

What is the Sports Premium?

The Department for Education (DfE) are spending over £450 million on improving physical education (PE) and sport in primary schools over 3 academic years. The funding was first issued for the academic year 2013/2014 to continue over the academic years 2014/2015 and 2015/2016. The funding will be allocated directly to primary schools to spend on improving the quality of sport and PE for all pupils.

Purpose of funding

Schools must spend the additional funding on improving their provision for PE and sport, but schools have been given the freedom to choose how they do this. At De Beauvoir we recognise the contribution that PE plays in contributing to children's health and well-being and have decided to use our money to:

- increase pupils' participation in sports and physical activities at lunchtimes and after school;
- to further improve the quality of teaching in PE;
- to increase the numbers of girls participating in after school sports clubs.

Our school allocation

Our school has been awarded £9520 for the academic year 2016 -2017 and we intend to use the funding as outlined below.

Initiative	Funding allocated	Intended Impact
To increase girls participation in sports and physical activity by employing a sports coach to run after school sport clubs for girls.	£2000	More girls attending after school sport clubs. To expose girls to a range of different sports.
Sports coaches to teach PE across all year groups: part funded.	£3,020	All pupils receive a broad range of professional sports coaching.
Invest in more equipment to support PE teaching.	£1,500	To offer more opportunities for different sports.
Promote physical activity at break times and lunchtimes.	£2000	A higher percentage of pupils participating in physical activity at break times and lunchtimes observed by staff.
Offer more after school Sports clubs	£500	Reduced behaviour incidents during play and lunchtimes. To expose pupils to a range of different Sports.
Whole school celebration events. Medals and certificates for Sports Day.	£500	Achievements are recognised and celebrated. Website showcases sport at De Beauvoir.