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# Primary PE & Sports Premium - *making use of your underspend.*

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DfE has sanctioned any Primary PE and Sport Premium funding from the current academic year (2019-20), that schools were **unable to use**, as a result of the coronavirus pandemic, can be **carried forward** to utilise in the next academic year



The premium must be spent by school (proprietors) on making additional and sustainable improvements to the provision of PE and sport for the benefit of all primary-aged pupils to encourage the development of healthy, active lifestyles. **This applies also to any carry over funding from the academic year 2019 to 2020 that must be spent by 31 March 2021.**

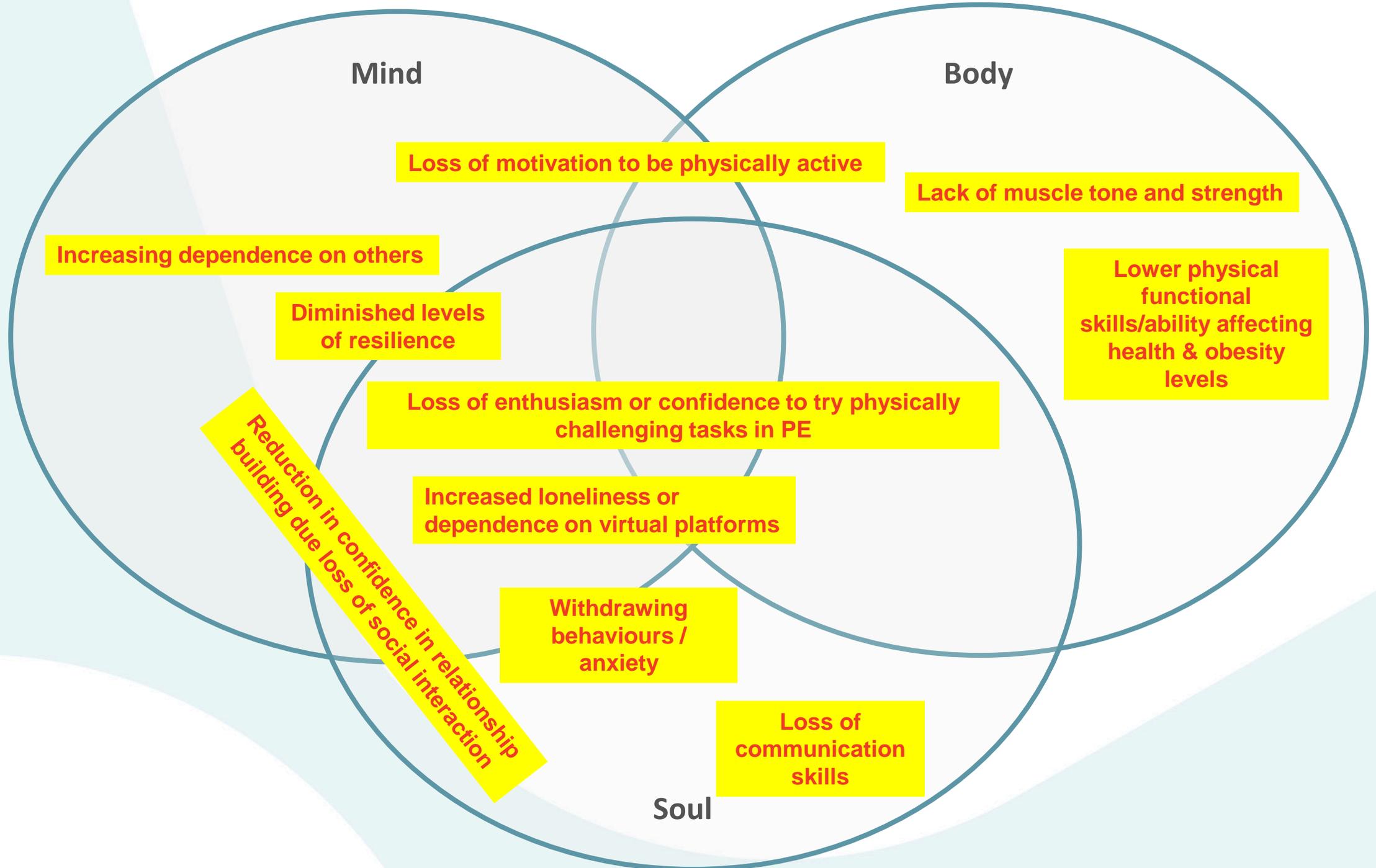
# Primary PE and Sport Premium - Key Indicators

