

## Pupil Premium Plus with regard to Looked After Children

- From 1 April 2014 Pupil Premium Plus can provide each looked after child (LAC) of school age with £1,900 to support their education. However, some children may get more, some less, depending on an assessment of their individual needs.
- Children and young people will be eligible as soon as they enter care.
- Pupil Premium Plus must be used to improve outcomes and raise attainment.
- The Virtual School Head Teacher is responsible for making sure there are effective arrangements in place for allocating Pupil Premium Plus funding to benefit children looked after by Staffordshire Local Authority, wherever they are placed.
- How the grant is to be used must be clearly identified in each young person's Personal Education Plan [PEP] in consultation with the designated teacher and the social worker, plus contributions from the carer and other relevant professionals.

Staffordshire will be delegating the following amount to schools:

£500 - Autumn Term 2015 8<sup>th</sup> Jan 2016

£500 - Spring Term 2016 4<sup>th</sup> March 2016

£500 - Summer Term 2016 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2016

Term	No. of LAC on Roll
Autumn 2015	10
Spring 2016	13
Summer 2016	13
Autumn 2016	10

The expenditure of Pupil Premium Plus was individually tailored to pupil targets as agreed in their PEP. The following services were provided:

- Stable Relationships
  - Emotional intelligence sessions
  - Pupils take part in horse based activities to learn about relationships and managing emotions
- Art Workshops
  - Weekly bought in service
  - Encourage pupil engagement
  - Gain additional skills
  - Raise self esteem
- Targeted intervention sessions with TA
  - 1:1 or small group sessions with TA to raise attainment in specified areas of the curriculum
- Family Support Worker
  - Home / school liaison
  - Behaviour & emotional support