

Academic Year 2016-7

Tritlington School received PESP funding of £8125 in the academic year 2016-17.

We have continued with our involvement of the Morpeth and Ponteland School Sports Partnership, which provides us with 2 hours of expert-led curriculum PE over a range of sports and skills, 1 after-school club available to all children in school from Reception to Year 4 since January 2018. , 2 sessions of young sports leader training per term as well as access to variety of sports competitions, festivals and CPD open to all our teaching staff throughout the academic year. This is good value for money as the children receive high quality teaching from Ben Ord during curriculum time and also the opportunity to have fun and learn skills in after school club, while developing a positive attitude to exercise. The competitions and festivals give the children the opportunity to experience competition and meet peers from other schools as part of their transition process to middle school. The CPD offered is varied and often provides school with resources that can be used back in school with all children.

Impact monitored in the academic year 2017-8

Curriculum PE sessions

Curriculum PE is focused and covers a variety of sports enabling the children to experience many different activities, such as tag rugby, gymnastics, dance, athletics, football, multi-skills, tri-golf throughout the academic year. Teachers continue to be supported by the expert coaches. Participation in lessons has been maintained at 100% of children; activity levels are high and engagement and enjoyment is very good. The children's skills have improved and they can articulate what they have been learning. Behaviour during PE lessons is good and the children respond well to the coach.

Extra-curriculum sport involvement

The after school club provided as part of the school sports partnership offer is well attended by children from Class 1 (Reception and Year 1) and Class 2 currently participate. Those that do attend enjoy the activities. This is currently the only sports club being run at school. There were insufficient children interested in attending football, so Tiny Woods were unable to offer a service for such small numbers. Other activities, such as Hoopstarz have been explored, but again due to small numbers and costs involved, we have been unable to offer any additional clubs. School will monitor children's interests and investigate possible options in the future.

A taster Judo session was offered to all children in main school. The session was enjoyed, the Judo club meets in Cramlington and some of our children do take up the opportunity.

After two successful years, we have decided to sign up again for the annual Children's Cancer Run at Newcastle Racecourse and we are hopeful that a good number of children, parents and staff will take part again to support the charity.

School life enhancement

Levels of activity during playtime is good with some of the children engaging in games.

The Year 4s will be trained as young sports leaders to enable them to organise and teach games to the younger children, however, they sometimes need to be reminded to do this to encourage children to enjoy active playtimes. One of our Yr4 take an active role in Morpeth Football Club, 2 of our KS2 girls ride, one of our KS2 girls runs in competitions and 2 girls take part in Dance. One of these was auditioned and selected to participate in a Christmas Panto at Gateshead.

SUGAR TAX

We have yet to decide how to spend all this money. So far contributions will be used to pay for the more expensive Yr4 residential, staff cpd. As a school, we are looking into further developing Forest School Training and a Climbing wall on the field.