

## ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

*"Where we learn to love and love to learn"*

### **FUNDING FOR PRIMARY SCHOOL – PE AND SPORTS – 2023/24**

The "Sport Premium Grant" is devolved funding from central government. The funding must be used to make improvements to the provision of PE and sport, for the benefit of pupils aged 5 – 11 years old, in the 2023/24 academic year. This crucial resource is designed to provide all pupils with practical tools and opportunities to develop healthy lifestyles. We are committed to using this capital to develop high quality PE lessons, ensuring that the improvements we make to the quality of PE and sport as a result of the funding are sustainable. Furthermore we will continue to build upon links with local schools and sporting organisations in order to provide great opportunities for involvement in sporting competitions for all our young people. St. Joseph's received a grant of **£17,135** in 2022/23.

### **LAST YEAR WE HIGHLIGHTED THE FOLLOWING AS AREAS FOR FURTHER DEVELOPMENT**

- **Transport**
- **Sports and All**
- **Games Equipment**
- **Maintenance and Outdoor Equipment**
- **Gardening Projects**
- **Year 6 Trip**
- **Swimming**
- **PE Passport**
- **Karate Day**
- **Shapes**
- **Gifts for danceathon/charity fund raiser**
- **Cost of 2 pupils to attend sports residential**
- **Diwali Dance Workshop**
- **English Country Dance Workshop**

### **THIS IS WHAT WE DID: ACTION**

- **Further developed the outside area to build on the good work thus far so that more sport could take place in a wider range of activities:**  
Reorganisation of the playground into clearer zones by sports provider, continued on from previous years target of making the most of our school grounds. Trees and planters and planting areas kept well maintained and tidy. Maintenance of playground surface. Site inspections carried out termly with our site manager.
- **A whole school "sports day" which will link in with other subjects:**

This was planned for and delivered in May 2023. Similar to previous years, the children in EYFS and KS1 were supported by Year 6.

- **Continue with extracurricular sports and activities:**

Sports And All led in delivering additional clubs during lunchtime, whilst maintaining high standards set out at lunch time for mid-day staff on the playground.

- **Partake in more competitive sport:**

We re-signed with the local School Games organisers, so were included in opportunities that they deliver and offer in the area. Through this opportunity we were able to compete in inter school tournaments and offer our children more opportunities than before. We continued to make links with Stockport County who offered a whole school assembly and training course on mental health/football training sessions with our Year 5 children.

- **Extend work with outside agencies to enhance experiences for children:**

Sports And All delivered staff CPD in PE and gave additional PE lesson advice to staff. They assisted with lunch time provision on the playground and also provided a coach to deliver team games, practise for upcoming events and have a wider impact on Physical Education, School Sport and Physical Activity.

## **IMPACT**

By continuing to work with trained sports coaches and professionals we have been able to continue with the process of CPD for staff enabling them to offer a wider range of sports supported by professional coaches to share best practice. Teachers are more confident in delivering sports activities with their children and their knowledge has been enhanced and measured. We've been able to measure this through the use of CPOMS where we have identified a reduction in negative behaviour during lunchtimes. We still have work to do, but this has definitely had a positive impact.

The children have taken part in football, netball and athletics competitions against other Stockport and Greater Manchester schools. We will continue to develop and enhance opportunities and experiences and make the most of our links with local schools and sports organisations.

## **HOW WE NEED TO DEVELOP AND BUILD ON THE ACHIEVEMENTS SO FAR**

For the next financial year (23/24) we want to continue to build on the excellent work we have undertaken to date. We will continue to use Sports And All who provide excellent high quality sports provision. They will be leading sports in school (PE and Games and extra-curricular activities, alongside teaching staff and mid-day assistants). New equipment will be purchased this year and our outside area will be further improved and maintained following the existing improvements this year.

We will continue to provide our children with opportunities to take part in competitive sporting action through maintaining links with local schools and organisations such as Stockport County. We will continue to attend successful local sporting events – Stockport Schools Cross Country, Manchester United Emerging Talent Programme Tournaments etc and endeavour to participate in additional inter school competitions.

To provide further knowledge and experience to existing members of staff we will seek to provide Forest School Training as we continue to develop our outdoor areas.

Alan Pickles (school volunteer) has been leading an internal project, with the support of our children, to develop the outside area for all key stages and work to further develop our own Forest School. This has seen a great improvement in the uses of outdoor areas such as the allotment and the KS1 play area.

We continue to invest in an app called P.E. Passport. This will enable us to track and monitor the pupils' assessments in PE and Sports, whilst giving us the opportunity to gather evidence and share pupil voices. This will help us have an impact long term and collect data which will give us a clear idea on who participates in PE, extra-curricular activities and will deliver clear data. This tool also provides lesson plans for across the school.

