

## **Pupil Premium**

### **Information for parents:**

In place of the current requirements regarding information about pupil premium expenditure, schools are now required to publish their 'PUPIL PREMIUM STRATEGY.' This should include:

1. In the previous academic year: (2017-2018)
  - how the pupil premium allocation was spent
  - the impact of the expenditure on eligible and other pupils
2. The current academic year: (2018-2019)
  - the amount of the school's allocation of pupil premium grant
  - details of the main barriers to educational achievement
  - how the allocation will be spent to address the barriers and why these approaches were taken
  - how the school will measure the impact of the pupil premium
  - the date of the next pupil premium strategy review.

### **Pupil Premium Spending**

Our pupil premium money has been used to ensure that all pupils can access opportunities offered by the school. This ensures that all pupils can share their knowledge and experience socially and academically. For example, books published by visiting authors are added to library stock and residential experiences are offered to all pupils. The needs and interests of all pupils are considered when designing our curriculum, purchasing equipment and planning visits and visitors.

The school uses a range of intervention strategies and these are deployed as needed throughout the school.

### **Measuring Impact**

Data is collected at regular intervals to enable us to evaluate the success of particular interventions or type of support offered. This includes attendance data and information about a child's wellbeing and attitudes to/involvement in learning.

Pupil Premium Funding and the impact of this is a regular item on the governors' curriculum and Finance committees.

### **Eligibility for Pupil Premium**

A parent may wish to check their child's eligibility for Pupil Premium or continued free school meals (from Key Stage 2) and

Leicestershire County Council has information for parents [here](#).

Parents/guardians in England do not have to pay for school meals if they receive any of the following:

- Income Support
- Income-Based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit, provided they are not entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual income (as assessed by HM Revenue & Customs) that does not exceed £16,190
- Working Tax Credit 'run-on' - the payment someone may receive for a further four weeks after they stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Guarantee element of State Pension Credit

Pupil Premium is an important payment for schools and a really good opportunity for eligible parents to get even more support for their children in schools