

PUPIL PREMIUM REPORT 2015-2016

Number of pupils (eligible for Pupil Premium): 88/184 (Includes Reception Class)

Total amount of Pupil Premium: £123,660

Amount Per Pupil: £1320 (LAC - £1400 Pupil Premium Plus)

Use of Money:

Additional Staff

Family Support Worker for 2.5 days per week. Our FSW provides opportunities for small group support on therapeutic interventions enabling pupils to develop socially and emotionally to enable full curriculum access. Learning and behaviour support for parents/carers is also provided.

4 Additional Teaching Assistants for interventions/support (Years 1,2,4 and EYFS)

Additional teacher in KS2 to accelerate progress and raise attainment for all pupils including those in receipt of pupil premium

Additional teacher to release SENCO for focused assessment/review of needs/provision of children eligible for PPG.

Additional teaching and learning opportunities:

Maths Watch subscription, PIXL programme for Y5 and Y6

Music and Performing Arts' Service (Peripatetic tuition)

Swimming Tuition

Subsidies on educational visits

Extra-curricular club – Football club

Curriculum enrichment opportunities – Tickled pink production, Maths puzzle day, visit from poet for world book day, science

1-1 Tuition for LAC (Looked After Children) in school

Additional tuition for LAC children – out of school hours

Training provided for staff to deliver the Pyramid club – ran a ten week programme to raise self-esteem

Pyramid Club resources

Curriculum resources to aid revision for SATS, literacy resources and reading books targeted at disadvantaged readers

Crucial Crew - Safety awareness for year 6 children

The children have access to the Letterbox Club

MEASURING THE IMPACT

Governors are kept informed about progress of PP children at termly curriculum meetings where

they are presented with a detailed assessment report. Data indicates that the gap between PP children and children not eligible for this funding is narrowing and that expected progress is being made.

In February 2015 we received a letter from the Rt hon David Laws MP, congratulating us on the improvement in the KS2 results of our disadvantaged pupils since 2011. He said the results showed we have improved in terms of the progress and attainment achieved by disadvantaged pupils since 2011, and states we are;

“Highly effective in educating your disadvantaged pupils. It is clear you and your staff have provided your disadvantaged pupils with a good start in life and prepared them well for secondary school.”

The letter also informed us that we are amongst the 100 top performing schools based on sustained improvement in attainment at Level 4 or above in reading , writing and mathematics each year from 2012-2014.

School has been complimented by the Looked After Children’s service on the quality of our Personal Education Plans, which have the use of Pupil Premium plus clearly indicated on them. These indicate the personal and academic progress of each child.

The data clearly shows that the way we spend the Pupil Premium Grant is directly benefiting the children, who are eligible, and improving their progress, attainment and life chances.

Mrs A Barker

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