



Hodge Clough Primary School

Sports Premium Report 2017/18

Sports Premium funding is government funding to help support and improve the quality and range of physical education, sports provision and pupil engagement in sport in school. At Hodge Clough Primary School, the total funding for 2017/18 is £19,470.

The vision for the Primary Physical Education and Sport Premium is that ALL pupils leave primary school physically literate and with the knowledge, skills and motivation necessary to equip them for a healthy, active lifestyle and lifelong participation in physical activity and sport.

How will the sports premium be spent at Hodge Clough?

At Hodge Clough Primary School, we believe that the money should be used to:

- enable all pupils to benefit from additional PE activities in school.
- provide an extended variety of extra-curricular sports to pupils.
- provide pupils with an opportunity to take part in more competitive sport.
- promote sports leadership amongst the pupils in our school.
- encourage children to make informed and healthier lifestyle choices.

Providing additional Physical Activity activities in school - £3750

Physical Activity and Sport play a very important part in life at Hodge Clough Primary and at least two one hour sessions per week are dedicated to physical activity in the curriculum, taught by a specialist PE teacher. We always strive to improve the quality of sports sessions provided to our pupils and this year have introduced a number of additional activities to support this, which we hope will also enable more pupils to improve motor skills across the school. Earlier in the year, Stacker Cup training was held at our school, providing CPD to staff members and other professionals the local area. We have since purchased a number of Stacker Cups that are currently being used in Physical Education sessions in a variety of different ways. Alongside this, two members of staff had an opportunity to take part in some CPD based on Physical Literacy, which again equipped the staff with a number of ways to use the cups throughout the school in the classroom. This information was passed on to all staff members in an after school staff training session.

This year, in association with Oldham Sports Development, we have introduced Archery to the Year 6 Physical Education curriculum in order to broaden the sports skills taught to pupils. The introduction of this new activity has supported and encouraged some of our least active pupils to become more engaged and active during Physical Education lessons, and has promoted a love for new sport within our Year 6 cohort, who have taken part in an 18 week programme. We also feel that these sessions, along with the already existing high quality sports teaching taking place at Hodge Clough, have enabled staff

members to enhance their teaching of Physical Activity and Sport by being able to shadow other professionals thus improving their own knowledge of a wide range of sports.

We hope to continue to provide additional physical activities at Hodge Clough and will take on board pupil voice when thinking about possible methods to sustain this e.g. how we can upgrade playtime sports equipment to improve physical activity.

Extra-Curricular Sport at Hodge Clough -£5,000

In association with Oldham Sports Development Service we have introduced three Sports Development Workers in school who offer an extended variety of sports to pupils. Two dance coaches provide weekly hour long extra-curricular sessions across the school to both Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 pupils. We have seen an increase in the number of pupils participating in after school dance sessions since this introduction. We also currently have a specialist archery coach from the service, who is providing weekly sessions to Year 6 pupils as part of their physical education curriculum, and offering an after school extra-curricular club to Key Stage 2 pupils one night per week.

So far this year we have seen an increase in the amount of children taking part in extra curricular activities across the school and aim to hold discussions with pupils, regarding their interests, to inform any future changes/enhancements in the extra-curricular activities we provide at Hodge Clough. The sports clubs we currently offer are dance, archery, football (girls/boys), netball and a before school HIIT training session/breakfast club. We are also continuing to work alongside Oldham Athletics Community coaches; who provide an extra-curricular club for Key Stage 1 children.

Competitive Sport at Hodge Clough - £950

Each year at Hodge Clough Primary we aim to increase the number of students who engage in and enjoy participating in competitive sport. We are currently affiliated to the Oldham Borough School Games and have attended a number of intra school friendly games as well as competing in borough heats and finals. The sports we have played competitively this year include: netball, dodgeball, football, water polo, swimming, hockey, multiskills and table tennis. A main focus for us this year was to increase the number of girls participating in competitive sports. With the introduction of netball to our extra-curricular activities, we have seen an increase in the number of girls taking part in competitive sport at Hodge Clough. We have used £500 of our Sports Premium allocation to hire minibuses to transport our pupils to and from competitive and friendly sporting events, thus providing more pupils with an opportunity of taking part in these events and competitions. We also used the minibus to transport 10 pupils to Loughborough to train with England Netball coaches and watch an open training session with the athletes.

Promoting Sports Leadership at Hodge Clough - £350

In order to develop self-confidence of young leaders at Hodge Clough we have recruited a team of Year 6 PlayMakers who have developed leadership skills such as organisation, communication and teamwork, as well as helping build confidence and self-esteem as they have taken on the responsibility of assisting in leading their peers and younger children in small sports games and activities. As part of this, we have

provided a sports kit to the pupils. We feel that the PlayMakers have raised the profile of our school in the sporting community as they have continued to support events in school as well as leading intra school competitions and events. We aim to continue to appoint new PlayMakers each year and will look into ways in which these pupils can help to raise the profile and opportunities for sport in our school e.g. leading activities during playtimes/dinner times.

How we encourage children to make informed and healthier lifestyle choices - £2000

At Hodge Clough we feel that improving lifestyle through awareness of diet and exercise is a major focus amongst all pupils. With the support of our Key Stage 2 Health Champions and their mentor, we plan our Physical Education lessons so that they link with sports science and nutrition and ensure that all year groups in Key Stage 2 access health and nutrition lessons; where they learn to cook nutritional meals using a wide range of ingredients, and learn about the key aspects of promoting and living a healthy lifestyle.

Each year, we recognise the children who have shown sporting excellence across the school, whether that be through representing the school at competitions or for great sportsmanship in lessons. Our Sports Award Assembly continues to inspire and motivate children each year, as they aspire to be on the stage receiving an award. We believe that this has motivated a number of our pupils to take up sporting activities both in school and out of school and feel that it is important to recognise and celebrate the sporting achievements of pupils past and present at Hodge Clough Primary School.

Earlier this year we held a ‘Jingle Jog’ in which pupils and their families/friends were invited to take part in a fun run around our school grounds. We feel that this was a huge success, with over 200 participants involved, and aim to host more events like this in the future to encourage our families to become more active and improve their lifestyles through awareness of diet and exercise.

Year 6 Swimming Audit – Summer Term 2018:

Total number of Year 6 students (2017/18): 56

Meeting national curriculum requirements for swimming and water safety	
What percentage of your current Year 6 cohort swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres?	89.2% Boys: 84% Girls: 93.4%
What percentage of your current Year 6 cohort use a range of strokes effectively [for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke]?	89.2%
What percentage of your current Year 6 cohort perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations?	89.2%