

Pupil Premium

2017 - 2018



Context

School is allocated, by the government, a sum of money each year to address the current underlying inequalities between disadvantaged children and their peers.

For the 2017 /18 financial year (based on the January 2017 census) this amount is £1320 for each child eligible for Free School Meals (FSM), £302 for early years pupil premium, £1900 for children adopted from care with an additional £300 for each child with a parent in the armed services.

At Swansfield Park Primary School this sum comes to £49,770. Currently 12.9% of our pupils attract Pupil Premium payments.

Schools are free to spend the Pupil Premium as they see fit, but are accountable for the success of their chosen expenditure.

- We ensure that teaching and learning opportunities address the needs of all of the pupils.
- We ensure that necessary, challenging provision is made for pupils who belong to vulnerable groups, this includes ensuring that the needs of disadvantaged pupils are appropriately assessed and addressed.
- We recognise that there are disadvantaged pupils who do not qualify for Free School Meals, the Forces Premium or Pupil Premium Plus. We allocate resources to support any group or groups of children we have identified as being disadvantaged or vulnerable.
- Pupil Premium funding follows identified needs. This may mean that not every child who receives Free School Meals will be in receipt of Pupil Premium funded interventions all of the time.
- We recognise that not all pupils who receive the Pupil Premium Grant experience disadvantage at school. However, we ensure that more able children receive support to access appropriately challenging, motivating and enriching learning experiences.



We have used the Sutton Trust/ EEF toolkit to inform our decisions about the effectiveness of each approach/ intervention.

Most of these interventions have a focus on learning; a number have a focus on social and emotional development and there is some focus on the enrichment of the curriculum.

We have identified the needs of this group in the following ways and spent our funding as described in the table attached.



Planned Expenditure 2017/18

Allocation	What we plan to do	Why	Desired Outcome	Evaluation
£8,000	Early Years Support Provide dedicated session to develop core skills (language, PSE, physical and maths)	To ensure that pupil premium children have an enhanced entitlement which gives them the opportunity to maximise their potential.	Pupil premium children will achieve a good level of development by the end of the early years foundation stage.	
£5,000	Phonic Development Employ teaching assistants to deliver Read, Write Inc; paired and additional reading sessions	Evidence demonstrates that intensive tuition in small groups is very effective, particularly when pupils are grouped according to current level of attainment or specific need.	All children achieve the year 1 phonic check.	
£1,000	Writing on Wildside Employing a specialist literacy teaching assistant for ½ day per week to focus on the acquisition of basic literacy skills with targeted pupils through a forest school approach to learning.	Targeted children have gross and fine motor needs and low level literacy skills which can be addressed through this approach to working.	Identified individuals make significant progress in reading writing and physical development.	
£5,000	Learning Plus Additional learning time is offered to all pupil premium children in key stage 2 through our Learning Plus programme	Identified children to receive extra basic skills input to make the curriculum accessible and accelerate progress.	All key stage 2 children have secure basic skills and can access the differentiated curriculum on offer.	
£2,000	Urban Sport Club Urban Sports Club is a targeted provision offered to some pupil premium children as an after school club and as holiday provision.	We employ a sports development officer in order to raise self-esteem and awareness of how to initiate positive, structured team work.	Pupil's self-esteem is raised and they develop skills such as organisation, communication, collaboration, leadership, turn taking and encouraging others.	
£3,000	Financial Support Subsidise educational visits, out of hours activities, music and swimming	We promote physical wellbeing and place considerable value on ensuring that all children can swim by the time they leave school. We also acknowledge that being involved in extra-curricular activities may increase attendance and enjoyment of school life.	Children look forward to and value the opportunities to excel in school in non-academic as well as academic contexts. 100% of pupils able to swim 25m. Children participate in extra-curricular activities and develop the transferrable skills of communication, teamwork, coordination, concentration and rehearsal or practice.	
£4,000	Mathematics Provision Deliver Number Counts intervention within key stage 2 and introduce Numicon in key stage 1	Evidence demonstrates that inclusive mathematic teaching is very effective, particularly when pupils in mixed ability groups where children are able to explain concepts to their peers and benefit from listening to the explanations of others.	All children achieve expectations or master the curriculum for their year group in maths.	
£15,000	Learning Mentors Employ learning mentors to support pupil premium children within key stage 1 and 2	Identified children need additional support with organisation and completion of homework as well as regular opportunities to read and discuss books.	All children complete homework and read to an adult regularly throughout the week.	

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£2,000	Summer School Provide targeted learning activities for year 5 pupils during the summer holiday.	Ensuring that pupil premium children access support to maximise potential in year 6.	On track to achieve ambitious targets by the end of year 6.	
£2,000	SATs Preparation Targeted provision for year 6 pupil premium children	Ensuring that pupil premium children access support to maximise potential in year 6.	Pupil premium children achieve ambitious targets.	
£3,000	Parent Support Run "Working Together" – parent support group	Our parenting group was established with support from the LIST team and is a weekly drop in session for parents. The focus being the promotion of positive family relationships through shared learning activities.	Parents and children value support from this group and develop positive, nurturing behaviours. Strong home / school links are established.	

