

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

2017-18



*"Praying together,
Learning for life,
Caring for all"*

PUPIL PREMIUM SPENDING PLAN (Review)

September 2017-18

The Pupil Premium Grant

The Pupil Premium Grant is additional funding given to schools so that they can support their disadvantaged pupils and close the gap in their learning and development. The aim is that schools use the fund to help move these children's learning forward and accelerate their progress.

The money is allocated based on the number of pupils receiving free school meals and those who have left local authority care. This is because children in this category have, nationally, consistently attained lower results than their peers.

In the 2017-18 financial year, schools will receive £1320 for each child registered as eligible for free school meals at any point in the last 6 years. Schools will also receive £1,900 for each pupil who has left local-authority care. If a pupil has been registered as eligible for free school meals and has also left local-authority care for any of the reasons above, they will attract the £1,900 rate. Pupils from ex-service parents also receive a grant of £300.

Pupil Premium at St. Joseph's

We are very proud of the outstanding provision for our pupils at St. Joseph's and in particular for those in receipt of the pupil premium grant. Our spending of this grant focuses on two key areas:

- 1. Raise the attainment and monitor the progress of disadvantaged pupils at St Joseph's**
- 2. Facilitate a range of enrichment opportunities available to disadvantaged children at St Joseph's and to ensure their pastoral care and positive well being**

We have an 'open door' policy at St Joseph's and all the children know that they can pop in to the office whenever they feel they need to. We also have a quiet room in the Juniors that provides a great space for interventions or play therapy. These areas are well resourced with laptops, maths and phonics equipment and pupils work in small groups or one- to one with a teaching assistant or teacher.

Outcomes for our pupils remains a priority and work is targeted so that pupils reach their individual potential. Regular meetings are held with the senior leadership team to assess progress and monitor children's attainment.

OBJECTIVES	
1	Raise the attainment and monitor progress of disadvantaged pupils at St Joseph's
2	Facilitate a range of enrichment opportunities available to disadvantaged children and ensure their pastoral care and positive well being

PUPIL PREMIUM FUNDING 2017-18			
	NUMBER OF PUPILS	AMOUNT PER PUPIL	TOTAL AMOUNT
EVER 6 CHILDREN FUNDING	12	£ 1,320	£ 15, 840
SERVICE CHILDREN FUNDING	1	£ 300	£ 300
ADOPTED CHILDREN FUNDING	5	£ 1,900	£ 9,500
LOOKED AFTER CHILDREN FUNDING	0	£1,400	0
TOTAL PUPIL PREMIUM GRANT			£ 25, 640

Objective 1: Raise the attainment and monitor progress of disadvantaged pupils at St Joseph's

Item/ Project	Cost	Reason	Success Criteria	Impact
<i>What are we spending the money on?</i>		<i>Why are we spending the money on this?</i>	<i>What impact are we aiming for?</i>	<i>Has it worked?</i>
Extra teacher employed	£10, 000	To teach intervention groups to fill in gaps and offer support, or provide extra tuition.	The majority of children to make at least expected progress.	The majority of children made expected progress in most areas of the curriculum.
Teaching Assistants	£10, 000	To support class teacher where Pupil Premium children need support.	The majority of children make at least expected progress.	The majority of children made expected progress in most areas of the curriculum.
Play therapy	£1, 000	To support children in need of emotional support to ensure this has no impact on their learning.	The majority of children make at least expected progress. Emotional well- being of children.	The majority of children made expected progress in most areas of the curriculum. Play Therapy sessions resulted in positive emotional wellbeing.
Residential Visits/ Curriculum Enrichment	£2, 000	To ensure PP children and their families have the same wider opportunities as the other children.	Emotional well- being.	All children had access to the same opportunities as their peers.
Tracking from the Assessment Coordinator/SENDCO	£1,000	To monitor progress of PP children and ensure intervention occurs if and when required.	At least expected progress made from the majority of PP children.	Intervention occurred where required, resulting in the majority of children made expected progress in most areas of the curriculum.

Objective 2: Facilitate a range of enrichment opportunities available to disadvantaged children and ensure their pastoral care and positive well being

Item/ Project	Cost	Reason	Success Criteria	Impact
<i>What are we spending the money on?</i>		<i>Why are we spending the money on this?</i>	<i>What impact are we aiming for?</i>	<i>Has it worked?</i>
Curriculum Enrichment / Trips	Included as above	To ensure the cost of the trip will not impact on PP children or their families.	To ensure all children can participate in the experience.	All children were able to participate in all experiences offered.
Kinaesthetic resources for use in class and intervention programmes	£ 1,000	To drive standards in English and Mathematics for PP children	The majority of children achieving at least expected results.	The majority of children are achieving at least expected progress.