

Sport at Park Hill Junior School

We have set ourselves five key objectives to work towards with our money. Last year we received: £17,500

This year we have received £18,250.

Objective	What we did	What this cost	Impact
To offer a broader range of sporting activities and to take part in a wider range of competitions	We bought some new equipment including archery equipment. We used our staff skills and bought in some specialist teaching to offer more clubs including: Hockey, Archery, Football, Tag Rugby, Dodgeball, Netball, Athletics and Cricket. We took part in competitive events in Cross country, athletics, hockey, netball, rounders, football, Quad kids, indoor athletics, swimming and cricket.	Equipment: £4039.55 Coaching: £1050 Competition entry fees: £380 Transport to competitions:£1650	The school took part in over 30 competitions and matches last year and these involved over 320 children. Children really enjoyed archery and the specialist teaching and we were very successful winning the archery, rounders, one of the football, cricket and swimming competitions.
To improve the teaching of PE across school	Our PE coordinator investigated new schemes of work and ideas for teaching PE and decided upon using Real PE. He attended some training on this and trialled the new approach with his class. The whole staff will now have further training in the Autumn term.	PE Coordinator training: £1111.38 Whole staff training:£1795 Additional staff training costs:£320.96	This has only been trialled with one class so far but was very positive. Children were observed to be active for longer periods within a PE lesson and there was also clear progression of skills. We think that the whole school role out in the Autumn term will have a very positive impact and have arranged more training for this.
To develop leadership opportunities in sport for children	We joined the Sports Ambassadors and Playground leader schemes and chosen leaders had training and then led some activities in school and around the county.	Playground leader training scheme £100 Sports Ambassador scheme training: £250	Whilst some children enjoyed the Sports Ambassadors scheme, this did involve quite a lot of parent time in getting to events around the county during the day. We have therefore not continued this as only a very small number of children were able to benefit. We will concentrate on the playground leaders as these children can have an impact across school.

<p>For all children to represent Park Hill at Sport during their time here</p>	<p>Every child in Year 4 and 5 represented the school at cricket and most children in Year 6 represented the school in indoor athletics, football, rounders, cricket or netball. Unfortunately bad weather meant some children couldn't represent the school at rugby. We also had half of Year 4 represent the school at a Quad Kids competition and half of Year 3 took part in a dance festival. There were also competitions in many other sports including our first archery competition (which we won) and our first hockey match (which we also won.) We also purchased new kits for children to help them represent the school and look the part!</p>	<p>Competition entry fees and transport costs as above Cover for teachers to take children to competitions: £1244.96 Kit: £500</p>	<p>We calculate that 80% of our Year 6 children were able to represent the school in at least one sport during the year. 100% of our Year 4 and 5 children also represented the school and 60% of our Year 3 children represented the school. Children tell us that representing the school makes them "feel proud" and is "fun". Our older children say that "representing the school is great because you can be brave and show your skills to people who aren't your friends." Another children said "it gets people involved - you are more likely to join a club if you know there is a competition and that means you are active and get fit."</p>
<p>To develop links with local sports teams and inspire children to continue enjoying sport</p>	<p>Our Year 4 children had Tag Rugby coaching from Wasps and our Year 5 children worked with coaches from Coventry City Football Club to learn about healthy lifestyles. Our Year 6 children had a session with Run, Jump, Throw- a local athletics group and all of our Year 3 children worked with dance students from Coventry University.</p>	<p>Nothing!</p>	<p>Children received some high quality coaching and could learn from the experts. One of our year 3 children said that the dance coaches were great because "they have been dancing since they were a child and they know more moves than Mr Williams (although Mr Williams is a good dancer too!)" A Year 4 child felt that the Tag Rugby teachers were so good "because they do rugby and only rugby so they can be really clear on the right things to practice." Year 5 children felt that the Coventry footballers were "fun, got everyone involved; were really knowledgeable and kept everyone active."</p>
<p>For children to be more active during their day</p>	<p>We worked with the school council to purchase more equipment to get children moving during break times. We also employed Reece from Educ8 to run</p>	<p>Equipment: £910 Sports Coaching for lunchtimes: £4079.60</p>	<p>Disco Friday is very popular and regularly attended by over 50 children. Reece's sessions were also very popular</p>

	some very popular lunchtime sessions and began Marathon Kids at lunchtimes. We began Disco Fridays where children can dance through their lunch hour!		and over 30 children a day often took part. The new equipment was well received and it is used every day.
Total spending:		£17,431.45	(We saved a little bit of money as a couple of competitions rolled over into the next financial year due to weather)