

Pupil Premium

The pupil premium is funding provided to schools which is additional to main school funding. It is allocated according to the number of pupils in school who are eligible for free school meals (FSM). In 2012 funding was extended to include pupils who have been eligible for free school meals within the last six years.

It is for schools to decide how the pupil premium is spent since they are best placed to assess what additional provision should be made for the individual pupils. However, schools are accountable for how they have used the additional funding to support these pupils. Please see below information regarding how the pupil premium has been spent, and the plans for future spending.

2011/2012

- Additional staffing for intervention programmes

2012/2013

- Staff training in effective feedback, guided reading and phonics
- Staff available for homework support during after school clubs
- Holiday and weekend clubs
- Subsidised support for children to attend after school clubs then supported with literacy
- Reading resources
- Support staffing costs where necessary
- Introduce peer support for reading
- Support with residential costs
- Subscription to Lexia

Proposals for 2013/14 dependent upon funding received

- Continue with what has proved effective from 2012/2013
- Additional staffing for early intervention/phonics
- Subsidised support for children to attend after school clubs
- After school booster sessions for KS2 as and when needed
- Continued staff training and monitoring of effective feedback strategies
- Specialist input for 1-1 sessions
- Subscription to Lexia

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