PE and Sport Premium Report 2023-24



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Introduction

The PE and Sport Premium is additional funding for schools intended to ensure sustainable impact in pupils' participation and attainment in PE and sport. The premium is also used to:

- Develop or add to the physical and sports activities that The Bridge School already offer.
- Build capacity and capability within The Bridge to ensure that improvements made now will benefit pupils joining the school in future years.

Funding 2023-2024

Our allocation was £17,390

Swimming teacher	£11,400
Dance teacher	£20,838
Total	£32,238
Additional funding	£14,848

Impact

Leaders' observe PE, swimming and dance sessions, regularly discuss pupil progress with teachers, and monitor pupils' progress against EHCP targets. This evidence indicates that the above spending has contributed towards the following outcomes:

- Further progress being made towards pupils' sensory, physical and health EHCP outcomes.
- Increased levels of staff confidence and expertise in the delivery of physical activity because of working alongside visiting specialists.
- High standards of resources and specialised equipment have been maintained. This allows all pupils to access and have agency in their own healthy lifestyles.
- Students interests and passions both inside and outside the classroom is being developed.
- There is a greater participation by Bridge pupils in a broad range of physical activities, enabling pupils
 to be more aware of their own sporting / leisure interests and strengths, leading to better physical
 and mental health for pupils.

Swimming

Due to pupils' cognitive and physical needs, the number of pupils in Year 6 who have met all the below national curriculum requirement is zero:

- swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres
- use a range of strokes effectively for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke
- perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations



Action Plan for 2024-2025

- Review and enhance PE curriculum plans so that teachers are supported to incrementally build on what pupil know and can do in PE. Consequently, pupils will achieve ambitious end points.
- Continued to develop curriculum breadth through Learning Outside the Classroom and physical education. For example, relaunched Rebound Therapy during the Spring Term.
- Inspire our staff, students, and families to get healthy this year.
- Build, step by step, pupils' athletics knowledge and skills in the period prior to sports day. A series of well-connected lessons with help strengthen pupils' performance and achievements.
- We have continued to diversify our student physical education curriculum through known and established outside PE providers to introduce new and exciting opportunities. We hope to continue to expand our existing PE program into 2024-2025.
- Fundamentally our action plan is to develop our students' engagement and happiness through exploring new experiences, leading to expanding passions and interests throughout the school via PE and sport.