

Sport Funding

The government is providing additional funding of £8000 per school plus £5 per pupil over 5 for academic years 2015 to 2016 and again in 2016 to 2017 to improve provision of physical education (PE) and sport in primary schools.

For St. George's this means a grant of approximately £8300 each year.

St George's School agreed to spend this grant on the following:

Spending for 2015-2016:

- Provision of a outdoor gym bars
- The employment of a sports coaches to provided one of the weekly sessions of PE per class
- The employment of specialist coaches to run lunchtime activities and train children as play leaders

Impact of spending:

- More active children at play-times by creating space off the playground to run – especially used in wet weather when the field is not being used.
- High quality p.e. provision delivered by specialist
- Children attending local tournaments regularly achieve a high level despite being against bigger schools