



## School Sports Funding 2013-2014 Review

The Government is providing funding of £150 million per Annum for the next five years to provide primary school sport funding. To find out more about this initiative, click on the following link. [http:](http://)



**We chose to spend the funding in the following ways:**

Resource	Cost	Impact
<p><b>Employing a specialist play co –coordinator for lunchtimes</b>            From September 2013 we have employed an additional lunchtime play coordinator whose responsibility it is to provide structured, planned and fun outdoor sessions for children in our school every day during lunchtimes. All children from the Early Years Foundation Stage to Year 2 benefit from these timetabled sessions which are aimed at including all children to participate in high levels of activity.</p>	£4500	<p>Increased participation of all pupils in structured fun, challenging and active play sessions.</p> <p>Greater enjoyment of wider range of lunchtime activities suitable for all children</p>
<p><b>Specialist PE Teacher</b>            During the Spring Term we are employing the services of a specialist PE teacher to enhance PE provision and staff training with a focus on gymnastics.</p>	£300	<p>Higher levels of teacher confidence in teaching gymnastic leading to higher expectations, pupil challenge and pupil achievement in gymnastics skills.</p>
<p><b>Refurbishment of indoor climbing equipment</b>            Our indoor climbing equipment was in sound condition but lacked the original appeal of when it was new so it was repainted to make it more exciting and appealing for children to explore in order to maximise its potential as a wonderful piece of apparatus on which to learn.</p>	£650	<p>More appealing climbing apparatus led to higher levels of interest and involvement by pupils throughout school, increased use of apparatus including children in EYFS.</p>
<p><b>Refurbishment of playground markings</b>            Constant use and weathering have faded our extensive playground markings and with the children's ideas we embarked on phase one of laying down permanent thermoplastic playground markings to further maximize the use of our playground space and further benefit the children in their outdoor play. Staff volunteered to lay new markings in liaison with donation by local road marking company, enabling funding to be transferred for use in next development plan to fund a playground play facilitator to support pupils with social, emotional and interaction difficulties.</p>	£2000	<p>Our new vibrant playground markings have stimulated more active play and learning opportunities for children. Pupils have greater enjoyment using the colourful playground surface and there has been fewer incidents of undesirable playground behaviours.</p>
<p><b>Multi Use Games Area</b>            We aim to contribute a proportion of our funding towards the building of a MUGA in the Orchard playground which is shared play space between Hyde Park Infant and Hyde Park Junior School</p>	£4000	<p>Renewed playground surface and fencing has provided a safer play environment for outdoor PE lessons and play activities throughout the school day.</p>

<p><b>Mini Games Competition Days</b></p> <p>We will be hiring a specialist PE teacher who will coordinate our intra school Mini Games competitions for each class. The Specialist PE teacher will train up and enlist the support of Secondary Sports Leaders to assist with these Mini Games events which will also be a fundraising event towards the MUGA.</p>	<p>£140</p>	<p>Mini games days in partnership with All Saints Sports Leaders enabled greater liaison with local Secondary School pupils. All children, but particularly those of high ability have been challenged, rewarded and recognized by the whole school.</p>
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Hyde Park Infant School had a total funding of £11000 for the Year 2013—2014