# **Pupil Premium**

## **Background**

The Government believes that the Pupil Premium, which is additional to main school funding, is the best way to address the current underlying inequalities between children eligible for free school meals (FSM) and their peers by ensuring that funding to tackle disadvantage reaches the pupils who need it most.

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

The Government has decided that eligibility for the Pupil Premium in 2013-2014 will be extended to pupils who have been eligible for free school meals (FSM) at any point in the last 6 years. Earlier this year they consulted on options for extending the coverage of the Pupil Premium. As a group, children who have been eligible for FSM at any point in time have consistently lower educational attainment than those who have never been eligible for FSM.

A premium has also been introduced for children whose parents are currently serving in the armed forces.

#### Allocation

From 1<sup>st</sup> April 2013 – 31<sup>st</sup> March 2014, Hollyfield Primary School received a total of £134,373 (A)

From 1<sup>st</sup> April 2014 – 31<sup>st</sup> March 2015, Hollyfield Primary School received a total of £195,500 (B)

From  $1^{st}$  April  $2015 - 31^{st}$  March 2016, Hollyfield Primary School plans to receive a total of £182000 (C). **Exact amount TBC** 

Schools have been asked to report by academic year as this is more meaningful for parents. Whilst the grant allocation is made on the basis of financial years, schools both plan teaching and other support and conduct assessments over the academic year.

### Academic year 2013/2014

### **Spending**

The school received a grant of £159,842 for Pupil Premium in the academic year 2013 – 2014 (7/12ths (A) + 5/12ths (B)). This money was used in a number of different ways to support the learning of the students concerned:

Activities selected	Cost (£)	Detail
Staffing		Extra teaching support, teaching assistants,
	137, 956	small group tuition, intervention programmes
Resources – including		
curriculum and IT (Ipads		
etc)	11,843	Enhance and accelerate progress
Professional support		
services (Extended		
Services, Pupil & School		
Support, Behaviour		
Support Services)	4715	All pupils benefit
External Learning Mentor		
Support	2,790	Pastoral support – Assured Mentor Services
Life Education Caravan		
	1,790	All pupils benefit
	159, 842	

## **Impact of Pupil Premium**

In the academic year 2013-2014 the average progress of our children in receipt of FSM was exactly in line with all our children and was good. The FSM children made an average of 4 points progress in reading, 4 points progress in writing and 4 points progress in mathematics. Nationally, the expectation for good progress is 4 points (2 National Curriculum sub-levels) a year.

In Year 1, 94% of pupils eligible for FSM passed the phonics screening test compared to 90% non FSM (school) and significantly above National FSM (63%). This represents an increase of 9% from last year.

In KS1 end of Year 2 tests, FSM pupils performed above National FSM in reading, writing and Maths and above National FSM all subjects.

At KS2 end of Year 6 sats, FSM pupils performed well above National FSM and all pupils in Maths, SPAG, Writing and above National FSM in Reading.

## **Impact of Pupil Premium**

The attainment of pupils eligible for pupil premium will be recorded at the end of the academic year.

For further information on the Pupil Premium, please visit the pages below:-

Pupil Premium – what you need to know - <a href="http://www.education.gov.uk/schools/pupilsupport/premium/b0076063/pp">http://www.education.gov.uk/schools/pupilsupport/premium/b0076063/pp</a>

## Academic year 2014/15 (inc planned to 31st August 2015)

## **Spending / Commitments to date**

Indicative funding received is £189,875 (7/12ths (B) + 5/12ths (C)).

How we are spending the funding:

<b>Activities selected</b>	Cost (£)	Detail
Staffing		Extra teaching support, teaching assistants,
	156, 734	small group tuition, intervention programmes
Curriculum resources		
	6,606	Enhance and accelerate progress
IT resources		
	8,229	Enhance and accelerate progress
Training		
	2172	
Data analysis support		
	1849	Analysis of impact of interventions
External Learning Mentor		
Support	5,400	Pastoral support – Assured Mentor Services
Professional support		
services (Extended		
Services, Pupil & School		
Support, Behaviour		
Support Services)	3,515	
Life Education Caravan		
	1,470	All pupils benefit
Education Welfare		
Services	3,900	
	189,875	