

Woodfield Community Primary School – Impact of Sports Premium funded PE Provision for 2015-2016

Specialist PE teaching

During the Autumn term Mr Doey and Mr Moss from Sporting Influence worked with year 3/4/5 and 6 teachers and pupils to provide fresh ideas and drills in coaching football. Over the seven weeks they covered key skills such as dribbling, passing, shooting and conditioned matches to work on improving attack and defence.

“The weather was fantastic and they managed to get onto the school field. All children showed great enthusiasm and improved their skills and knowledge.

The class teachers had a great attitude towards learning new practices that they can take into their own PE lessons in future.” Sporting Influence website

They worked with KS1 teachers and staff delivering multi-skills through themed lessons linked to the class curriculum.

During the Spring term, Mr Ellis from Sporting Influence worked with all teachers from Year 1 – 6 on a rota basis, working on hockey skills with KS2 and multi skills with KS1 through a theme based lesson.

“We have really enjoyed the sessions, the children's behaviour and attitude improved week on week. The lessons were exciting and easy to replicate with excellent results.....the themes really captured the children's interest. The CPD element gave lots of practical ideas to teach skills, and how to use the equipment and time effectively.”

Year 1 teacher.

COMPETITIONS

Level 2 Competitions

The KS2 children(Year 3/4/5/6) participated in the Level 2 competitions at Harrogate High School, where they regularly competed on a weekly basis against other local schools, in football, hockey and Tchoukball. They were very successful, particularly in hockey, where they achieved a final place in the tournament. The KS2 team attended all weeks of the Sporting Influence matches and tournaments at Harrogate High School on a Wednesday after school.

In the Summer term, rounders and cricket KS2 Level 2 tournaments are planned.

Level 1 competitions (Intra competitions)

To develop engagement levels, we are continuing to introduce new sporting opportunities across the school and this year have been able to introduce Level 1 Intra competitions for all children from Year 1-6 to participate in each term. It gives all children an opportunity to use the skills that have been developed through their PE lessons, both in skills and socially, to represent their House team in a competitive arena. The competitions earn points for the House teams, and together with House points earned in other areas of school life, go towards the House Cup which is awarded every term to the winning House.

Sports Clubs

Sports Leaders pupil voice have been involved with the purchase of the House Cup, as well as additional resources being purchased with the intention of running daily lunchtime sports/games clubs. These are overseen by the sports coach, and training has been given to the Sports Leaders to run these clubs, with the aim of improving participation levels of SEND and vulnerable children across the school.

There is also a weekly lunchtime club, run by the sports coach, which takes place for children on a reward basis for their exemplary playtime behaviour throughout the week. Year 1 to Year 6 children attend the club each week where lots of fun games are played. Many of the children get very excited to be given this reward for their behaviour and put their full efforts into the club when they attend. The impact on the children's behaviour in the playground had been very positive.

This has also been a fantastic opportunity for some of the older children to use their leadership skills with the younger children, helping them with any of the games that are taking place.

Morning sport club has been taking place on a Monday before school. This is in response to an attendance audit, which showed that some low attendance children persistently missed Monday's. It was to encourage those specific targeted children to attend school on Mondays. This club is run by a Sporting Influence PE specialist.

There is also a Sports club run by Total Sports coach, on a Monday after school, to encourage KS2 children to participate in a games environment, where the emphasis is on fun and development of team skills.

The Total Sports coach also provides specialist PE lessons delivered to Year 2-6 on a weekly basis, focusing on the development of specific multi-skills, planned in line with the tournaments, competitions, and lessons/CPD delivered by Sporting Influence and class teachers.

Gifted and Talented

Children identified as Gifted and Talented were invited to attend specific additional sessions which were delivered by Sporting Influence PE teachers. They delivered 4 hours for KS2 (15 children) and 4 hours for KS1 (12 children) of gifted and talented PE for these select groups of children across both the Autumn and the Spring terms. Both age groups were given an in-depth session in football and ball skills, which allowed the children to develop themselves both in skill and socially. The children by the end of both sessions had shown real ability and

had a fantastic attitude towards the lessons.

Staff Development

Woodfield teachers and teaching assistants have worked alongside the Sporting Influence specialists on a bi weekly rota basis. They have been working on lesson plans and the delivery of, assessment of, and planning of skill development within lessons, supported by the PE specialists. This has provided teachers with the necessary competence skills, lesson ideas and confidence to deliver lessons of good quality to their classes on the alternating week. This has been confirmed during lesson observations.

Teachers across the school speak positively about new developments in PE and Sport.

"It was great for both myself and the children to work with a PE specialist. The planned focus on development of skills through themed lessons meant that the children showed real improvement not only in their game skills, but also in their communication, resilience and teamwork skills. As a teacher, I had lots of new ideas, lesson plans, and a reassurance that I could teach effective PE lessons."

(KS1 teacher)

"Working and teaching alongside PE specialists has helped us as a school to promote respect, good learning behaviours and effective team building. The CPD has been excellent, with a definite impact on the quality of PE provision in our school."

Lynne Thomson PE Lead/Link teacher.

The school will aspire to gain the Sainsburys School games mark in the summer of 2016, having met the given criteria.

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