



## Castleton Primary School Primary School's Sports Funding

**2015/16**

### **What is the Sports Premium?**

The provision of funds specifically for sport will continue to be provided in the academic year 2015/16. The funding is being jointly provided by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport, and will see money going directly to primary school Head Teachers to spend on improving the quality of sport and PE for all their children. Schools with less than 16 pupils will receive £500 per pupil. This money can only be spent on sport and PE provision in schools.

### **Purpose of the funding**

Schools have to spend the sport funding on improving their provision of PE and sport, but they have the freedom to choose how they do this.

At Castleton primary School the Governors agree that the money must be used so that all children benefit regardless of their sporting ability. We will use our Sports Funding Allocation to raise the profile of sport in our school.

- We have invested in a Specialist Coach, new small equipment, and are looking to further improve facilities in our playground with the addition of a traversing wall.
- We have increased opportunities for our children to take part in a wider range of sport, increasing the breadth of their experience by buying into the local sports partnership.
- We have made good use of the local outward bound centre - Hollowford during the autumn term for provision of forest school skills and then in the spring term for outward bound activities.
- In the spring term we have an increased slot for swimming planned for the whole school.
- Additional forest school provision is planned for the summer term.
- We have further opportunities to investigate additional activities as we still have an amount of funding to allocate.