

Sports and PE Grant 2014-2016

Yorkmead school has spent/intends to spend the funding in the following ways:

Time period	Amount of funding received	How the money has been/will be spent	Effect on pupils' PE and sport participation and attainment	How we will make sure/have made sure the improvements are sustainable
September 2014 - March 2015	£5720	A Health Mentor from Evolve was employed to support 2 days a week in year 1 as this was a year group identified as needing a strong role model in terms of behaviour both in class and on the playground. He was used to support the teaching of PE and also to organise activities at break and lunch times to engage the children.	With the Health Mentor's support, children were engaged more in PE lessons and also during break and lunchtime as there were more organised activities available.	The support given to the teachers in year 1 has meant improved planning and delivery in some areas of PE. There is still a need for the improvement of confidence in the teaching of dance and gymnastics.
March 2015 - August 2015	£4085	A Health Mentor from Evolve was employed to support 2 days a week in year 1 as this was a year group identified as needing a strong role model in terms of behaviour both in class and on the playground. He was used to support the teaching of PE and also to organise activities at break and lunch times to engage the children.	With the Health Mentor's support, children were engaged more in PE lessons and also during break and lunchtime as there were more organised activities available.	The Health Mentor made us aware of the possibilities of more organised activities at break and lunch time, which has led to the employment of a play worker. This has meant a sustained increase in the number of children playing sport at lunchtime and in turn has increased their enthusiasm for after school clubs and competitions.
September 2015 - March 2016	£5717	Since January, a sports coach from Steps2Sport has run after-school clubs, for years 1-6. These have been paid for in part by the parents and in part by sports premium and have been attended by 92 children.	We have already seen a huge increase in participation, with waiting lists for clubs, and anticipate that this will continue. We also saw an increase in attainment for the netball team, some of whom attended the club and so were able to improve their skills in time for the tournament. In the tournament, they played well enough to progress to the next round.	As this is paid for in part by the parents, this will be sustainable in the future as they are already used to paying.
		Money was used to pay for the PE coordinator to attend 2 whole day courses. One on the role of the PE coordinator and one on the teaching of dance. This was due to a recognition of staff's lack of confidence in the teaching of dance particularly.	This information will be disseminated to the rest of the staff to enable them to be able to plan and deliver more effective and engaging lessons.	These improvements will be sustainable as the staff will be more confident in the future at planning lessons with clear progression.

