

Pupil Premium 2016-17

Schools receive Pupil Premium funding as follows:

- £1320 per primary pupil who is currently eligible for free school schools or who has been eligible in the past 6 years
- £1900 per primary pupil for Looked After children
- £1900 primary pupils who have been registered on the school census as having been adopted from care or leaving care under a special guardianship or residence order dating back to 30th December 2005

This academic year, we will receive funding for 40 children and this equates to £53,220 and we are spending the allocation in the following ways:

- One to one and small group teaching assistant support in order to close any gap in achievement and attainment in English and maths £26,340
- One to one online tuition for maths £4,180
- Further development of in-house support for emotional well being, behaviour and positive mental health. This includes support for individuals and whole school and individual staff training £9,700
- Additional lunchtime staff for one to one and small group support £4,800
- Wider learning opportunities such as participation in clubs and extra curricular activities £8,200

Rationale:

We believe that children's emotional well being is key to optimum attainment and achievement. It is crucial that support is provided to promote positive mental health, emotional resilience and self esteem. Focused work on emotional well being impacts on attitudes and relationships which in turn puts children in the best place to learn and allows them to make sustained progress.

With additional one to one and small group support, children are well supported to make accelerated progress and close any gaps in achievement and attainment.

We will measure the impact of the Pupil Premium funding through analysis of individual data and tracking. Other self evaluation strategies to measure impact such as observations, work scrutiny and pupil voice will also be used

Our Pupil Premium strategy is reviewed informally throughout the year. Also, formal review will take place at the end of the academic year July 2017.

Pupil Premium 2015-16

We received Pupil Premium funding for 51 children which equated to £73,962

The allocation was spent in the following ways:

- Increased teaching assistant hours and additional part time teacher to reduce the size of teaching groups and allow for one to one and small group teaching assistant support in order to close any gap in achievement and attainment in English and maths £26,100
- Booster work (one to one and small group) led by teachers and HLTAs, including supporting more able £17,440
- Development of in-house support for emotional well being, behaviour and positive mental health. This includes support for individuals and staff training £13,250
- Maths intervention groups £950
- Additional lunchtime staff for one to one and small group support £6,000
- Wider learning opportunities £10,230

Impact:

Data and tracking indicated that children in most year groups made progress in line with their peers and that the attainment and achievement gap is narrowing.

In Key Stage 1, the performance of our children (phonics) for whom we receive pupil premium funding was significantly better when compared with Local Authority figures.

Work related to emotional well being had a marked impact on attitudes to learning and readiness to learn resulting in sustained progress.