

## **PE and Sports Premium for Primary Schools**

(For the academic year 2015/16 Hermitage Primary School received £8,895)

**For the academic year 2016/17 we have received a grant of £8,880 towards the provision of PE at Hermitage.**

### **How do we use our extra funding at Hermitage Primary School?**

We use On Your Marks sports coaches to provide extra PE sessions for each class at least once a term. This is in addition to the twice weekly PE lesson led by the class teacher.

The after-school sports clubs, provided by external providers, are subsidised by school – this ensures all children are able to attend if they wish and that they have the opportunity to partake in a variety of sports – eg fencing, yoga.

Year 5 children will again be attending the purpose built sports hall at MMU to work with PE students. The funding will be used to pay for the cost of the coaches.

The funding contributes towards the Holmes Chapel and District Community of schools. HCDC employs a specialist teacher to co-ordinate a timetable of activities throughout the year and unites the cluster schools through sporting events. This specialist also visits the school to teach PE lessons.

### **Making a difference to sport participation and attainment at Hermitage**

- Children's participation in lessons has significantly increased. The vast majority of children have their PE kits in school ready for each lesson.
- Our sports provider comments on how enthusiastic and well behaved the pupils are during PE lessons and how committed they are to learning and improving their skills
- Over subscription to after schools clubs run by On Your Marks

- Teacher led sporting clubs are well attended by pupils across the school.
- Monitoring of PE sessions has shown pupils making good to outstanding progress
- Pupil voice demonstrates the children's enthusiasm for the lessons with trained coaches and they are aware of their progress.
- Children who stand out as high achievers in various skills are encouraged to join a club outside of school to develop these skills.
- Partnership contribution helps with a smooth transition to secondary school.

### How these initiatives are being maintained at Hermitage

We are building on the impact of our previous funding through this grant, embedding the provision for all pupils.

- We continue to employ On Your Marks, a specialist sports coaches, to deliver lessons to all classes throughout the school.
- On Your Marks deliver after school clubs.
- Following invaluable CPD for staff (provided by OYM) all children at Hermitage receive high quality PE sessions led by the class teacher.
- Provision for PE resources thus ensuring all children are included.
- Contributes towards the Holmes Chapel and District Community of schools. This has improved intra school sporting activities through the employment of a specialist teacher who co-ordinates a substantial timetable of activities throughout the year and unites the cluster schools through sporting events. This specialist also visits Hermitage to teach PE lessons.

*The sports funding has now been promised until 2020. We are continually looking at how to best use this extra money to ensure it has the biggest impact and is of the most benefit to the children at Hermitage Primary School.*