



Pupil Premium

Pupil Premium is funding in addition to main school funding based on:

- children who receive free school meals (FSM) or who have received FSM during the last 6 years
- children who are 'looked after'
- children of armed service personnel

The Government believes that the Pupil Premium is the best way to address the current underlying inequalities between eligible children and their wealthier peers by ensuring that funding to tackle disadvantage reaches the pupils who need it most.

The Pupil Premium is paid to schools as they are best placed to assess what additional provision their pupils need and they are free to spend it as they see fit. However they are held accountable for how they have used the additional funding to support pupils from low-income families. All schools must publish online information about how they have used the Premium. This ensures that parents and others are made fully aware of the attainment of pupils covered by the Premium (www.education.gov.uk)

Year	Pupil Premium Funding Received	Spent on	Outcome
2013-2014	£8,100 based on FSM + £600 for service children	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional TA support • Music lessons • Financial support to pupils whose circumstances are challenging so they could participate in all school activities 	Vulnerable children made expected progress and the gap was narrowed between disadvantaged and other pupils.
2014-2015	£11,907 based on FSM alone	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1:1 & small group work support • Music lessons • Financial support for disadvantaged pupils to attend extra-curricular activities • Daily milk for FSM children • Breakfast for those FSM children in need 	This ensured that the children in vulnerable groups, including FSM, achieved either in line or exceeded national expectations.
2015-2016		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intervention teachers to help groups of pupils including those disadvantaged • Additional TA support • Financial support for disadvantaged pupils to attend extra-curricular activities • Daily milk for FSM children 	The aim is to accelerate the learning of all children so that they achieve or exceed national expectations in English and Maths, in particular the children within the vulnerable groups.