



Ayios Nikolaos PE and Sports Premium Funding

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Background

The Government is providing funding to improve the provision and quality of physical education and sport in primary schools. Jointly provided by the Departments of Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport, this funding is ring-fenced and therefore can only be spent on provision of PE and sport in schools.

Possible uses of funding include:

- Hire specialist PE teachers.
- Hire qualified sports coaches to work with teachers.
- Provide existing staff with teaching resources to help them teach PE and sport.
- Support and involve the least active children by running or extending school sports clubs, holiday clubs and Change4Life clubs.
- Run sport competitions or increase pupils' participation in the School Games.
- Run sports activities with other schools.

Allocation:

For this financial year, we received the amount of £8,705.

The aims of Ayios Nikolaos School:

Following staff and pupil questionnaires we have identified where the premium can support staff with opportunities for CPD and pupils with opportunities to try a wide range of sporting pursuits.

We aim to provide:

- Staff training and development (e.g. Fundamental Skills training, accessing training from specialists such as British Gymnastic coaching).
- Participation and hosting with schools cross-island for a range of sports tournaments (e.g. cross-country, netball, football).
- Membership of Association for PE (to support PE Coordinator in assessing/monitoring of PE and sport).
- Developing an effective assessment system for expected outcomes through all Key Stages and trackable data.
- Setting up and running of at least one new after school sport club per term with a focus on cross-island competition of that particular sport (e.g. Tag Rugby).
- Buying new equipment and resources to provide a wide range of opportunities for our pupils (e.g. table tennis tables).

Measuring impact and progress:

There are numerous ways in which we will measure impact. We will measure the impact of professional development in improving teaching and learning in PE. We will also look at progress in PE within the curriculum. Additionally we will look at pupil development in relation to applying the taught skills in competitive cross-island games.

What will be the impact of the funding?

At Ayios Nikolaos Primary School we believe that PE and physical activity remains a priority and our objective is to improve the quality of our existing PE through continuing professional learning in PE for generalists, so that all primary pupils improve their health, skills and physical literacy. We also aim to provide exposure to a broader range of sports. Furthermore, we aim to increase the participation levels in competitive sport and healthy activity of all the pupils and to maintain the high values and quality of PE and sports across the school, including its use as a tool for whole school improvement.

Expenditure to date:

So far this financial year we have purchased the following from this funding:

- 3 Indoor and Outdoor Table Tennis tables for £1150.
- 9 sessions of professional rugby coaching for after school tag rugby, €270.
- Full size basketball nets, £430.
- And a variety of new equipment for P.E. lessons.

Planned Expenditure:

Due to our commitment to provide the very best PE curriculum and to promote life-long healthy living awareness, we also allocate funding from our own budget or secure additional SCE funding for larger projects.

We have successfully secured funding to resurface and sun shade a dedicated sports area next to our main hall. The area will have marked courts and be used to develop skills in:

- Netball
- Basketball
- Football
- Badminton
- Gymnastics.

We also have funding allocated to provide sun shading on the existing ball court that is scheduled to be completed by the end of January 2017.