Our spending plan objective for 2023/2024 is to continue to improve the provision of PE and sport to benefit all children who are part of the school by focusing on 3 areas: Physical Education, Healthy, Safe & Active Lifestyles and Competitive Sport. Under each of these areas we will:

#### **Physical Education**

- Increase staff subject knowledge and confidence in PE with the provision of support from qualified sports coaches working with teachers to achieve high quality teaching and learning in lessons.
- Ensure provision links with other subjects to contribute to pupil's overall achievement and their social, spiritual, moral and cultural skills.

#### **Healthy, Safe & Active Lifestyles**

- Facilitate and encourage activities at lunch and break times
- Deliver school-based health and wellbeing activities and intervention strategies to raise awareness of healthy, safe and active lifestyle choices.

#### **Competitive Sport**

- Provide a variety of inclusive competitive sport opportunities
- Meet the costs of attending inter school competitions to remove any barriers to participation
- Work with our collaboration of local schools to facilitate inter-school competitions providing further opportunities for children to participate in competitive sport and to build experience in roles such as pupil sports leaders.

### Actual Budget for 2023/24

Item/Company	Purpose	Additional Details	Improvements to school PE	Expenditure
<b>Sports and All Limited</b>	Improve the standard of teaching and learning in PE. To provide increased PE provision throughout the year (qualified coach provision). To increase the opportunity for children to access competitive sports and deliver two PE lessons per week.	2 x KS1 and 2 x KS2 weekly session provided by a qualified coach each week. Topics changed each half term. Involvement in Inter school competitions e.g., orienteering, cross country, football and netball, through Little sports.  Termly CPD for staff identified to undertake coordination roles.	More children have the opportunity to take part in a variety of sports and activities. More children have the opportunity to take part	<b>£9750</b>
<b>Transport</b>	To enable the children at St Joseph's to travel to sporting events/competitions, watch/compete and return.	Minibus size/coaches are dependent on which sport or event we are travelling to and from. Planned events are football matches, outdoor adventure trips.	More opportunities accessed as we can't access them without the travel, and don't have the grounds to host all of these events.	<b>£4000</b>
<b>Games Equipment</b>	To support PE lessons, lunch time games and clubs before and after school.	Equipment is ordered with a long term plan in mind. The equipment purchased is of a high standard and is long lasting.	The equipment purchased enables clubs to run, events to be held and equipment is sustainable.	<b>£1000</b>
<b>Swimming – Stockport Council</b>	Provide fifteen (15) thirty minute lessons for all children in KS2 (identified due to low number of pupils starting lessons with no water confidence/swimming skills)	Higher number of children will achieve 25m expectation.	More confident and water safe swimmers. Encouragement of children to swim outside of school.	<b>£1980</b>
<b>PE Passport</b>	The PE passport tool helps teachers to assess the progress made by our children in PE. It contains lesson plans, an assessment tool and additional	Teachers and PE staff confidently and accurately assess the sporting prowess of children in the school. Recommendations can be made to the PE Coordinator for gifted and	Accurate assessment of children completed.	<b>£360</b>

	resources and tools.	talented children to compete in sporting events.		
<b>John Usher Educational Services</b>	Provide a safe, stimulating, engaging area for children to play and comfortably practice sports activities.		All children able to participate in a wide range of sporting activities in safe designated sporting zones.	<b>£3000</b>
<b>Development of playground</b>				
<b>Cost of five (5) pupils to attend sports residential</b>	To ensure equal access for all pupils to attend residential trips with a focus on physical activity. To ensure disadvantaged pupils have the opportunity to experience a range of activities and sports.		All children able to attend the residential. This supported SEMH needs, strengthened friendships and supported pupil wellbeing.	<b>5x residential cost</b>  <b>TBC</b>
<b>KS1 Sports Equipment</b>	Sports equipment including new bikes, trikes and scooters (and associated equipment i.e. helmets) and basketball hoops.		Daily sporting activities for children.	<b>£1000</b>
<b>Sports Development Competitions and Matches</b>	Children to participate in competitive matches/activities against other schools and in the local area. Such activities require funding in terms of transport/kit etc E.g. cross country bibs, sporting kit etc		Monthly competitive sports events for children help boost confidence and self-esteem.	<b>£1000</b>
<b>Playground Leaders</b>	UKS2 children to be provided with bibs detailing the school logo, badges and caps.		Children act in the role of playground leaders to support sports activities during playtime/lunchtimes.	<b>£200</b>
Total planned expenditure: 23-2024				<b>£19,290</b>

**Incoming funds potentially £17,230.**