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The Government announced a continuation of funding for 2023 – 2024 (Sports Premium) for Physical Education (PE) in order to improve the quality and breadth of sport provision at school.

We are using part of the funding to subscribe to support from the Castle Point and Rochford School sports Partnership based at The Deanes School. This includes allowing our staff and students to benefit from additional festivals and sports competitions and selected students will participate in Playground Leader training.

Staff will benefit from a range of CPD and training opportunities, including access to a wide range of PE and sports courses and staff inset in school. This is especially important to ensure the funding had a lasting impact on up-skilling our teachers in school.

We also benefit from an area co-ordinator who works closely with our staff to address our devilment needs in PE and School Sport and provide further sports opportunities for students in our locality.

Our school has also invested additional funding to allow School Sports Partnership to provide further support.

We are receiving two hours per week curriculum delivery from a PE specialist. This allows our students to benefit from quality PE and, at the same time, our teaching staff experience guidance in PE through working alongside a specialist. This includes team teaching, observations and feedback and the sharing of lesson plans and ideas.

The support package also helps us provide additional sporting opportunities for our students. The sport premium funding pays for two before school clubs per week led by a sports specialist coach employed by The Castle Point and Rochford School Sports Partnership.

















