

Gawthorpe Community Academy

The following is a summary of how Gawthorpe Community Academy will spend the 2017/18 PE and Sport Grant of £16,910.00. Our identified areas for development are as follows:-

For further information please contact Miss Sidebottom (PE Subject Coordinator).

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PRIORITIES:

- After the review and impact of the sports funding for 2016/17, Gawthorpe Academy has prioritised the following:

Health Lifestyles – Action Point 1

Total Expenditure: £150.000

Action:-

- Focus week in school 'Health and wellbeing week' to promote the importance of healthy eating, exercise, sleep and to develop self-worth.
- Various visitors invited into school to share and inspire all aspects of health and wellbeing.
- Set up a staff fitness time after school to enhance wellbeing.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION – Action Point 2

Total Expenditure: £15,290

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.
- Kinetics – to build children's core strength, and develop their ABC (agility, balance and coordination). This will develop fine and gross motor skills and enhance fundamental movements which will raise standards in physical literacy.
- Sports leaders – to develop leadership skills in sport and leads events across school and host inter school events.
- Developing positive behaviour through sport by employing a sports specialist to work with older children who can then use these skills at break and lunch times with younger children.

CLUB & COMPETITIVE SCHOOL SPORT

Total Expenditure: £4,200

Action:-

- To achieve qualification Level 5 and 6 In Sports specialist to enhance provision, develop skills of existing staff and deliver a wide range of intra and inter school sports competitions. The sports specialist will work across 2 schools in the MAT to raise the profile of team and competitive sport.
- Key stage 1 to attend two inter sporting events to inspire and promote competitive and team sports.

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SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PRIORITIES:

- After the review and impact of the sports funding for 2015/16, Gawthorpe Academy 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.

Outcome:-

4 holiday clubs have taken place at Gawthorpe. All of these have been run by the Olympian with the sports specialist from Gawthorpe. 15 children from Gawthorpe attended these as well as children from other schools. These workshops have promoted 5 children to start new sports outside of school-golf, football, gym, dance and athletics.

Quotes - "It was really good as it gave us exercise in the holidays." Year 5 child

"Lots of fun activities, meet new friends and improve my running." Year 5 child

"Inspirational having an ex Olympian in school".

PHYSICAL EDUCATION – Action Point 2

Total Expenditure: £4,320

Action:-

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Outcome:- 2 teachers now confident to teach vaulting from observing gym coach. Core strength and balance improved evident in PE lessons. Structure, expectation and focus- seen in lessons. 6 children competed in Wakefield schools competition to qualify for youth games. Bronze medal won. 2 children came first overall in vault and floor. Gym club was full (15 places), 1 boy and 1 girl from the gym club now also attended Wakefield Gym Club. Teacher's confidence has increased in teaching dance, this was evident in the summer showcase for all the parents.

20 children attended the dance school all perform in the shows. 6 now go to competition. 6 children who go to the dance school made the final of Gawthorpe got talent.

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.

Outcome:- KS1 potted sports for 7 schools in area held and run by Gawthorpe. 300 children am and pm. Opportunity for competition, interact with other schools, chance to apply skills learnt. Year 5/6 sports leaders given chance to help with a series of events including the above with excellent feedback from schools. 7 events in total. Chance for them to apply skills they have learnt, gain confidence. 60 sports leaders all given an opportunity. Recognised qualification.

All KS2 children given the opportunity to take part in inter-sport competition. Apply skills, British values reinforced.

Something to work towards during PE lessons. 20 children participated in 7 football fixtures on a rotation. Competed at Wakefield schools qualifier. 5th place. Good experience of competition and representing school.