



Thorp Primary School SPORTS PREMIUM REPORT

Sports Premium funding is government funding to help support and improve the quality and range of physical education (PE), sport provision and pupil engagement in sport in school

Purpose of the funding

The purpose of the funding is to improve PE and sport provision in school so that all pupils develop healthy lifestyles. Schools have the freedom to choose how they spend the money. Possible uses of the funding might include:

- Hiring specialist PE teachers or qualified sports coaches to work with primary teachers/staff when teaching PE
- Paying for professional development opportunities for teachers in PE/sport
- Providing cover to release primary teachers for professional development in PE/sport
- Running sports competitions, or increasing participation in school games
- Buying quality assured professional development modules or materials for PE/sport
- Providing training and payment for staff to provide playground games and/or clubs at lunchtimes
- Supporting or engaging the least active children through new or additional Change4Life sports clubs
- Providing extra, additional activities such as outdoor and adventure activities

Thorp funding allocation

At Thorp Primary School we have received the following funding allocation:

In 2017 the department for Education doubled the 'Sports Premium' funding that primary schools receive. This was the money that came from the 'sugar tax' when the government added tax to sugary soft drinks. The reasons for this are to improve the quality of the PE and sport provision pupils receive from £160 million to £320 million a year. Schools now have a wider remit in how they can spend their money but it must have an impact on all children's PE and sports provision. Children should be given a wider variety of sports and activities to try out.

The government have also published [funding guidance](#) for this scheme alongside case studies showing how some schools have delivered a real impact for pupils through sports and physical activity.

The PE and Sport Premium is part of a series of programmes led by the department of Education to improve healthy lifestyles among pupils and tackle childhood obesity. As part of the [Childhood Obesity Plan](#), the government are working with other agencies to make sure children are healthy and active. At Thorp Primary we believe we have a duty to our children to encourage them to become healthy, have a chance to access a range of sporting activities and understand the importance of a healthy lifestyle.

YEAR	FUNDING
2015-2016	£8,900
2016-2017	£8,900
2017-2018	£17,820



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How will the sports premium be spent and who will benefit?

At Thorp Primary School we believe that the money should be used so that:

- All children benefit regardless of sporting ability
- That children (and parents) are encouraged to make informed and healthier lifestyle choices
- That all staff have access to training opportunities and continued professional development
- That children increase their participation in the frequency and range of sports covered
- That sport contributes to their overall achievement and their greater social, spiritual, moral and cultural skills

Thorp Primary School has a history of sporting success and has always been keen to emphasise the importance of physical exercise and healthy lifestyles. The funding provided via the Sports Premium grant does not cover all the PE and sporting aspects that we already deliver, but the additional funding has been used to increase provision, expertise and participation.

Primary Sports Expenditure

To date the Primary Sports premium expenditure has been used (or is intended to be used) to support the following initiatives:

Sports Development Workers

In association with Oldham Sports Development Service we have bought in the services of two Sports Development Workers to work in school for one full day per week, split over two afternoon sessions. The Sports Development Worker delivers PE lessons alongside our staff thereby ensuring that not only will the children benefit from being taught by a specialist, but our own staff will be developed through sharing good practice and assisting in PE lessons. The Sports Development workers will also train our Year 6 Sports leaders each year. Sports captains then encourage pupils throughout the school to participate in active games during break times.

Monday - classes (Y1) and (Y2)

Friday - classes (Y5) and (Y6)

In addition, the Sports Development Workers also deliver extracurricular sporting activities. The extracurricular clubs will be aimed at all year groups from Reception through to Year 6. We will look at the children's interests and tailor clubs to what the children would like to do, or give them opportunities to do things they previously have not experienced.

Monday - after school club

Friday - after school club

The Sports Development Worker also encourages links with existing local clubs and through Oldham Sports Development Service signposts and offers guidance to both school and pupils on possible routes for increased sporting provision and participation.

Cost £6,284



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Sporting Activity Days

Freddy Fit

At Thorp we have always been keen to promote healthy and active lifestyles and we have commissioned "Freddie Fit" qualified sports coaches to come into school for one full day every term to provide fun and engaging activities for every child in school from Nursery to Year (6).

