

## **Appendix 2- Westminster Sports Unit's Offer to Schools (14/15)**

**Westminster Sports Unit** is uniquely placed to offer a comprehensive service to schools at the best possible value. We are able to broker quality services from partners in education, sport and physical activity to help develop and deliver a full PE and school sport offer to your school. The team has the support of two dedicated Sports Development Officers and unlike commercial providers, there is no premium to cover the cost of overheads or profit margins.

In 2014/15 primary schools will once again receive **a sum of £8000 per school plus and an extra £5 top-up per pupil as they did in September 2013 from Central Government.**

### **Reporting & Ofsted Arrangements**

As you'll be aware, to compliment this funding there will also be **tougher assessment of PE and sport provision via Ofsted** to ensure the funding is bringing the maximum benefit for all pupils, with schools held to account for all expenditure. This will ensure that schools are clear about how PE and sport will be assessed in future as part of the overall provision offered by the school. Schools have the discretion to spend this money as they see appropriate for their school but it must be used for PE and school sport. Guidelines for spending this funding will be made available.

### **A New Offer**

The uptake from schools for the Westminster PE and School Sport Membership for 13/14 was excellent with 95% schools participating. We want to make sure the membership continues to offer excellent value for money and remains relevant and attractive for schools. Following consultation with Westminster's Head Teacher Executive and PE Subject Leaders, we have revised the last years offer to provide a more focused membership package that reflects the priorities and needs of our schools, whilst continuing to offer some optional but enhanced services.

We have built excellent relationships with a number of partners and PE professionals over the last 10 years that has enabled us to broker high quality support at minimal cost. In turn we are able to offer a membership package that is much lower than the real cost and therefore is a relatively small contribution taken from your allocated PE premium funding towards improving the amount of high quality PE and school sport in Westminster.

### **Westminster PE & School Sport Membership Package - £490**

1. **Annual primary school sport competitions calendar & online entry**, including School Games level 2 competitions, entry and transportation to School Games level 3 where appropriate and many locally requested competitions and festivals
2. **NQT training & support** – As part of Westminster NQT induction programme, the PE training days offer new teachers practical ideas and importantly ongoing support to teach and observe high quality PE back within the school environment

3. **CPD and teacher training programme** – an expanded annual teacher training programme of sport specific and generic courses aimed at supporting class teachers and coaches to deliver high quality PESS.
4. **PE and school sport health check** – audit of PE and School Sport in your school to gauge the current quality of the offer, suggest improvements and set targets conducted by an education specialist/PE advisor
5. **PE Ofsted support** – an extension to the health check, the Ofsted support will use the subject specific descriptors to aid schools in their preparation for Ofsted
6. **PE network meetings & Review Day (inc CPD sessions)** – three half day meetings and annual PE and School Sport review day.
7. **Support to gain the School Games Mark** – a member of the WSU team will spend time in the school helping teachers to understand which criteria they meet (bronze, silver or gold) and develop a plan to reach the next level.
8. **Leadership Academy** – using the School Sport Organising Crews programme from the Youth Sport Trust, primary schools will be given resources to develop young leaders in their school to become a helpful PE and school sport workforce
9. **Healthy Schools Partnership** – support and guidance to member schools to provide greater physical activity opportunities, this might include establishing a midday supervisor programme for break and lunch times, zoning the playground and breakfast clubs. Programmes such as this will be developed in partnership with Healthy Schools and Physical Activity lead officers
10. **PE safety membership** – [www.PEsafety.com](http://www.PEsafety.com) access to this invaluable website gives a 24hour response to any question schools might have regarding safety in PE and school sport. The site is managed by two physical and outdoor education specialists
11. **Annual online school sport survey** – opportunity to feedback on progress made during the year and indicate your schools key areas of required support for the coming year
12. **E-Newsletters ‘School Link’** - published each term with key information and upcoming dates

### **Westminster PE & School Sport Enhanced Services**

(The below programmes and services have individual prices to allow schools the option to pick and mix)

- a) **Level 1 School Games support** – schools will receive support on one day per term to ensure that every pupil in their school is taking part in level 1 competition (£450)
- b) **Leadership Academy** – in the enhanced package, WSU will be able to come into your school and train and develop the SSOCrew ready for deployment for your activities (£150)
- c) **Primary Schools Youth Sport Trust membership** – membership to the Youth Sport Trust provides schools with additional resources and discounts to their services (£300)

### **Additional Services**

Beyond the membership package, schools are expected to use the remaining PE premium funding to add value to PE and School Sport. Therefore, working in partnership with London Sport (regional sport and physical activity body funded by Sport England) we would be happy to broker and coordinate the arrangements on your behalf with regards to buying in additional services.

This may include:

- **Support with PPA cover and team teaching** – we only use accredited providers through the ActiveWestminster Mark which assesses providers against criteria for minimum operating standards
- **Recruitment of specialist PE teachers** – this could be a shared post between schools by pooling a proportion of funding, a model which some schools are opting for
- **Apprentice PE Assistant** - The National School Apprenticeship programme offers a unique opportunity for primary schools to employ a full-time PE assistant
- **Improved links with NGBs** of sport and their schools offer to develop school club links
- **Satellite sports clubs** these will offer open community sessions based at hub school sites

**Any bespoke service** that you may require specific to school needs such as whole school INSET training