



As part of the Government policy to improve the educational attainment of under-performing pupils, additional funding has been allocated to schools through the Pupil Premium Grant (PPG.)

This allocation (£1300 per qualifying pupil) is based on the number of pupils in Reception to Year Six who have been entitled to Free School Meals (FSM) as recorded on the termly census.

An additional allocation of £300 is made for pupils of service personnel. Children who are Looked After (LAC) receive an allocation of £1900.

2014 - 2015:

Total number of children eligible for Pupil Premium: 11

Actual funding received for 2014/15: £14,300

| Nature of Support 2014/15 | |
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| Support: | Impact: |
| <p>1. Curriculum Enrichment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Subsidised school trips. • Free before-school places. • Taxis to and from school. • Book Club. • Games Club. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Subsidised trips enabled out of school experiences that would not otherwise have been available. This had an impact on social skills, team work, developing friendships and the children's writing. • Free before-school places enabled children to attend school on time which had a positive impact on their learning. Taxis to and from school enabled children who would not have been able to attend school on occasions to improve their attendance. • Children who were not under achievers were able to access support that met their needs, for example, by developing social skills within games club and book club. • Children in 'Book Club' received books to take home. |
| <p>2. Targeted Support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English and Maths Intervention groups including First Class @ Number. • Support within the classroom for Maths and English. • 1:1 support tailored to each child. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children who were under-achieving in maths and English were given targeted support in and out of the classroom to close the gaps. This had a positive impact on their achievement (demonstrated by in-year data.) |

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| <p>3. Social and Emotional support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Access to Family Support worker. • Bereavement counselling. • 'Sparkle Group' for social and emotional support. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children with Social and Emotional needs were included in Sparkle Group. This had a positive effect on their social skills, turn taking, self-esteem and confidence. • Bereavement counselling was provided for two children who needed it, providing them with coping strategies. • Family Support worker developed a link with several families which impacted positively on the children's home and school lives. |
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What is the impact of the above spending on FSM children?

How our pupil premium children performed compared to our non-pupil premium children and pupil premium children nationally:

Attainment at the end of Key Stage 2

| Key Stage 2 | Average of combined subjects (reading, writing and maths) | Reading | Writing | Maths |
|--|---|---------|---------|-------|
| Pupil Premium children average score | 27.9 | 28.2 | 27.0 | 28.2 |
| Non Pupil Premium children average score | 30.4 | 31.0 | 28.5 | 31.0 |
| Difference (School Pupil Premium / School non-pupil premium) | -2.5 | -2.8 | -1.5 | -2.8 |
| National Pupil Premium average score | 27.2 | 27.6 | 26.6 | 27.3 |
| Difference (School Pupil Premium / National Pupil Premium) | +0.7 | +0.6 | +0.4 | +0.9 |

In-year attainment from end of Year 5 to end of Year 6 for Pupil Premium children 2015-16:

| | | | | Attainment from end of Year 5 to end of Year 6 | |
|-------------------|------|--|-------------------|---|-------------|
| Y5 Reading | 25.8 | | Y6 Reading | 28.6 | +2.8 points |
| Y5 Writing | 18.6 | | Y6 Writing | 26.6 | +8 points |
| Y5 Maths | 22.2 | | Y6 Maths | 28.2 | +6 points |

N.B. 'expected' progress is three points per year. Reading attainment was well above the attainment expected at the end of Year Five.

2015-16:

Pupil Premium spending for 2015-2016 will continue to support children with group and 1:1 interventions, tailored to their individual needs. 'Sparkle Group' for social and emotional well-being will continue but will be taken over by the school's Family Support Worker.

If your child does not receive Free School Meals, but you think you may be eligible because of your family's income level, please contact the school office (in confidence) to request an application form. Even if you do not wish for them to have the free meal, this would mean the school could claim additional Pupil Premium funding that may be used to support your child in school.