

Premiums Report

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What is Pupil Premium?

Pupil premium was introduced by the Government to provide additional funding to address the gap in educational attainment and long term economic well-being between socially disadvantaged children and young people compared to their peers. They defined socially disadvantaged children as those eligible for free school meals (FSMs) at some point in the last 6 years and children who have been in care for more than 6 months (LAC) or children whose parents are currently employed by the armed services. The government has also introduced other premiums for students who meet other specific eligibility criteria, including Forces Premium, Adoption Premium and Catch-Up Premium.

How premium funding is used

The school decides how this funding should be used. Depending on the needs of the eligible students, the funding could be used to provide:

- Specialist learning programmes (for specific individuals, or sometimes whole groups)
- Provision of reading material (whether books, magazines, comics, or eBooks)
- Transport, to enable families to attend meetings at school
- Additional lessons
- Educational visits, including residential visits
- Purchase of school uniform
- Behaviour support
- Flexible boarding opportunities
- Any other resource or support that the school believes would be of value to the student, to help their engagement with learning.

A record of additional support and the impact on eligible students is made, where the funding is provided. We track the student's attainment and progress and we also monitor their emotional development and wellbeing.

Reporting on the Pupil Premium, Forces Premium and Adoption Premium

<u>Previous Academic Year (2015 – 2016)</u>	<u>Current Academic Year (2016 – 2017)</u>
<p><u>Eligibility</u> There were 13 students currently eligible for one of these premiums.</p> <p><u>Receipt</u> We received funding for 3 eligible students, totalling £2750.</p> <p>We also received funding for 11 ineligible students, totalling £10,285.</p> <p>We also had some funding remaining from the previous year.</p> <p><u>Expenditure</u> The majority of the funds received were for ineligible students. In-year spending occurred as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • £972 on laptops to support learning, particularly in Year 10 Lifeskills • £750 on 123Maths learning software • £3362 on Clicker 6 learning software • £702 on NumberShark learning software • £702 on Wordshark learning software • £1244 to subsidise costs for activities to help learning engagement • £1108 on pottery wheel • £1094 to cover transport costs to help engagement in learning • £900 to cover reading resources to help develop literacy skills • £450 for problem solving workshop to help develop thinking skills • £700 on digital camera equipment to help learning in Art / Pottery • £2928 on Numicon Intervention Programme training and resources • £605 on resources to help develop interest in Food Technology <p><u>Monitoring and Impact</u> Specialist learning programmes and engaging activities and resources have made learning more accessible and enjoyable for eligible students.</p> <p>Eligible students have benefitted, e.g. excellent outcomes for Year 11 students in English, Maths, Art and Pottery, and calmness and approach to learning for eligible students in Key Stage 3.</p>	<p><u>Eligibility</u> Current records indicate 13 students currently eligible for a premium.</p> <p><u>Receipt</u> We are at the start of a new academic year, and the funding normally arrives from November onwards, so we look forward to that.</p> <p><u>Expenditure</u> Spending of premium funding for the new academic year will begin once we have received this.</p> <p>Meanwhile, consideration will be given to how funding from previous years that has not yet been spent will be used, to benefit eligible students.</p> <p><u>Monitoring and Impact</u> This will be monitored once the funding has been received and spent.</p>

Reporting on the Catch-Up Premium

<u>Previous Academic Year (2015 – 2016)</u>	<u>Current Academic Year (2016 – 2017)</u>
<p><u>Eligibility</u> There were 14 students eligible for Catch-Up Premium.</p>	<p><u>Eligibility</u> There are 17 students currently eligible for Catch-Up Premium.</p>
<p><u>Receipt</u> We received Catch-Up Premium funding for 0 students. The Department for Education has previously stated that the Catch-Up Premium is for state-funded schools only, and therefore Moor House School and other Non-Maintained Special Schools do not qualify.</p>	<p><u>Receipt</u> We have not received these premiums yet, and the latest information from the Department for Education is that the Catch-Up Premium is for state-funded schools only, and therefore Moor House School and other Non-Maintained Special Schools do not qualify.</p>
<p><u>Expenditure</u> No premiums were received, therefore no expenditure was possible.</p>	<p><u>Expenditure</u> No premiums have been received, therefore no expenditure has been possible.</p>
<p><u>Monitoring and Impact</u> No premiums were received, therefore no expenditure was possible, therefore it is not possible to monitor any impact.</p>	