

Four Swannes Primary School

Pupil Premium Strategy 2016-17

INTRODUCTION

The Pupil Premium is allocated to schools with pupils on roll who are known to have been eligible for free school meals (FSM) at any time in the last six years; are children who have been looked after continuously for more than six months; or who are children of service personnel. Schools have the freedom to spend the Premium, which is additional to the underlying schools budget, in a way they think will best support the raising of attainment for the most vulnerable pupils.

School Context

Number of pupils and pupil premium grant (PPG) received	
Total number of pupils on roll	191
Total number of pupils eligible for PPG	73
Amount of PPG received per pupil	£1320
Total amount of PPG received	£96,360

PRINCIPLES

The targeted and strategic use of Pupil Premium will support us in achieving our vision to provide a variety of opportunities that facilitate learning and enable children to be the best that they can be. We encourage, support, and motivate every individual child on their learning journey throughout their school life.

In using the Premium at Four Swannes, we will adhere to the following principles:

The teachers and staff of Four Swannes are totally committed to ensuring that provision is made which secures the learning and teaching opportunities that meet the needs of all of the pupils so that all make maximum progress and reach their potential.

- Our school welcomes and shares the government's aim of tackling all forms of disadvantage and works tirelessly to ensure inclusion and equal access for all learners.
- We recognise that the pupil premium funding is allocated to children in receipt of free school meals and is a means of addressing some of the issues associated with social disadvantage and in particular, in narrowing and hopefully eventually closing any gap in attainment where this exists. In making appropriate provision for this we also acknowledge that not all pupils in receipt of free school meals are socially disadvantaged.
- We ensure that appropriate provision is made for pupils who belong to vulnerable groups, this includes ensuring that the needs of socially disadvantaged pupils are adequately assessed and addressed
- We also recognise that not all pupils who are socially disadvantaged are registered or qualify for free school meals.
- Pupil premium funding will be allocated following a needs analysis which will identify priority classes, groups or individuals.