



# SS John Fisher & Thomas More Catholic Primary School

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## PE & Sport Strategy 2017-18

### **Aims**

At St John Fisher and St Thomas More Catholic Primary school, we constantly strive to deliver the highest quality Physical Education, sport and physical activities for all of our children. We want all pupils to become physically literate and develop the knowledge, skills and motivation necessary to equip them for a healthy, active lifestyle, as well as lifelong participation in physical activity and sport.

### **PE and Sport Premium**

Since 2013, the government has provided additional funding to improve provision of PE and sport in primary schools. This funding - provided jointly by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport - was allocated to primary school headteachers. Recently the government committed to funding the primary school Sports Premium up until 2020 - an investment worth £750 million. Schools must use the funding to make additional and sustainable improvements to the quality of PE and sport on offer, which means the premium should be used to:

1. develop or add to the PE and sport activities that the school already offers
2. build capacity and capability within the school to ensure that improvements made now will benefit pupils joining the school in future years.

There are 5 key indicators that schools should expect to see improvement across:

1. The engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity - the Chief Medical Officer guidelines recommend that all children and young people aged 5 to 18 engage in at least 60 minutes of physical activity a day, of which 30 minutes should be in school.
2. The profile of PE and sport is raised across the school as a tool for whole-school improvement.
3. Increased confidence, knowledge and skills of all staff in teaching PE and sport.
4. Broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils.



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## 5. Increased participation in competitive sport.

### **The amount of PE and Sport Premium received**

During the academic year 2017 to 2018, schools with 17 or more eligible pupils will receive £16,000 and an additional payment of £10 per pupil. Therefore, at St John Fisher, we expect to receive £18,560 in PE and Sport Premium.

### **How the PE and Sport Premium will be spent**

The PE and Sport Premium will be spent as follows:

£4860 - Fund after-school clubs for up to 60 children per half-term.

£4750 - Outdoor Adventurous Activities (Ghyll Head)

£3300 - Employ a specialist coaching organisation who will be responsible for:

- providing staff with professional development, mentoring, training and resources to help them teach PE and sport more effectively.
- delivering high quality PE lesson across KS1 and KS2.
- leading two after school sports clubs per week.

£2000 - For teacher professional development and INSET days.

£2000 - Employ a specialist coaching organisation to run a lunch time physical activity club two days per week.

£650 - Membership to Manchester PE Association giving the school access to many opportunities including a wide variety of inter-school competitions, festivals, professional development opportunities for teachers and others adults belonging to our community.

£500 - Time allowed for subject leader to conduct learning walks and liaise with coaching company.

£300 - Purchase of additional PE equipment to ensure high quality sport provision



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## Impact on pupils' PE and sport participation and attainment

In order to measure how the money has made a difference to the PE and sport participation and attainment of the pupils at St John's, we test the children's fitness every term to monitor if their fitness levels are increasing or decreasing. We also monitor the numbers participating in extra-curricular clubs to ensure that the children's enjoyment in sport continues. In 2016 to 2017, 69% of children took part in an extra-curricular club with 44% of these pupils participating in more than one extra-curricular club.

### Swimming competency

During 2016 to 2017, 61.1% of Y6 pupils were able to swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres and use a range of strokes effectively. This is a percentage we are aiming to improve to 70% during the 2017-8 academic year

### How the improvements will be sustainable in the future

In order to ensure that this is sustainable, we have employed a specialist coaching company to work across our school. They have a number of responsibilities, which are overseen by the PE co-ordinator:

- Write schemes of work across all year groups
- Develop fitness tests to assess pupil progress and attainment
- Coach teachers and teaching assistants on how to deliver high quality PE lessons and structured play activities.
- Teach curriculum PE and lead structured play activities during lunchtimes.

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