Sports Funding at Blakeley Heath Primary School 2018 – 2019

We use sports funding to develop and enhance the teaching of PE and Sports at Blakeley Heath. Our aim is to engage all children in sporting activity and to develop a healthy lifestyle for themselves. This year school were awarded £18,190

At Blakeley Heath we have a long history of promoting PE and competitive sport and we are committed to providing the pupils with a wide range of opportunities to engage in sport and exercise. As a result of our actions last year, Blakeley Heath was awarded the Gold Active mark Award.

Action	Impact
Sports coach employed to ensure the provision of high quality PE lessons for children across school.	Consistency in the progression of children's skills in PE. Development of the PE curriculum for all staff.
Sports coaches employed to provide a wider range of sports clubs after school.	More children will be able to have access to clubs covering a range of sports with the opportunity to be signposted onto further clubs. A higher number of children in Key Stage 1 were able to participate in activities.
Sports coach and school staff engaging a wider group of children in lunchtime activities.	Children who are less motivated to participate in activities at lunchtime are encouraged to take part and develop skills. Each day there is provision on both KS1 and KS2 playgrounds.
Develop playground environment to encourage more self-initiated activities at lunchtime and playtime. Opportunities for children to participate in additional exercise classes using exercise equipment.	More children engaged in activity at breaktime and lunchtime and children are able to see an improvement in their own fitness levels – also evidenced in PE baseline assessment.

Training for staff to develop skills in teaching PE and ensure sustainability of high quality teaching across school using external sports coaches.	Sports coach to develop staff skills through whole school training, coaching and teaching alongside class teachers which will see improved practice.
Cover for PE subject leader to allow attendance at CPD and local network meetings to develop provision of competitions in the local area. Release of WAKAPS lead in order to allow more children to attend a wider range of opportunities and	PE subject leader is able to develop links and opportunities for PE and sport within school and the local community. Children are able to attend a wider range of competitions and more children can become involved with 'B' and 'C' team participation.
After school activity sessions to prepare children for participation in local and national competition	A higher number of children have access to team coaching sessions allowing for greater progression in competitions.

Swimming attainment for Y6 children

91% of our Year 6 children are able to swim at least 25 metres (30 out of 33 children).

88% of children use a range of strokes efficiently (29 out of 33 children).

67% of children are able to perform safe self-rescue in water based situations (22 out of 33 children).