



Yorke Mead Primary School

Sports Premium Report



What is the Sports Premium?

Schools receive a payment, or Sports Premium, for each child who is on roll. This money is ring fenced funding which must be spent on improving the provision of PE and sport within school. The money is being jointly provided by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture and Media and Sport.

Purpose of the Funding

Schools will have to spend the sports funding on improving their provision of PE and sport, but they will also have the freedom to choose how they do this.

Possible uses of the funding include:

- hiring specialist PE teachers or qualified sports coaches to work with primary teachers when teaching PE
- supporting and engaging the least active children through new or additional Change4Life clubs
- paying for professional development opportunities for teachers in PE and sport
- providing cover to release primary teachers for professional development in PE and sport
- running sport competitions, or increasing pupils' participation in the School Games
- buying quality assured professional development modules or materials for PE and sport
- providing places for pupils on after school sports clubs and holiday clubs
- pooling the additional funding with that of other local schools.

Sports Premium Allocation at Yorke Mead	
2017/18	Tbc Expected amount: £16800 approx
2016/17	£9335
2015/16	£9135
2014/ 2015	£9350

How is Yorke Mead using the Sports Premium?

At Yorke Mead we believe that the money spent should be to the benefit of all pupils regardless of ability. As the Sports premium is money that is only guaranteed until 2020 we believe this money must be spent on supporting the long term improvement of PE teaching of the school teachers, so that the impact can stay after the funding has gone.

We also wish to improve children's engagement in physical activity in their own time, beyond the curriculum, developing a life long love of sport and active play.

The table below outlines how we intend to spend the sports funding in 2017-18

Hiring Qualified Sports Coach to work alongside teachers when teaching P E

The school has hired the services of PSD (Primary Sporting Development). PSD is a specialist sports coaching company that works within schools. Their philosophy is to " *provide a comprehensive programme of activity that will attract and sustain young people's interest; helping them to fulfill their maximum sporting potential.*"

At Yorke Mead a consistent PSD coach supports the teaching of PE, attending every Thursday throughout the year. In addition from September 2017 we have extended this to include dance/gymnastics coaching. This will, over the course of the year, benefit all children from Early Years to Year 6. Not only will the children benefit but the staff he supports will also benefit as their own practice teaching PE is enhanced and developed. To find out more visit

<http://www.primarysportingdevelopment.co.uk>

Purchase and Delivery of REAL PE Scheme

In September 2015 the school invested in the purchase of and training in delivery of REAL PE. This is a skills based PE scheme that focuses on the core development of agility, balance, co-ordination, healthy competition and co-operative learning. Our Sports Coach supports staff in the delivery of effective REAL PE lessons and by placing additional and highly experienced staff in the PE lesson children can be kept active and developed further, supporting the development of a life- long love of sport and physical activity

Additional After School Sports Clubs

Yorke Mead School already runs a large number of after school clubs. The focus of these clubs is to enhance the children's confidence and encourage team building as well as the focus on physical activity. Children will be allocated places in the club on a termly basis thus allowing a wider number of children to access the clubs throughout the year.

Additional Lunchtime Physical Activity

Yorke Mead is currently negotiating sports/play leaders to offer additional sporting and physical activity play at lunchtimes. This will encourage children who are less active to be physically active during their lunch breaks, increasing their physical activity and supporting them to find enjoyment in physical activity.

Encouraging Sport for All (*This Girl Can Club and 1:1 sessions for children who need support with co-ordination and core strength*)

Our PSD coach will also organise a number of activities , aimed at encouraging girls who have previously shown a less than positive attitude to PE . The focus of this work will be to develop the confidence of these children and hopefully encourage the children to develop a positive attitude to sport that they can carry forward with them throughout Key Stage 2 and beyond into secondary school.

In addition children who have under developed co-ordination or a weak core strength that is impacting on their ability to perform to age related expectations and may be impacting their enjoyment of sport also will receive 1:1/ small group sessions with the qualified coach to encourage and develop these skills.

Membership of the Rickmansworth Sports Partnership

Yorke Mead will be able to maintain membership of the schools sports partnership. This will ensure the children of Yorke Mead are given the opportunity to attend a number of competitive sporting events in the local area, and if successful qualify for County finals. It also enables staff to attend training to develop their own PE teaching.

In addition there will be sporting festivals held for two year groups during the year, and children in Years 3 -6 will attend a sporting festival each year that all children are able to compete in.

Membership of The Youth Sports Trust

The Youth Sport Trust is passionate about helping all young people to achieve their full potential - and has a range of support available to those working in education and school sport.

Their specialist staff work closely with all schools (primary, secondary and special educational needs) and a range of partners including National Governing Bodies of Sport, our corporate partners and Government, to get even more young people involved in PE and school sport.

Membership will again allow the Yorke Mead staff access to a range of resources and training that will enhance the teaching of PE and sport at Yorke Mead.

Additional Plans for 2017/2018 Expenditure

In addition to the continued use of above the school plans to develop PE and sport further by:

Annual Health and Wellbeing Week

Our plan is to continue to develop our annual Sports Week into a Health & Wellbeing week. This year a key focus of this week will include delivery of skipping workshops for all year groups as well as yoga and mindfulness sessions. This week also places focus on healthy eating and other healthy life skills.

BMX/Cycling Workshops

The delivery of some core strength skills using balance bikes along purchase of balance bikes for early years will help children develop a lifelong skill of cycling which they will be further encouraged and enthused to develop through the BMX sessions.

New Initiatives e.g. The Daily Mile

The school is currently investigating initiatives such The Daily Mile with the aim being to improve fitness levels and wellbeing of the children.

Play Rangers

The delivery of adventurous outdoor play sessions by the Three Rivers Play Rangers will improve the extent children are active at lunch times.

Inspiration for All

Visiting athlete to share inspirational story to encourage children to participate in sporting activities.