

Ark Swift Primary Academy Sports Premium 2016-17

Please read the information below which gives details of our PE and Sport Premium Grant and how we allocate the funding.



Sports premium funding is provided by the government directly to primary Head Teachers aimed at improving physical education (PE) and sport in primary schools. It is being given over the 3 academic years 2013 to 2014, 2014 to 2015 and 2015 to 2016. Ark Swift Primary Academy will receive approximately £9450 in 2016 (schools receive an £8000 lump sum plus £5 per pupil) and can choose how to spend the funding. An outline of the aims and key expenditure is outlined below:

- 1) Ensuring high quality teaching for all through the hiring of specialist sports coaches where appropriate and the purchase and maintenance of extensive sports equipment for use in teaching and clubs. In addition to quality provision, this will also develop teachers' knowledge and expertise.
 - Specialist coaches are used to support the delivery of sport teaching and development of teachers in delivering sport lessons
 - Sports equipment in school is maintained and upgraded regularly.

- 2) Increase the number of sports clubs available to pupils at lunchtimes and after school
 - Provision of sports activities at lunchtime run by Learning Mentors and QPR.
 - Developing both girls and boys football teams team that train weekly and take part in competitive matches with schools in the local area.

The sport fund is an excellent way to increase the profile and provision of sport, exercise and healthy living within a school. At Ark Swift Primary Academy we realise the importance of sport and ensure the Sports Premium funding is used to guarantee that our pupils are given all of the wonderful opportunities that sport can provide.