

Stanton Bridge Primary school

Sport premium grant funding

Academic year 2020/21

The school received a grant of £19,430 for Primary school sports in the academic year 2020/21. The money was used in a number of different ways to support the provision of improved quality of sports and PE and its impact.

How we spent the funding:

Activities/Initiatives selected	Cost (Approximate)
Swimming sessions (On site temporary pool)	£4,945
Competitions and events (Internal & External)	£0
General Sports Equipment & maintenance	£421.75
Health and Well-being clubs	£0
Holiday clubs	£14,063.25
Total	£19,430

Impact of primary school sports funding 2020/21

Ofsted has strengthened its coverage of sport and PE within the inspectors Handbook and supporting guidance, so that schools and inspectors know how sport and PE will be assessed in future as part of the schools overall provision offered.

Note: Forced school closures has impacted on the activities that we have safely been able to run. Bubbles maintained throughout the year, swimming sessions adapted where possible and more focus on provision within holiday clubs to provide support for pupils of key workers.

In the academic year 2020 – 201 the average progress of our children in sport/PE was improved compared to the previous years for the time that pupils were in face to face teaching. This following list is our usual provision and adaptations due to Covid:

- General fitness coaching/ activities – focus on this through PE lessons to maintain bubbles and not crossing year groups.
- Before school activities: activate, breakfast club sports – no activate due to the nature of its large gathering. Breakfast club maintained however physical activity limited due to maintaining of year group bubbles.
- Structured playtime and lunchtime activities (for all ages) Maintained through use of structured timetable for year group bubbles. Activity all outdoor in line with Covid safe guidance.
- Targeted lunchtime activities led by a sports coach – This has been revisited towards the end of the year where restrictions allow. Targeted support through sports coach and councillor for those needing mental and physical support through physical activity.
- Sports clubs after school Limited to year group bubbles once restrictions allowed.

From September 2020 all people premium pupils were able to access the coaching for free. As in previous years, pupils have: shown increased fitness levels, become healthier through changing lifestyle and fitness choices, lead more active lifestyles in and out of school, engaged in a wider range of activities and showed a greater level of enthusiasm for sports and PE.

However, provision has further targeted those who need support over lockdown in terms of mental health, coping with emotions and physical conditions due to Covid 19 and school closures.

By the end of year 6, pupils are expected to be able to swim 25 metres unaided. In the 2020/21 academic year, Stanton Bridge moved swimming lessons from weekly to daily within a 2-week intense course. To alleviate the time spent travelling, a temporary pool was to be installed on the school playground where pupils would have the opportunity to swim in smaller groups with qualified instructors.

This year, 6 pupils were only able to complete 1 course of swimming sessions due to national schools' closure. Based on the data gathered:

Pupils swimming 25m unaided – July 2021.	37%
Pupils predicted to make 25m had they been able to complete 2 full courses	56%

12 pupils in the year group did not take part in swimming due to parent removal from sessions.