

## **Holme on Spalding Moor Primary School**

### **Pupil Premium Grant – 2012/2013**

Pupil Premium Grant is funding provided to school by the Government to support pupils from disadvantaged backgrounds, who often make less academic progress than their fellow pupils.

In the 2012/2013 financial year, the school was allocated Pupil Premium Grant of £18,067. This was based on 29 children currently eligible for free school meals (FSM) or had been eligible in the last 6 years.

The support provided in 2012/2013 included:

- One to one tuition and small group intervention work with a qualified teacher.
- Nurture support: social skills groups led by a well-qualified teaching assistant.
- Increased range of subsidised school visits and events to broaden children's learning experiences, build confidence and self-esteem. These included residential visits, support for the 'Rock Challenge' entry, Animals in Tuition and theatre visits.
- Classroom ICT upgrades, including replacement of some visualisers and projectors and the introduction of computer tablets in Y5 and Y6
- Greater use of ICT applications, including Education City and Clicker 6
- New reading and maths resources.
- Individualised phonic/language programmes.

Main areas of the curriculum addressed:

- English and maths
- Music, dance , drama

Using the Pupil Premium Grant in this way has had the following impacts:

- The one child eligible for free school meals in Y6 this year achieved L4 in reading , writing and maths SATs and made 2 levels progress across Key Stage 2 in these subjects.
- Internal school tracking indicates that most Y5 children entitled to FSMs are making good progress in reading writing and maths as they move into Y6. 4 of 7 children have already made 2 levels progress in some areas.
- At the end of Key Stage1 national data shows that our FSM children's attainment is higher than the national average.
- Behaviour continues to be strength of the school, with no major and few minor incidents of bad behaviour recorded in our logs.

- Attendance percentages continue to rise. 2 FSM children whose attendance was causing concern have shown improved records.
- 'Rock Challenge' was a major success for the school and the individuals involved. The school won the area event at Bridlington Spa and came fourth in the Northern Finals at Grimsby Auditorium. The group won national awards for Video Performance, Press Coverage and Community Support.

Future Plans:

Future funding will help us reduce class sizes in KS2 and employ more learning support to prepare children in Y6 for SATs .