

Pupil premium grant expenditure 2016/17

Number of pupils and pupil premium grant (PPG) received	
Total number of pupils on roll	400
Total number of pupils eligible for PPG (Deprivation /FSM)	21
Services children	6
Post Looked After	1
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Amount of PPG received per pupil	£1320
Amount per services children	£300
Amount per child – Post Looked After /Looked After	£1900
Total amount of PPG received	£ 33,920

Purpose of Pupil Premium funding

The Pupil Premium grant funding is in addition to the school's delegated budget. It is allocated to support children who may be vulnerable to underachievement. Pupil Premium funding is used to raise attainment, promote social skills, independent learning and positive behaviour in order to increase pupil progress. The government believe it is the best way to tackle underlying inequalities between children eligible for Free School Meals (FSM) and their peers. It is for schools to decide how the Pupil Premium is spent. Targeted and strategic use of Pupil Premium will support us in achieving our aims. The school's evaluation of its performance is rigorous. Tracking of progress over time for each pupil is thorough. Areas for development are quickly identified and targeted strategies /interventions are developed quickly to promote improvement. A member of the Senior Leadership team maintains an overview of spending and reports to our governor responsible for Pupil Premium.

Principles

- We ensure teaching and learning opportunities meet the needs of all children.
- We ensure that appropriate provision is made for children who belong to vulnerable groups and that social disadvantaged children have their needs adequately assessed and met.
- We recognise that not all children who receive free school meals will be socially disadvantaged and that not all children that are disadvantaged have free schools meals.

Provision

Pupil Premium has allowed us to maintain and build on good levels of Teaching Assistant support. This has allowed us to develop additional hours of one-one support and small group work in key year groups with identified children.

The range of provision will include:

- Specific tailored programmes with Teaching Assistant to support individual children and small groups focussed on overcoming gaps in learning to help improve progress.
- Additional speech and language support by a specialist teaching assistant.
- Pastoral and Emotional support for targeted pupils provided by specialist Teaching Assistant.
- Acquiring additional teaching materials to enhance maths reading and writing.
- Poulton Waves Radio Hub to develop speaking and listening, self-esteem and team work.

Measuring the impact of PPG spending

Poulton Lancelyn school will evaluate the impact on each child each half- term over the year. All our work through Pupil Premium will be aimed at accelerating progress. Initially this will be in English and maths. We will also focus on development of children's self- confidence and self- esteem as we have identified that learning behaviour and emotions may also be a barrier to children's learning.