



Thomas Bewick Primary School

NCEA Trust Sports Premium REVIEW 2022 - 2023

Key indicator 1: The engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity – Chief Medical Officer guidelines recommend that primary school children undertake at least 30 minutes of physical activity a day in school

School focus:	IMPACT
Development of Active Lunchtimes.	Sports Leaders have been trained to deliver a programme of Active Lunchtimes across Key Stage 1 and 2. The leaders have received new equipment for their delivery and use their new resources on a daily basis, which supports their playground delivery. Children are very active during break times at Thomas Bewick and Sports Leaders have managed to retain interest and engage younger children throughout the year.
To increase the amount of physical activity during break times and lunchtimes through a skipping programme.	All children at Thomas Bewick have accessed the Skip4Fit training in school this year, and also have access to skipping ropes during lunchtimes and breaktimes. This skipping programme has enthused the children and adds to the Active Lunchtimes programme, detailed above.
To improve our end of KS2 swimming results.	Last year, our current Y6 children achieved only 5% pass rate when they attended in Year 5. However, due to the extended lessons this year in Year 6 this standard has risen to 56% which, despite being below national average, is a vast increase. With the Trust intention of re-organising year group swimming next year, the decision was taken to not allocate SP funding to Top-Up this year. The funding has been re-distributed to EYFS outdoor facilities instead (see below).

Key indicator 2: The profile of PE and sport being raised across the school as a tool for whole school improvement

School focus:	IMPACT
To engage more children in a love of reading through the introduction of new Sport-focused literature, which aligns with Thomas Bewick Accelerated Reading Programme.	172 new sport-related books have been purchased from Laburnum House; Recommended via Literacy Lead. These books are regularly quizzed by pupils as part of their AR programme. Through discussions with teaching staff there has been an increase in the amount of reading as a result of these books, however there has been a large increase in interest and enthusiasm in boys in particular when reading the football-related books.
Increase in Teamwork / collaboration between pupils	With the remaining swimming top up balance we have invested in Commando Joes scheme of work alongside resources. "Commando Joe has had a positive impact from EYFS to Y6. Children have enjoyed improving their

across school.	communication skills, team building skills etc. Improving resilience, empathy, self-awareness, passion, excellence, communication and teamwork (RESPECT).” Moving forward, a more structured schedule would be more effective.
Key indicator 3: Increased confidence, knowledge and skills of all staff in teaching PE and sport	
School focus:	IMPACT
NUFC CPD staff opportunities.	Lesson support / CPD has been delivered across all year groups at Thomas Bewick. Our teachers have been able to access this CPD as part of their development and knowledge / confidence.
Key indicator 4: Broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils	
School focus:	IMPACT
Increase the after school club offer to Key Stages.	All clubs at Thomas Bewick have been consistently well attended with a good range of age groups from across Key Stages. 77% of children who attended the sport’s clubs were Pupil Premium children. Some clubs have continued throughout the year meaning children have accessed many hours of coaching and physical activity since September. A wide variety of clubs have been delivered including Football, Fitness / Boxing, Multi-Skills, a large selection of Dance & Movement.
Key indicator 5: Increased participation in competitive sport	
School focus:	IMPACT
Entry to Pentathlon Sports events.	Although not a SP focus, we have been able to access Pentathlon Sports competitions this year for a selection of 30 SEND children, who took part in both Boccia and Kurling at Newbiggin Leisure Centre.
Entry into the 1892 Football Cup with NUFC Foundation	Although not a SP focus, 8 children were given the opportunity to take part in the 1892 football cup with NUFC Foundation. The children were given the opportunity to develop their football skills and play games against different schools.
Entry into the ENSFA 7-a-side football league and Cup.	These fixtures, which ran from October through to after Easter saw over 10 Thomas Bewick pupils from Y5/6 take part in over 18 matches against teams from across the region.
Ashington School Sports Partnership Competition network.	A selection of pupils have attended various festivals and / or competitions as part of this network, including Y1 Multi-Skills, Y4 Hula Hooping and Y2 Gymnastics, Y3 Tag Rugby, Y5 Football and Y6 Multi Sports. Unfortunately due to the continued extensive cost of transport, other partnership schools have withdrawn from some events this year, resulting in cancelled fixtures. Unplanned Strike action has also hindered some events. Plans are already in place for next year whereby local schools are able to either share transport or compete more locally by walking between schools.