Sports Premium Report 2015-16

Orchard Community Primary School received £8,915, to be used to develop P.E. and Games and to raise both interest and attainment in Sport. The majority of the money was used to employ Sports coaches on four afternoons each week to work alongside teachers to develop teaching skills. The Sports coaches led the planning, delivery and assessment of the lessons. Every class in the school received coaching every term. Coaching and CPD included; gymnastics, basketball, football, tag rugby, netball, hockey, Sportshall Athletics, cross country, tennis, Quadkids Athletics and Tri Golf.

In addition, one of the coaches took on responsibility to train a group of Young Sports Leaders. These children ran lunchtime activity sessions for children in Key Stage 1 and also worked together to run an exciting Sainsbury's School Games Day in the summer term. The standard of leadership of the Young Sports Leaders continues to improve year on year.

Sometimes the Sports coaches worked with the whole class and released the PE Curriculum Leader to provide additional coaching on team tactics and competition skills. The school entered teams into a wide variety of inter-school competitions at local, area and county level and Sports Premium was used to support these activities. We had a lot of success in the competitions with 3 different teams competing in the County Finals. The additional opportunities for competition at this standard have contributed to improving the quality of team sport across the school. We have achieved the Sainsbury's School Games Gold Standard again this year.

A small amount of money was used to provide some non-contact time for the PE subject leader to complete planning and organisation for the school and complete the provision map for Sport to ensure that all children in school benefitted from the additional funding. In addition, she has ensured the website is up to date, developed a sports board to encourage others, and organised competition entries.

Next year we hope to use the Sports Premium

- to continue to raise standards in PE and Sport across the school
- to encourage children who are not natural sports' players to become more involved in sports activities
- to develop links with local clubs