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Evaluating Roxeth School's use of the new Primary School Sport Funding

Updated report November 2016

In January 2013 prior to the announcement of the School Sports funding the Governing Body had moved to identify the need to skill up staff and teachers to deliver a better quality of offer in sport; to this end we advertised and recruited a Sports Leader at Roxeth. Paul Somers quickly become popular with staff and pupils, working alongside teachers to deliver lessons, across the school day at unstructured times to encourage positive play and coaching skills. He also offers a wide range of extra-curricular sporting clubs and leads the sport teams in the local inter-school and borough sporting events. As a school we also work closely with Whitmore High School who organise inter-school competitions for our cluster of schools in the West Harrow area. Mr Somers is managed by Mr Karaiskos, the teacher with responsibility for PE and Sport at Roxeth, to ensure high quality delivery of our sports offer.

In September 2016 we achieved the Gold School Games Mark for our commitment, engagement and delivery of school sport in 2015-16. The Games Mark is awarded through the School Games which is a key part of the Government's programme to secure a sporting legacy from London 2012. The School Games are a unique opportunity to motivate and inspire millions of young people across the country to take part in more competitive sport in school.

Our objectives for the Sports Grant:

- To raise attainment through accelerated progress
- To increase participation for all
- To impart a lifelong love of sport and physical activity for all
- To offer wider sporting opportunities for pupils
- To provide access to coaching / sports clubs for children eligible for the Pupil Premium

Allocation of Sports Grant 2015-16

Action	£
• To buy into HSIP PE and sport package	£1,800
• Employment of specialist Sports Leader	£19,167 (plus on costs)
• Equipment to enhance quality of extra-curricular clubs/lunchtime activities.	£500
	Total:



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	Supporting Evidence
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The increase in participation rates in such activities as games, dance, gymnastics, swimming and athletics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All classes have a minimum of two hours of PE a week, comprising games, dance and gymnastics units of study One year group (Year 3) attends weekly swimming lessons, as part of their two hours We have input from a professional dance company for all classes We take part in the majority of borough and cluster-led competitions throughout the year and enter a team for the Borough Sports Day every year A Gymnastics club is now embedded for KS2 children A G&T club is now embedded, with the aim of targeting the most able athletes throughout the school and focusing on improving different key skills each week A regular Athletics club runs in the Summer Term for KS2 children, working towards maximum participation for the Borough Sports squad. Athletics units of study have been worked into the school's PE curriculum framework A dance club has been introduced New sports clubs have been introduced – table tennis, netball club and cricket Offer of clubs throughout the year: <p>Autumn:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> G & T Club Change 4 Life Running Club Basketball & Netball Tag Rugby Football <p>Spring clubs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Table Tennis Gymnastics Running Football Gifted & Talented Netball Change 4 life <p>Summer clubs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gymnastics Table Tennis



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cricket • Football • Change 4 Life • G&T • Netball • Athletics • Bhangra dancing
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The increase and success in competitive school sports 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Last year we took part in inter-school competitions organised by our local secondary school, which included cricket, table tennis, football, indoor athletics and futsal • We entered teams into the majority of borough competitions to varying success • Within the last two years, the girls' football team have won their borough competition league and qualified into the county football competition • Finished 5th in Y5-6 Cluster Indoor Cricket competition • A team of SEN children competed in a panathlon cluster competition • An Inter-House Sports Cup competition for children throughout all year groups is now embedded with multiple sporting events contributing points; including athletics, basketball, cricket, cross country, dodgeball, football, hockey, netball • The whole of Year 4 competed in a borough Korfball competition • Finished second in the borough Basketball competition • We received the Silver medal position in the borough Chess competition • Our Y5/6 indoor athletics team qualified out of their cluster group to attend the borough final, finishing third in the borough • Our Y3/4 indoor athletics team finished 2nd in the cluster competition • Two boys and two girls participated in the Harrow Schools X-Country challenge, with one child qualifying into the Y6/7 Middlesex Schools X-Country Championships • Our KS1 team came first in the KS1 multi sports Festival, out of 11 other schools
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How much more inclusive the physical education curriculum has become 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • After school clubs, including those run by outside companies (football/martial arts/tennis), offer all children the opportunity to take part in a variety of sport • Change4Life programme has a targeted audience throughout the school – engaging the least active



