## Exwick Heights Primary School PE Grant 18/19

## Income

Funds received: £20,210

## **Intended Expenditure**

PE equipment: £1000

Supply costs for PE subject leader: £600

Supply costs for staff training £1000

Repairs for playground equipment £2,000

Hard core playground surface: £11,750

Playground equipment for active play £4080

Total Expenditure £20,430

## **Impact statement**

Last year, we used a large proportion of the School Sports Funding to create additional hard core surfaces to encourage active playtimes for the benefit of all children. This has helped to embed physical activity into the school day. With rising pupil numbers, we recognise the importance of providing space for children to play actively. Creating an area of additional hard core surface has enabled the school to schedule additional PE lessons and extra-curricular activities that are accessible in all weathers. The new surface is sustainable for the future as the materials are a cement foundation and durable non-slip paving slabs. It has also been designed in an attractive way, creating a maze with two colours to entice imaginative play. The area will be further enhanced with the purchase of new playground equipment including a triple bay climbing wall in the spring term 2019, we aspire to ensure that children at Exwick Heights participate in at least 30-60 minutes of activity each day, in line with the Chief Medical Officer's recommendations.

The children's overall attainment in PE has continued to be of a high standard, with the overwhelming majority of our pupils (86%) remaining at or above age related expectation (21% of this figure is above) in physical education for the fifth year in a row. This can be attributed to high quality professional development opportunities provided to staff through the use School Sports Funding to provide qualified sports coaches to work with our teachers to enhance and extend opportunities for our children. Our PE Subject Leader has also been released to provide our staff with professional development, mentoring, training and resources to help them teach PE and sport more effectively.

As a school, we offer a wide range of curricular and extra-curricular sports provision (please see our parent curriculum plans and our clubs provision letters.) This term, we will have an extra focus on competitive sport at KS2.

**Y6 swimming report from academic year 2017/18:** 86% of our Y6 children could swim confidently using a range of strokes. They understood how to keep themselves safe around water. This report will be reviewed to confirm this year's swimming statistics in April 2019.