PE and Sport Premium 2016-2017

The PE and sport premium is a sum of money the government have allocated to primary school aged children, which is designed to help improve the quality of the PE and sport activities they offer their pupils. The funding should be used to do three main things:

- Raise pupils' achievement in PE.
- Increase pupils' participation and success in school sport (including competitive sport).
- Impact on pupils' engagement in healthy active life style.

At Etonbury we use this money to enrich the PE provision and increase pupils' participation in school sport in a number of different ways. We are raising the pupils' achievement in, for example, athletics by purchasing new equipment which will challenge and engage pupils and extend the curriculum previously on offer especially in the area of fitness. We are also giving our staff subject specific training in a variety of disciplines to ensure they are up to date and engaging the pupils they teach. So far this year, training in dance, athletics and basketball refereeing has been undertaken. We are looking into training PE staff and support staff further in multi skills to support pupils who would benefit from some extra sessions to give them confidence in PE and sport. We have employed outside coaches in several areas such as lacrosse, football and basketball to offer after school sessions. We have allocated some of the funding to work closely with the School Games Organisers within Redborne Sports Partnership. They assist in promoting many aspects of sport and competition. For example, they liaise with NGB's (National Governing Bodies) of many sports and deliver competitions at a regional level, which feed into county and national competitions. Should you require more specific information of how this funding is provided, please contact the PE subject leader Miss Thomas on kthomas@bemat.org.uk.

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