

Gawthorpe Community Academy

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For further information please contact Mrs Gill (PE Subject Coordinator).

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PRIORITIES:

- After the review and impact of the sports funding for 2014/15 to date, Gawthorpe Academy has prioritised the following:

Health Lifestyles – Action Point 1

Total Expenditure: £1,000

Action:-

- Intervention programme by ex-Olympian to develop mind-set through sport to raise motivation and self-esteem in order to raise attainment in the classroom.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION – Action Point 2

Total Expenditure: £4,320

Action:-

- To continue to employ specialist coach for gymnastics for KS1. This will feed into the already existing gym club with an opportunity to progress into Wakefield Gymnastics Club.
- To employ a local dance specialist to develop contemporary dance across the academy. To feed into local dance club. Show case dance in school and out of school.

CLUB & COMPETITIVE SCHOOL SPORT

Total Expenditure: £3,545

Action:-

- To develop characteristics of one's 'personal' best through inter sports competitions half termly across the MAT. Focus games, athletics and outdoor education.
- Purchase equipment to support the above.
- Induction of new Sports Manager from Youth Sports Trust – termly meetings.

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SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PRIORITIES:

- After the review and impact of the sports funding for 2014/15 to date, Gawthorpe Academy has prioritised the following:

Health Lifestyles – Action Point 1

Total Expenditure: £2,100

Action:-

- To employ a coach to deliver healthy lifestyle programme. This programme engages pupils in a range of exercise to promote health and wellbeing, alongside a nutritional programme. Children will record their own performance developing a focus on achieving ones 'personal best'.

Outcome:- A set of pedometers has been purchased. Sports leaders met with a member from the Change4Life team. We are eligible for the gold award. Children have embarked on the 1k a day programme.

Although there has not been any measurable weight loss the children who took part in this programme have gained an understanding of exercise in relationship to achievable distance. 15 of this group have gone on to attend the daily before school 1k run. 1 child has gone on to join a local athletics club based at Thornes Park in Wakefield.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION – Action Point 2

Total Expenditure: £4,740

Action:-

- To embed the good practice and further develop a wide range of gymnastic skills that were established in 2014/15 academic year, by employing a specialist coach for gymnastics for Year 2 and Year 6. This will feed into the already existing gym club and opportunities to become part of a community club. Children working with the gymnastic coach to be showcased termly.

Outcome:- This programme has also given Year 1 the opportunity to access high quality teaching. More children have therefore been identified to attend the gym club. We now have a waiting list for the gym club. 2 children are on track to achieve the gold award (this is something that has never been achieved before). There are an increasing number of children who have achieved accredited awards.

CLUB & COMPETITIVE SCHOOL SPORT

Total Expenditure: £2,050

Action:-

- Continue to employ our sports coach and to further develop his and another member of staff's expertise through CPD. Both these members of staff will embark on the Level 5 Certificate in Primary School Physical Education Specialism (Equivalent to Foundation Degree) through West Yorkshire Sport.
- Coach to work across 2 schools to deliver after school clubs and develop regular inter-school competitive opportunities through this.
- To create opportunities to develop team building skills, thinking skills and sportsmanship through intra-school sport (after-school football league).

Outcome:- Both members of staff have completed and passed the level 5 certificate in Primary School Physical Education Specialism. One member of staff is going on to undertake level 6. The other member of staff is going to work towards HLTA accessing a part-time diluted degree. Observations show that quality PE is being delivered.

Inter-schools sports matches have increased and developed sportsmanship and the opportunity to compete. 8 children have been signposted to clubs.

Gifted and talented children have had the opportunity to play matches. During all these events other children have spectated, this has encouraged a number of children to want to participate therefore the games have been extended to include other year groups.