Schools must use the funding to make additional and sustainable improvements to the quality of PE and sport they offer. There are 5 key indicators that schools should expect to see improvement across:

1. The engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity - the Chief Medical Officer guidelines recommend that all children and young people aged 5 to 18 engage in at least 60 minutes of physical activity a day, of which 30 minutes should be in school
2. The profile of PE and sport is raised across the school as a tool for whole-school improvement
3. Increased confidence, knowledge and skills of all staff in teaching PE and sport
4. Broader experience of a range of sports and activities offered to all pupils
5. Increased participation in competitive sport



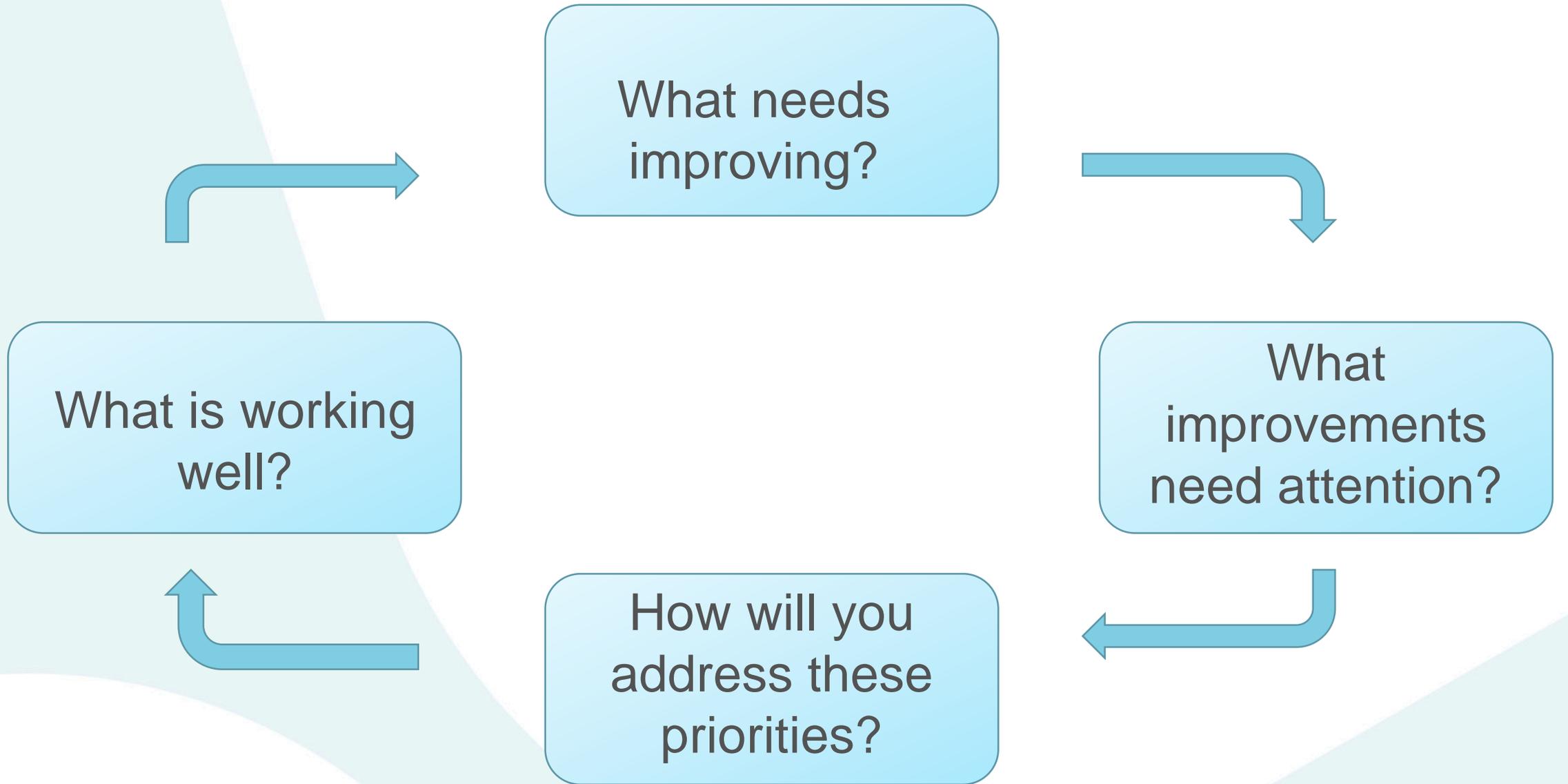
# Impact of Covid-19



A rhetorical question for you.

