



**Using the Sports Premium at High Bank Junior Infant &
Nursery School 2022-2023
(Review of 2021-22)**

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During the academic year 2021 – 2022, the school received a total of £17,160. The impact of this funding achieved the following outcomes:

Improved participation in a wider range of sports for all children;

- Access to a range of out of school clubs free of charge to pupils.
- Specialist coaching for PE lessons in school;
- Trained play leaders to support playtime games;
- A Year 6 residential to participate in adventurous activities;
- Improved sports resources
- Professional development opportunities for teachers;
- Up-skilling of all teachers and support staff by qualified sports coaches;
- A House Sports system to encourage competition in sport, which is also linked to our reward system throughout school.
- Swimming for children in Years 4,5
- Year 6 leavers 2022: 93% could swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of 25 metres.
- To evidence our improved participation and raised opportunities in sport, the school continues to hold the Sainsbury's School Games Mark. We are very proud of our school and glad be returning to some normality following the recent Covid19 restrictions which affected inter school events.
- We also introduced a new sport/game to our pupils. We held a Harry Potter themed quidditch day that the children thoroughly enjoyed as they were initially sorted into groups with the sorting hat! A fun day was had followed by a celebration at the end of the day. This will now become an annual event.

School Year 2022 – 2023

The school will receive a grant of £16000 + £10 per pupil during the current academic year. Using the Ofsted criteria, identified in its inspection framework documentation, the school has built on the successes of last year to further improve participation and opportunities in sport.

Aspects Identified as good practice	Schools interpretation
Buying in to existing local sports networks such as school sports partnerships	<i>School is part of the Family of Schools, Summers Hub and Stronger Together partnerships which all provide opportunities for inter school sports and CPD opportunities for staff.</i>
Providing places for pupils in after school sports clubs	<i>After school clubs have been re-instated following the relaxing of Covid19 restrictions and are free to attend.</i>
Providing training and payment for Lunchtime staff to introduce and manage playground games at break-times. Training for the use of the Outdoor Gym and Trim trails.	<i>A group of pupils are trained as play leaders to introduce playground games at lunchtimes. Our Support Staff covering lunchtime activities also receive relevant training to support this development. Pupils are also trained by qualified sports coaches on the use of the Outdoor Play/Gym facilities.</i>
Providing extra, additional activities such as outdoor and adventurous activities	<i>Our Year 6 children attend a residential at Robin Wood activity centre and are involved in a range of adventurous sports and activities.</i>
Purchasing specialist equipment and teaching resources to develop non-traditional activity.	<i>We have outdoor gym equipment for lunchtimes and we are improving our sports equipment resources for our PE lessons and after school sports. We are also providing 'Bikeability' lessons for our year 6 children and 'Balanceability' for KS1 children. We have bought bikes and safety helmets to allow all of the children to participate.</i>

Hiring qualified sports coaches to work with primary teachers when teaching PE	<i>In addition to coaches running after school clubs, we work in partnership with Legacy Sports to provide coaches in PE lessons. This also helps the teachers and other school staff to improve their own PE skills in the long term.</i>
Paying for professional development opportunities for teachers in PE and providing cover to release primary teachers for professional development in PE and sport	<i>Our PE Coordinator attends professional development courses which she can cascade to the rest of the staff to develop her own area of expertise. Cover is provided to release her from the classroom to support this.</i>
Running sports competitions for increasing pupils' participation in school games	<i>To develop a competitive element to sport which links to the whole school relationship policy we continue to use the Dojo system. Each pupil is allocated to one of four houses: Storey; Rashford; Peake; Pankhurst; They collect Dojo points which are added together and reported on weekly with certificates awarded in Celebration Assembly. The house names are to be changed in September 2022 Following its success in 2021/22 we will again plan a day of activity for the pupils to play Quidditch – a fun game based around the Harry Potter story.</i>
New outdoor games tables	<i>Table top magnetic games ordered to be installed externally to refresh activities.</i>

The importance of health and fitness is enshrined in the school curriculum.

A large number of children attend after school sports activities with some pupils now taking part in regional events. When they receive an award at the club the school also recognises their achievement in Celebration Assembly. This continues to raise the profile of the activity and the achievement. Sharing the pupil's successes with parents/carers, staff and governors.

A range of sports clubs are delivered on site and providers have their own teams/clubs that they promote to the children and parents for further take-up of the sports out of school hours.

Swimming is provided as part of the curriculum for one year group and swimming certificates are presented in Celebration Assembly. Pupils moving into Year 6 in 2022 have had additional swimming lessons to help them achieve an acceptable level of competence.

Over the summer holiday we open to provide families with free access to activities, healthy food and enrichment. The school leadership team manage the events with Pro Vision and the Summers Hub. This provides respite for families struggling with children at home and encourages fitness and healthy eating.

We continue to hold the Sainsbury's School Games Mark which was initially awarded in 2015.

As a result of the schools engagement and commitment to PE and physical activity all children can develop positive and productive approaches to living a healthy and active lifestyle.

This year as part of our partnership with Legacy Sports we are taking part in Sporting Age and Mi Moves physical activity tracker.

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