

Pott Shrigley Church School

Church of England Aided Primary



'A place to learn, a place to grow, a place to be me'

Pupil Premium Policy

What is pupil Premium?

This is additional money given to the school by the Government for children in receipt of Free School Meals, Cared for Children and Children with parents who are in the Armed Forces.

- We ensure that teaching and learning opportunities meet the needs of all of the pupils
- We ensure that appropriate provision is made for pupils who belong to vulnerable groups, this includes ensuring that the needs of pupils in receipt of FSM are adequately assessed and addressed.
- In making provision for socially disadvantaged pupils, we recognise that not all pupils who receive free school meals will be socially disadvantaged
- We also recognise that not all pupils who are socially disadvantaged are registered or qualify for free school meals. We reserve the right to allocate the Pupil Premium funding to support any pupil, or groups of pupils, the school has legitimately identified as being vulnerable. The greater proportion of any group, supported through Pupil premium funding, will be made up of FSM pupils.
- As we have very few pupils entitled to FSM the pupil premium funding will be allocated following identification of priority groups or individuals

How much pupil premium do we get?

At Pott Shrigley, in 2012-2013, each pupil was allocated £600 making a total of £1,800.

At Pott Shrigley, in 2013-2014, each pupil was allocated £900 making a total of £2,700.

At Pott Shrigley, in 2014-2015, each pupil will be allocated £1,300 making a total of £5,200.

At Pott Shrigley, in 2015-2016, each pupil will be allocated £1,320 making a total of £3,960.

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How do we spend our pupil premium?

We spend the money in various ways, including:

- Professional development opportunities so that all our staff have the knowledge, understanding and skills to meet a wide range of learning needs and to be able to evaluate the effectiveness of any strategies used.
- We are part of a national closing the gap research project run by the National College, through our links with the Silk Alliance of teaching schools. Class 2 at Pott Shrigley is the focus for developing strategies to promote a growth mindset.
- Reducing group sizes, thus improving opportunities for AFL and accelerating progress
- Providing individual work with an experienced teaching assistant focussed on overcoming gaps in learning
- Additional teaching and learning opportunities provided through boosters, one to one tuition or other agencies if required. All our work through pupil premium is aimed at accelerating progress to move children to at least age related expectations.
- Pupil premium resources may be used to target able children on FSM to achieve level 3 (KS1) and level 5/6 (KS2)

Reporting

Mrs. Jane Naumkin represents the governors and is our Pupil Premium Champion.

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The headteacher will provide the following information in the annual data report to the governors:

- The progress made towards closing the gap, for pupils in receipt of FSM
- An outline of the provision that was made since the last annual report
- An evaluation of the cost effectiveness, in terms of the progress made by the pupils receiving a particular provision.
- A statement to parents on how the Pupil Premium funding has been used to address the issue of "closing the gap" for pupils in receipt of Free School Meals.

Actions required

- Update the policy re change of staff and new requirements
- Produce a strategy for the use of the [pupil premium](#) funding. We no longer have to publish a 'pupil premium statement'.
- It must include: the schools' pupil premium grant allocation amount, a summary of the main barriers to educational achievement faced by eligible pupils at the school, how we spend the pupil premium to address those barriers and the reasons for that approach, how we'll measure the impact of the pupil premium and the date of the next review of the school's pupil premium strategy