on the quality, participation, skill development and enjoyment of PE at Elm Academy:

Elm Academy are proud to offer our children a wide range of extra-curricular activities which are led by our Curriculum Enrichment Co-ordinator. All of our clubs are very popular with our children and during 2018/19, 82% of our children participated in at least one club, with over 70% of these children participating in at least 3 different after-school clubs. This and the employment of staff within Ambitions Academy Trust has enabled us to offer the vast majority of our clubs free of charge and include not only sports clubs designed to engage children further with team games but also clubs that celebrate the creative arts and those which further a love of learning. Currently, the extra-curricular clubs on offer to all pupils, free of charge, are: football, tag rugby, athletics, dodgeball, gymnastics, rounders, tennis, chior, arts and crafts, cross country and cricket.

Over the academic year they run additional clubs on the school grounds, allowing our children the chance to experience and enjoy a wider range of sports. This also provides them with the opportunity to succeed and excel in competitive sport whilst also receiving professional tuition at a minimal cost. These sports have included gymnastics and football.

We are proud of our sporting achievements at Elm Academy and during 2018-19 our children participated in the following competitions and events:

Event	Number of children	Number of Events
Cross country	12	3
Football Predator	30	3
Football Can do	10	1
Indoor Athletics	26	2
Tag Rugby	10	2
Bronze Ambassadors	12	1

Quad Kids	24	2
Tri Golf	10	1
Swimming Gala	1	1
Town Sports	30	1
Cricket	12	1
Girls Rounders	10	1
Mixed Rounders	10	1
Dorset County Swimming	1	1
Dorset County Finals Athletics	2	1
Hockey inter academy	20	1
Football Inter academy	20	1
AFCB Girls football	10	1
Team Up Challenge	14	1
TOTAL	264	26

