

Specialist Sports' funding – end of year review July 2024

The government is continuing to provide additional funding of £150 million per annum to improve the provision of physical education (PE) and sport in primary schools. The government's aim in providing this funding is to ensure the health, enjoyment and wellbeing of the children. The money can only be spent on improving the quality of the schools PE and sports provision.

What has the funding paid for?	Amount	Effect
Amaven sports assessments, challenge days, planning and daily movement sessions	£846	The funding has allowed children to engage in both skills sessions and competitive activities. Challenge days have shown individual, class and school progress in core PE skills during the year. Focussed planning and assessment for each class - sustainability in the future
Congleton Education and Community Partnership Sports contribution	£462.60	The children have had access to an increased range of competitions. Children displaying and improving their skills and sense of teamwork. There have been a number of children who have participated in sports' competitions such as athletics, for the first time
After school clubs to provide different sports	£6165	Outside provider providing after school club and support for staff delivery PE to early years and KS1. Also mentoring through sport.
Development of breadth in PE curriculum	£4100	Staff working on breadth of the PE curriculum from specialised coaches working alongside school staff.
Increased break and lunchtime fitness	£5156	Staff working on PE development through organising and giving children access to competitions. Improving participation in lunchtime and break time physical activity
Spend 2023/24	£16,729.60	

71% of Y6 children leaving Astbury in July 2024 achieved the following:

- swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres
- use a range of strokes effectively
- perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations

Our school received **£16,640.00** for the Year September 2023 – August 2024. (£16,000 + £10 x 64 pupils)

What we will spend our funding on this school year 2024 – 2025.

We will continue to fund Amaven to further develop the PE curriculum and assessment throughout school and support staff in their delivery of PE. We will also buy into the Education and Community Partnership to give our children access to a range of tournaments and competitions locally. Continuing this year, part of our funding will be spent on employing a KICK coach to deliver a sports afterschool club and promote sport through mentoring.

For the 2024-25 academic year, we are expecting a funding total of £16, 660