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	<p>pupils</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We take part in the Panathlon event held at our local secondary school every year • We take part in any Paralympics events offered to us through our links with local charity Aspire – the National Training Centre for spinal cord injury • Naomi Riches, Paralympics gold medal winner, is a regular visitor to the school, promoting inclusion • Mixed teams in cricket and football are encouraged • Girls' football team regularly participate in the borough competition • Inter-house sporting events are required to be made up of an even number of boys and girls. • More inter-house sporting events are now embedded with the aim of increased participation of children across all year groups • A team of children with learning difficulties competed at the Boccia tournament at our local secondary school, that was held to promote Paralympic sports • Panathlon PE units of study, including Boccia, Sitting Volleyball, Blind Football and Kurling have been introduced to the new PE curriculum framework across most year groups • A G&T club is now embedded, with the aim of targeting the most able athletes throughout the school and focusing on improving different key skills each week • Boccia, hockey and chess inter-house competitions have been introduced to the Inter-House Sports Cup calendar
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The growth in the range of provisional and alternative sporting activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Through our link with Harrow School we offer Year 6 pupils the opportunity to learn 'Fives', a version of handball • Teams of KS1 children attend a borough led multi sports festival termly, comprising a range of different games and activities • We take part in any borough Dodgeball tournaments offered • Year 4 had the opportunity to learn Korfball, culminating in the whole of Year 4 competing in a borough Korfball competition • Panathlon PE units of study, including Boccia, Sitting Volleyball, Blind Football and Kurling have been introduced to the new PE curriculum framework across most year groups • A skipping coach offered a whole days coaching to our Reception and KS1 classes • Years 4, 5 and 6 are offered cycling training for a



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	<p>week on a regular basis</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> We have introduced a chess club and inter-house chess competition, that resulted in entering a team into the borough Chess competition
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The improvement in partnership work on physical education with other schools and other local partners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Our cluster have worked well with the local secondary school to offer a wide menu of sporting activities The Primary Links Co-ordinator of our local secondary school works closely with both the PE and Sports Lead to ensure support in PE delivery throughout the school This Primary Links Co-ordinator team-taught a Gymnastics unit with Year 3 and Year 6 to increase confidence in teaching We have again bought into the local Harrow School Improvement Partnership Sports package which will continue to strengthen our offer We employ Rachel Yankey (England & Arsenal women's football team) as a regular visiting coach, and have done for many years, with the aim of building up the skills and confidence of our teaching staff We take part in the majority of offers of tournaments that we can Mini tournaments with local schools within our cluster (including dodgeball tournament for Year 2) A coach from London Broncos, a local Rugby League professional team, has worked with KS2 to offer coaching of tag rugby league skills, as well as up-skill teachers' confidence Year 5 had the opportunity to take part in the BEST project, through Watford FC's Community Sports & Education Trust aiming to increase physical activity levels and up-skill our staff A skipping coach offered a whole days coaching to our Reception and KS1 classes, which also served to increase the skills of delivering skipping lessons to our teaching staff
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Links with other subjects that contribute to pupils' overall achievement and their greater social, spiritual, moral and cultural skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We have gained the RRSA Level 1 award and feel that promoting all children's well-being is a driving force behind our curriculum We have an annual sports day which features competitive and non competitive events Playground and lunchtime activities are managed through a promotion of SMSC through well trained lunchtime staff and the Sports Leader Lunchtime supervisors have an award based system which involves using sport equipment e.g.



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	<p>Huff and Puff in infants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our Sports Leader works with the children daily to promote increased sportsmanship and social and moral skills during all playground activities, reducing incidents of behavioural problems at lunchtime • Y6 Sports Captains for each house are now embedded to help run and officiate sporting events, captain their House in inter-house competitions and promote teamwork and fair play throughout the school • This year a second Sports Captain per house was introduced, resulting in 10 Y6 Sports Captains • The position of Sports Official has been introduced for Y4/5/6 children to officiate playtime sports and help reduce the incidents of behavioural problems – a rolling timetable of between 45 and 50 children are selected to do duties • A School Sports Organising Committee is now in place, meeting half-termly to discuss officiating, sporting competition, behavioural incidents and ways to promote sport across the school
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The greater awareness amongst pupils about the dangers of obesity, smoking and other such activities that undermine pupils' health. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our PSHE and Science curriculum heightens awareness for pupils of how they can look after themselves and an understanding of how their bodies work • We have external caterers who provide lunches in line with government standards • We monitor packed lunches to encourage healthy eating • We hold the Healthy Schools award at Bronze level • A Change4Life club aimed at children who are not engaged in physical activity is now embedded • The BEST project that Year 5 participated in consisted of classroom-based lessons which aimed to promote healthy eating and living • We take part in the Junior Citizens Day organised by the local police