Approximate cost £1,200

Amelia Faye School of Dance

Millie Cunliffe is involved with Thorp and is coming into school for 4 days this academic year. During those days she works with every class to create a simple dance routine. Millie changes her dance theme each term so the children have a varied dance curriculum. In addition to this, Millie also runs a 6 week morning dance club for years 3/4/5. During this club she teaches the children a dance routine. Millie has a discussion with the children about their interests and possible choices of routines and the children choose the routine they would like to do. At the end of the 6 weeks, the children perform their routine during a whole school assembly.

Approximate Cost £700

Royton and Shaw Primary School Sport Calendar of Events

This year (2017/2018) we have joined the Royton and Shaw Collaborative competition calendar. This calendar sees a wide range of A+B team events for children from Y1 to Y6. Some of the events are held on all purpose outdoor pitches and some in a large sports hall.

Approximate Cost £500

Providing Professional Development Opportunities for Primary Teachers in PE/Sport

Some of the Sports Premium has been identified to purchase high quality PE professional development and provide supply cover to release the PE Coordinator and/or other staff to attend PE training and development days. In the first instance, these will be sourced from Oldham Sports Development Service.

Approximate cost £500

Provision of playground markings in the Key Stage 1 playground to support Physical Development

To help further promote the physical development of our KS1 children we have used an element of the Sports premium funding to provide high quality playground markings (jumping squares/hopscotch/number lines etc) which will be a permanent feature and which can be used to enhance active learning through play and activity both within learning time and during play and lunchtimes.

Cost £1820

Purchase new equipment to support Physical Development and healthy lifestyles

To support the teaching of Yoga in school we will need to purchase 32 yoga mats so that each child can have their own mat. Yoga has many benefits for children and we plan to teach yoga both in lessons and as an after school club.

Cost £400



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The school will also keep PE equipment up to date with new and replacement equipment. This will also keep us in line with health and safety regulations. We will also replace old and broken equipment and buy new equipment to support high quality teaching of PE.

£1000

Transport

In order for children to participate in sporting events during school hours, we will provide transport for children to and from events. This will happen when we do not have sufficient parental support.

£500

Summer Term Sporting Activities

School will hold a reserve amount of sports funding money. This will be used for summer term activities, activities that become available for us to try eg; tri-golf, boxing etc by holding some money aside we will be able to commit to new and unusual adventures. This will be audited in the autumn term 2018.

£3000

Accountability/Impact

Schools are held to account over how they spend the Primary Sports Premium and in doing so governors and school leadership will consider if the additional funding is having a positive impact on children's healthy lifestyles and/or improving PE and sport provision. The impact of the Sports Premium money so far is listed below:

- High quality inclusive PE curriculum provision is taught through Oldham Sports Development and through this staff development and knowledge is broadened.
- There has been increased uptake in lunch and after school clubs.
- Through school participation in inter school events and competitive sporting events we have more children accessing competitive sports and winning medals and certificates.
- Through offering alternative sporting activities eg; yoga, archery etc, more children have had the opportunity to take up a non-contact/ non exertion sport.
- There has been increased pupil participation in active lifestyles (playground games/activities) at break and lunchtimes.
- There has been an increased number of children attending morning clubs.
- There has been an increased number of children take up cross country and running practice in school.

Sport Provision at Thorp Primary School

The following PE and/or sport provision is available at Thorp:

- Weekly PE and sport curriculum lessons (all classes)
- Weekly swimming lessons (Y4)
- Young KS2 Sports Leaders "lunchtime activities/club" for (KS1) children
- After school clubs for all year groups run by Oldham Sports Development such as; tag rugby, multi sports, dance, gymnastics, fencing and unihoc (Rec-Y6)
- After school netball club run by school staff (Y4/5/6)
- Morning running club run by school staff (Y4/5/6)
- Morning dance club run by school staff (Y3/4/5)



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- Cross country training sessions run by school staff
- Inter school competitions (football/athletics/netball/cricket/cross country) organised by Oldham Sports Development or school staff
- Oldham Schools cross country events (x 6 sessions) - Saturday mornings, organised by Oldham School Sport
- Royton schools swimming league and swimming gala (KS2)
- Royton and Shaw Primary School Sport competitions organised by Oldham Sports Development
- A and B team competitive events organised by different associations and school staff
- Bikeability lessons (Y5/Y6)
- Balance bike sessions (Reception) organised by Oldham School Sport