Bleakhouse Primary School

Pupil Premium Funding Academic Year 2024-2025

What is the Pupil Premium?

The Pupil Premium was introduced in April 2011 and is additional funding the school receives to be used to close the gap in attainment, nationally, between pupils eligible for free school meals (FSM) and those from more affluent backgrounds.

Each school is able to decide how the money they receive is spent.

What are the barriers to learning at Bleakhouse Primary School?

Low aspirations; parental confidence in how to support their child with learning; underdeveloped learning behaviours; poor vocabulary and comprehension skills; limited resilience; sustaining concentration during lessons and assessments; poor self-esteem; EAL; disorganised home-life and fear of failure.

Pupil Premium Funding for Academic Year 2024-2025 Pupil Premium Allocation £170,200 Total Expenditure £165,200						
No	Strategy /Area of Intervention	Projected Cost	Objective	Expected Outcomes		
Curriculum - Targeted Support						
1	Equivalent of 0.5 Higher Level Teaching Assistant	£19,249.50	To ensure good quality teaching, to teach groups of pupils and to provide high quality interventions.	Reading and Maths outcomes will be closer to or in line with National Averages		
2	Part- Time Teacher	£25,724.00	To ensure good quality teaching and to deliver interventions	Pupils will make expected or better than expected progress from their starting points		
3	Learning Support for Disadvantaged Pupils	£30,244.00	To provide high quality in-class support and to support specific intervention	Pupils will make expected or better than expected progress from their starting points		
4.	Teaching Assistant –Targeted Support x 2 (multiple language trained)	£44,607.90	To ensure good quality teaching, to teach groups of pupils and to provide high quality interventions.	Reading and Maths outcomes will be closer to or in line with National Averages. One staff member is fluent in 8 languages which helps the children feel more confident and gives a better understanding in lessons and personal issues that may arise.		
Family - Pupil Support						
6	Family Support Worker (80% of contract).	£31,333.60	To improve lines of communication and support mechanisms to ensure parents and pupils have easy access to programmes and strategies to support learning and to reduce other barriers to learning	Pupils and their parents will feel supported and will know where to go for help and advice. As a result, Pupils will make expected or better than expected progress from their starting points, Attendance will improve from the personal monitoring and the on hand person to help support in any enquiry.		

7	Staff Training and Development	£10,000	To improve support for pupils by improving quality of counselling, teaching, supporting in all of life unexpected events, nurture and effective feedback to pupils.	Pupils will make good progress because they will know how to improve their learning		
Attendance						
8	Provision of Texting Service and app facility for first day calling.	£415	To ensure that parents are quickly aware if their child is not in school. To ensure the safety of all pupils.	Attendance of Pupil Premium Pupils will match that of the rest of school		
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	Curriculum Enhancement					
9	Sports Coaches	£3626.00	To deliver lunchtime and afterschool clubs so that eligible pupils are fully engaged in the school day and have opportunities to maintain healthy lifestyles leading to improved self-esteem	Pupils will receive a broad and balanced curriculum. They will be provided with enrichment activities that boost self-esteem and provide them with life experiences that prepare them well for life experiences.		
10	Coaches and tickets for extra - curricular activities.	£5000	To ensure all eligible pupils have equality of access to enrichment activities.	Our pupils will receive a broad and balanced curriculum. They will be provided transport to various sporting tournaments and sporting facilities, this will help with confidence and boost self-esteem which will provide them with life experiences that prepare them well for life in Modern Britain		
TO BE Allocated £5,000						
TOTAL £170,200		£170,200				