



Pupil Premium – impact, allocation and use

Background

The Pupil Premium is allocated to children from low-income families who are currently known to be eligible for Free School Meals (FSM) in both mainstream and non-mainstream settings and children who have been looked after continuously for more than six months.

We are required to publish online information about how we have used the Premium. This will ensure that parents and others are made fully aware of the attainment of pupils covered by the Premium and the extra support that they receive.

How do we identify pupils at St William of Perth?

We use rigorous monitoring procedures of both teaching and learning to ensure that we meet the needs of all pupils. Those who are considered to be vulnerable or socially disadvantaged are effectively assessed and supported so that their needs are addressed as part of the provision we make through the Pupil Premium.

Our provision also recognises that not all pupils identified as Ever 6, LAC or Adopted Children will be socially disadvantaged. Equally, not all pupils who are socially disadvantaged are registered as Ever 6, LAC or Adopted Children. Therefore, our Pupil Premium funding is allocated for individuals and groups of pupils identified as:

Socially disadvantaged and/or eligible as FSM/LAC/Adopted/Service Children

- Vulnerable and at risk of underachievement
- Having been identified with specific learning, or complex needs

- Subject to a child in need plan or child protection plan

Financial year 2019 2020.

St. William of Perth Catholic Primary School received £1320.00 per Ever six and Free School meals pupils, £2300 for Looked after and Post Looked after Children and £300 for military service children.

In total we received **£ 26,020 virtual school payment from a local authority of the amount £ 4359.36** in respect of 13 pupils who qualified for the Pupil Premium.

Total number of pupils on role - 210

Total number of pupils eligible for PPG – 13

Amount PPG received per FSM or Ever Six pupil - £1320

Amount PPG received per LAC or post LAC pupil - £2300

Amount PPG received per military child - £300

Nature of support for 2019/2020

In total we will receive **£26,020 and £4359.36** in respect of 13 pupils who qualified for the Pupil Premium. The money was spent in the following ways:

- Additional support /intervention from teaching assistants to meet the needs of the children and address key areas of concern.
- Training of support staff to deliver focussed phonic tuition and maths provision.
- Employment of a French language teacher for one hour per week in KS2. This enables the class teacher to use that time to give 1:1 or small group intervention to close gaps in learning.
- Speech and language therapy.
- Employment of Forest school teacher to lead nurture groups to promote well being and development of social skills during one afternoon a week.
- Use of additional qualified teachers to provide focussed small group work in writing and one to one tuition in reading and maths.
- To provide nurturing groups to provide extra support through music

- To provide days out for families with a school and families project during half term
- Music Lessons were provided for PP pupils
- Free Cool Milk for PP pupils.
- To ensure that those children benefit from a broader range of experiences that they might otherwise not have. Where there are financial constraints, the school will assist with the cost of trips and activities (especially residential holidays) so that no child is excluded.
- Provision for those pupils who require additional emotional support in the form of play therapy or counselling: The children will develop emotional and social skills; will be more able to express their views and increase co-operation with classmates and this will also have a very positive impact on their learning.
- An additional teaching support assistant to provide behavioural support during afternoon sessions.