



**To be eligible for Pupil Premium you or your child must be receiving one of the following:**

1. Income Support or Job Seekers Allowance
2. Child Tax Credit with an annual income of less than £16,190 (provided you are not also entitled to Working Tax Credit)
3. Working Tax Credit run on (paid for the 4 weeks after you stop qualify for Working Tax Credit)
4. Universal Credit
5. Pension Guarantee Credit
6. Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
7. Support via Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
8. Be a child with a parent in the armed forces



## Pupil Premium



Pupil premium funding will be allocated following a needs analysis which will identify priority classes, groups or individuals.

Limited funding and resources mean that not all children receiving free school meals will be in receipt of pupil premium funding at one time.

Whitemoor Academy have the freedom to allocate pupil premium funding to any pupil or group of pupils the school has identified as being socially disadvantaged.



## Pupil Premium at Whitemoor Academy



Pupil Premium is a government initiative that provides additional funding to raise the attainment of disadvantaged pupils to diminish the difference between them and their peers.





### Our Key Principles at Whitemoor

By following the key principles below, we believe we can maximise the impact of our Pupil Premium spending:

- We believe that ALL children can succeed.
- We constantly identify pupils who are Pupil Premium or who are vulnerable.
- Through data analysis, we are fully aware of strengths and weaknesses across the school.
- Up to date research is used to determine the best strategies to use in correlation with school data analysis.
- Continually improve teaching and assessment.

## Barriers to Learning and support

The targeted and strategic use of Pupil Premium will support us in achieving our aims and addressing the identified barriers to learning:

### **Social and Emotional:**

Social skills, including being able to talk through problems, listen to others. Lack of self-esteem; family structures that can cause emotional stress and distress.

### **Social and Emotional Support:**

Through the whole school TIS approach, we will provide social and emotional support for all eligible Pupil Premium pupils and other vulnerable groups. We endeavour to help pupils develop into happy, confident and resilient learners who are proud of their achievements.

### **Language and Communication:**

Delayed or poor oral language skills specifically regarding extended vocabulary which makes learning more challenging.

### **Language and Communication Support:**

We assess pupils throughout their development, offering intervention and support at the point of need. We have schemes for language development and have a whole school approach to developing vocabulary.

### **Parental Engagement and wider opportunities:**

Opportunity for constructive Parental engagement and wider opportunities for pupils with limited experiences.

### **Parental Engagement and wider opportunities:**

We will ensure that we will provide opportunity and support for parents through a variety of ways including staff deployment, parent workshops, parent evenings and up to date online information. We have a very approachable and active Parent Support Advisor who is always available. In addition, we offer a wide range of opportunities for pupils both on and off-site.