How could you use this funding as an intervention to address the needs of targeted students?





# What your funding should not be used for

You should not use your funding to:

- employ coaches or specialist teachers to cover planning preparation and assessment (PPA) arrangements
- teach the minimum requirements of the national curriculum
- fund capital expenditure



# 1. Sustainability

It may be difficult at this time to bring in external providers to support PE lessons and sports clubs,

**TOP TIP:** Look for *CPD opportunities* linked to Physical Education delivery, whole school physically active learning strategies or outdoor learning initiatives. Try to invest in CPD that aims to address staff motivations and relationships with physical activity rather than simply upskilling staff in technical aspects of traditional sporting activities.

## •2. Whole School Improvement

- In order to leave a legacy, the PE and Sport Premium grant should impact on far more than just pupils' physical health but also be used as a resource that can be a driver for whole school improvement.
- **TOP TIP:** *Look at your whole school improvement plan; identify any areas where PE, school sport or physical activity can positively impact on **targeted pupils or outcomes such as academic attainment, behaviour or attendance**. This can be achieved by embedding successful physically active learning approaches such as active maths or cross curricular orienteering.*

# 3. Outdoor Learning

Current DfE reopening guidance encourages schools to take pupils outside of the classroom as much as possible both within PE and wider lessons. This is a great opportunity to look at any improvements that can be made to your school's physical environment that could better support outdoor learning and the promotion of physical activity.

**TOP TIP:** Invest in **CPD** that builds confidence in your staff to deliver **cross curricular outdoor lessons or forest school activities** along with finding ways to make this winter more practical e.g. investing in footwear storage, **waterproof clothing**, wellies and boiler suits etc.

## 4. Active Travel

- We have also seen an increase in families walking together to school. There is a great opportunity now for schools to build on this trend by promoting active travel amongst pupils and their families.
- **TOP TIP:** Use your PE and Sport Premium to invest in *cycle training* for pupils across the school. Consider purchasing *storage facilities* for bikes or scooters.

# 5. Ensuring high quality PE provision

- Now is a perfect time to ensure the staff at your school have the confidence and skills to deliver high quality physical education as access to external coaches or sport specific specialists may be more limited due to Covid restrictions.
- **TOP TIP:** Look for **CPD** opportunities for staff to be upskilled in PE delivery either through a **quality assured** PE provider.
- As outdoor PE is now the 'new normal', this would also be a perfect opportunity for your staff to be upskilled in Outdoor Adventurous Activities (OAA, forest school initiatives).

# 6. Innovation

- Use this unprecedented Covid-19 landscape as an opportunity to be **innovative** rather than a reason to restrict PESSPA provision.
- **TOP TIP:** *Involve children* in shaping your PESSPA offer and use this opportunity to expose children to activities that historically have not been part of your PE curriculum but would still develop their fundamental movement skills.

# 7. Swimming

- Covid-19 has had a significant impact on leisure centres and the national lockdown earlier this year will have resulted in large numbers of children missing out on school swimming.
- **TOP TIP:** Use the [Return to Swim guidance](#) to support the return of National Curriculum School Swimming and Water Safety either on-site or via an external provider.



While 77% of all children can swim the minimum 25 metres unaided by the time they leave primary school, that figure drops to 42% for children from the least affluent families and is at 86% for the most affluent\*.

\*Findings from Sport England Active Lives survey  
December 2018.

# • Payments

Financial year	2020 to 2021 academic year	Payment date
2020 to 2021	September 2020 to March 2021	30 October 2020
2021 to 2022	April 2021 to August 2021	30 April 2021



# • Reporting & Accountability

- You must publish details of how you spend your PE and sport premium funding by the end of the summer term or by 31 July 2021 at the latest. *If you have any carried forward funding from academic year 2019 to 2020 you should show separately how this funding has been spent* and confirm that it has been spent before 31 March 2021.

# Evidencing the impact of the Primary PE and sport premium

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# Thankyou for you contributions

## Any questions.....

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