Sport Premium Funding.

£8790

Physical education is so important in schools. It gives children confidence, relieves stress and anxiety, helps them to concentrate and maintain focus and most importantly is vital in the fight against childhood obesity.

PE and sport premium funding is being used to secure improvements in the following areas.

**Key indicator 1: Engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity.**

Our Sport premium money this year went towards replacing the hall floor. This was obviously an investment for us this year but we will benefit from this for the foreseeable future.

When we completed our resources audit this year, we removed some of the old apparatus that we no longer used. We were left with holes in the floor where the apparatus used to attach to and the floor was also starting to wear down in places.

We chose the new flooring with PE in mind as we knew we needed flooring that would support our PE lessons. With perform and evaluate being such an important part of PE, we chose a floor that was marked with a square in the centre as we felt that this was an area where children could showcase dance and gymnastics. The flooring is made of a material that allows the children to grip if they are in bare feet but that also provides a slight spring under their feet.

With Yoga also being taught in the hall, the new flooring provides a more comfortable base for the yoga mats and a more comfortable yoga session for the children.

**Key indicator 4:Broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils.**

We felt that once the covid regulations become more relaxed and we can start inviting coaches back into school, the hall will provide a perfect environment for the children to try new activities during after school clubs.

**Key indicator 5: Increased participation in competitive sport.**

As above, the new flooring provides a safe surface for the children to continue to develop skills needed for forthcoming competitions during lessons and after school clubs.