

Brampton Abbotts CE Primary School Pupil Premium Strategy 2017-18

Amount of Pupil Premium funding received 2017-18

Number of pupils eligible	30 pupils @ £1,320 (in addition 3 x LAC @ £1,900) and 1 x Service PP @ £300)
TOTAL PP received	£45,760

Identified barriers to educational achievement

Brampton Abbotts has identified the following as barriers for some of the pupils currently in receipt of Pupil Premium:

- Core literacy & numeracy skills – especially early phonics/reading, writing and number skills.
- Access to extra-curricular activities - educational experiences such as trips, music lessons and participation in physical activities.
- Attendance – ensuring attendance is kept high.
- Parental engagement with school - especially regarding attendance at information and workshop evenings and completion of homework.
- The number of pupils who are in receipt of Pupil Premium and also on the SEN register for cognition and learning.
- Behaviour and/or Social & emotional factors – pupils with specific social and emotional needs which affect their learning.

Key expenditure – how the allocation will be spent

Areas of spend	Focus	Total allocation
Additional TA support in classes and for focused interventions	English, Maths and Social	£34,000
Funding for extra-curricular music lessons/clubs/enrichment	Personal and social	£2,600
Additional learning resources (Subscriptions to intervention support programmes)	English and Maths	£2,000
Funding for school trips and residential trips	Personal and social	£2,000
Funding for school uniform	Personal and social	£500
Counselling Services	Personal and social	£3,000
Attendance Support/Challenge (inc. employment of EWO and 'door-step' attendance challenge)	Curriculum and personal/social	£1,800

Area of spend	Intended outcomes – why these approaches were taken	Actions
TA support in classes and for focused interventions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1:1 and/or small group interventions planned to cater for individual needs (i.e. spelling, reading, handwriting, number skills) • Support within lessons to improve understanding of learning in reading, writing and maths • Consolidation of learning completed in classes – time for practise and application of skills • Pre-teaching to prepare pupils for future learning in order to build confidence and give higher level starting points to learning. Pre-teaching to include pre-reading of texts in English, research for writing units, key vocabulary, concepts in SPAG and maths calculation strategies and terminology • Careful tracking of homework to include reading journals ensure regular reading takes place and can be supported. • Priority reading with TAs if pupils are unable to read at home • Granular tracking of pupils who are also on SEN register – teaching tailored to needs of pupils in specific domains • Pupils who are on SEN register and in receipt of PP have their individual targets reviewed regularly and aspirational targets are set for their progress 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Half termly TA meetings with SENCO – review of interventions, re-shaping of groupings and focuses, sharing of ideas and resources • Teacher and SENCO review – careful planning of interventions to be completed each half term/phase • SENCO observe interventions and provide feedback regarding strategies, next steps, resources • Clear communication between teachers and TAs – expectations within lessons • TA timetables carefully planned – making best use of morning work, registration and afternoon intervention time for pre-teaching and consolidation of learning • Close communication between TAs, teachers and HT to track pupils with concerning attendance and/or punctuality. HT to address concerns with parents and develop action plan as necessary.
Funding for extra- curricular music lessons/clubs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social skills are developed through participation in a range of clubs provided by the school or external providers • Pupils enjoy the experience of being at school and are keen to come before/stay later to participate in chosen activities • Talent, skills and efforts in non-academic subjects are celebrated and develop self-confidence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual analysis of number of pupils who have taken part in clubs • Staff to talk to children/parents about possible interests and available clubs • JB/DB to arrange funding (as appropriate) for clubs and resources required (i.e. musical instruments, sports clothing)
Additional learning resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pupils are fully supported by learning resources being made available to them • Pupils enjoy 1:1 and small group work that helps to develop key maths and English skills. • A range of learning styles can be catered for 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pupils regularly asked for ideas about how to spend funding • School Council • Teachers and TAs made aware of initiatives and programmes available to support key areas of learning.
Funding for school trips and residential	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pupils are able to participate fully in school trips and residential trips • Learning is supported by trips that are carefully planned to enhance the school's curriculum • Social skills, independence, perseverance and team-work are developed through participation in group activities and over-night stays on residential 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Initial letters to include information for parents about available funding • HT to liaise with parents regarding specific requests for funding • Teachers made aware of funding available – can approach parents if appropriate

Funding for School Uniform	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All pupils are given the opportunity to attend school in the appropriate uniform and with the appropriate level of clothing. This will allow these children to access the curriculum effectively and without stigma. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ts, TAs and HT to recognise those families/pupils in need of targeted support to ensure they can effectively access the curriculum with dignity.
Counselling Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensuring access to all aspects of education for every pupil by giving them an 'outlet' for feelings and concerns that arise. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Targeted and focused counselling put in place (with parental consent) to target specific short-term and long-term needs to ensure high quality access to the curriculum in all circumstances.
Attendance Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure all pupils have the opportunity to come to school daily in order to get the most from the education on offer. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EWO employment to ensure regular tracking of attendance and challenge of areas of concern. Additional EWO service of visiting family homes to discuss attendance and need for attendance every day. HT attendance meetings with all target pupils. Specific family cases referred to Governor 'attendance panel' to review support on offer and challenge. Admin time to target daily attendance issues and more persistent absence.

How will the school measure the impact of the Pupil Premium?

To monitor progress on attainment, new measures have been included in the performance tables that will capture the achievement of pupils covered by the Pupil Premium. At Brampton Abbotts Primary School, the usual cycle of data collection and the monitoring and tracking of the cohort's attainment will be used to inform pupil progress and enable the early identification of need, support and appropriate intervention. Review meetings will take place half termly and will include a member of Senior Management, the class teacher and the SEND Coordinator.

At each review point, the school will review the impact of actions taken and will plan for how the funding will be specifically allocated over the next phase. When selecting pupils for Pupil Premium target groups, the school will look at all pupils across the school. There are some pupils who are not eligible for PP who will benefit from these groups if their needs are similar and we believe progress can be made towards individual targets.

Pupil Premium Funding and the impact of this is a regular item on the Full Governing Body and the Curriculum committee.

Designated staff member in charge: Mr Dan Brearey (Headteacher)

Nominated governor: Paul Mason (Chair)