

Pupil Premium – To Improve Standards

Schools receive a payment, or Pupil Premium, for each child who is registered for free school meals and those who have been in continuous care for six months or more. From April 2012 the Pupil Premium was extended to include children who have been eligible for Free School Meals at any point in the last six years. Currently this sum is £1,300 per pupil.

Schools receive £300 for pupils whose parents are serving in the armed forces to support the child's emotional needs.

2015 to 2016

We received £10,400 in Pupil Premium funding for 9 pupils (due to timing of budget):

- Most of this fund is spent on additional tutoring (one-to-one and small groups teaching out of lesson time).
- Children were able to choose £100 of books (to read themselves first and then put in the library) to help support a love of reading.
- Maths and English resources have been bought for use in support/catch-up interventions.
- A small percentage of the money has been used to help fund the SENCO who has responsibility for Pupil Premium groups and some TA time.
- This fund has also been used to pay for music tuition and exams.
- We have paid for educational visits for eligible children.

Impact

There were no children eligible for Pupil Premium funding in Year 6 or Year 2 this year. In other year groups, 7/9 pupils made good or outstanding progress in Maths, 6/9 pupils made good or outstanding progress in Reading and 4/9 made good or outstanding progress in Writing.

2014 to 2015

We received £9,100 in Pupil Premium funding:

- Most of this fund is spent on additional tutoring (one-to-one and small groups teaching out of lesson time).
- A proportion of the money has funded five laptops for use in interventions and at lunchtime.
- Additional resources have been bought for support/catch-up interventions for use by disadvantaged pupils in Reading and Maths.
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100% of children eligible for pupil premium funding in our school across the year groups have made expected or better progress in Reading, Writing and Maths and many have made outstanding progress. For the last two years, pupils in receipt of Pupil Premium funding have made outstanding progress by the time they reached the end of Key Stage 2.

2013-2014 Impact:

READING: 88% pupils made expected progress or better (50% made better than expected and 25% made outstanding progress).

WRITING: 88% pupils made expected progress or better in Reading (38% made better than expected and 25% made outstanding progress).

MATHS: 75% pupils made expected progress or better in Reading (38% made better than expected and 13% made outstanding progress).