

Pupil Premium Information

The Pupil Premium is funding provided to schools which is additional to main school funding. It is allocated to children who have been eligible for free school meals within the last 6 years. Money can also be allocated to children who have been “looked after” (in care) for 6 months or more.

A smaller amount is allocated to children of service families.

It is for schools to decide how the Pupil Premium is spent, since they are best placed to assess what additional provision should be made for the individual pupils within their responsibility. However, schools are to be held account able for how they have used the additional funding to support disadvantaged pupils, in particular in closing the gap in attainment between the disadvantaged and non-disadvantaged children.

Please see below for information regarding Pupil Premium in the last financial year and the plans for future spending.

Allocations

In 2016/2017 we received £8520

In 2017/2018 we received £4560

In 2018/2019 we received £9,240

Expenditure

In 2018/2019 funding is being used to target Pupil Premium children with the following:

- Staff training for Dyslexia
- Staff training for ‘Talk for Writing’
- Teacher/ Teaching assistant small group support with pupil premium children
- Drama lessons and after school club KS2
- Drama lessons KS1
- Spelling/ maths shed support
- Support with residential trip for 2 pupils
- Payment support for class trips
- Payment for swimming lessons KS1 and KS2
- Musical instrument lesson support KS2
- Purchase of new reading books in all classes
- Purchase of 2 i-pads

Evaluation

We monitor the progress of the eligible children using our tracking systems. The SENCO and the Headteacher will report to governors and evaluate the success of our actions with them.

In 2017/2018 all of our Pupil Premium children made above expected progress in at least two of Reading, Writing and Maths subjects.

Our Pupil Premium children's attainment is quite wide ranging, some significantly above average, others are average and some below average attainment. Cohort numbers are small so care must be taken in interpreting statistical significance.

Using Scholarpack assessment analysis for 2017/2018:

Reading - Secure plus

Pupil Premium 80% Non Pupil Premium 81%

Writing – Secure plus

Pupil Premium 80% Non Pupil Premium 78%

Mathematics – Secure plus

Pupil Premium 80% Non Pupil Premium 83%

Progress was at least good for Pupil Premium children.