

St George's Sports Funding 2017-18

The Government is providing funding of £150 million per annum to provide new, substantial primary school sport funding. This funding is being jointly provided by the Departments for Education, Health and Culture, Media and Sport, and will see money going directly to primary school Head teachers to spend on improving the quality of sport and PE for all their children.

The sport funding can only be spent on sport and PE provision in schools. OFSTED will play a significant role in ensuring that schools target this funding in areas which will lead to clear outcomes in raising standards and opportunities in PE and school sport for all children throughout the Primary Phase. All schools will receive a lump sum of £8,000 plus a premium of £5 per pupil.

At St George's this will be calculated at £8000 + £1000 (£5 x 195 pupils which equals to **£8975** for 2017/2018.

Purpose of Funding

Schools will have to spend the funding on improving their provision of PE and school sport, but they will have the freedom to choose how they do this.

At St George's we believe that ALL children who attend our school should receive a well-balanced curriculum which stimulates and promotes their academic, sporting, creative, artistic and social development.

How will St George's be using the additional sports funding in 2016 / 2017?

Activity / Action	How many children will benefit
Dance	The whole school will benefit. All pupils from Reception to Year 6.
Swimming	60 children Y4 and Y5 class
Sports coaching for children	30 children Y5 class

What other sporting activities does St George's participate in?

Ballet- this is funded by the West End Ward

After school clubs- football, basketball and netball, dance