**Sports Grant Spending at Ashgate Specialist Support Primary School 2020-2021**

**We have received £17,080 in Sports Grant for 2020-2021**

**Our priorities for spending our sports grant this year aim to fulfil the following:**

* **the engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity – kick-starting healthy active lifestyles**
* **the profile of PE and sport being raised across the school as a tool for whole school improvement**
* **increased confidence, knowledge and skills of all staff in teaching PE and sport**
* **broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils**
* **increased participation in competitive sport**

**We understand that the Sports Grant may be time limited and we need to ensure that we can sustain a high level of PE and Physical Activity without relying financially on the grant. In order to do this we maintain self sustainability through the training of our own staff so that we can continue to deliver appropriate activities without the reliance on additional funding. We are also developing a PE Curriculum specifically for Ashgate pupils which will support teachers to maintain a high level of teaching and learning across the school.**

**We are also committed to identifying those gaps in children’s learning for those who are eligible for Pupil Premium. In the event of the Sports Grant ending we would continue to bridge these gaps through Pupil Premium spending.**

**Planned Spending**

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| **Outcome for Pupils** | **Activity** | **Estimated Costing** |
| For Ashgate staff to be confident, knowledgeable and have the skills to be able to deliver high quality physical activity sessions and PE lessons to the children in their class, with specific skills being developed in relation to the individual needs of the children.  | Staff to work alongside a specialist coach during P.E lesson. Specialist coach to deliver training to staff during the sessions. Specialist coach to deliver whole school training. | £6200 |
| For all children to be able to access the outside areas to engage in regular physical activity in a safe environment. To provide a designated sports area where children can participate in competitive sport and a broader range of sports and activities. In this area, outside PE lesson can be delivered allowing children to have high quality lessons without disturbance form other children or classes. | To provide fencing in the playground to create distinct spaces for specific activities. | £9979.31 |
| To ensure that all children have opportunities for regular exercise and physical activity throughout the week with access to equipment to support this. | Purchase of specialist sports equipment which will support the specific needs of our children for them to access physical activity. | £150.00 |
| For children to access competitive sporting events and increase their participation in competition with other Ashgate children and peers from other schools. | To provide opportunities for children to participate in inclusive competition with children within Ashgate and from other specialist provision through memberships that provides competitions.  | £750.00 |