# Gilthill Primary School Pupil Premium Strategy



Pupil Premium is allocated to schools with pupils on roll in that are known to have been eligible for free school meals (FSM) at any time in the last six years. Evidence and facts make it abundantly clear that poverty is the single most important factor in predicting a child's future life chances. The pupil premium is aimed at re-writing the futures of these children by closing the attainment gap between themselves and their peers as well as ensuring that they make expected or better progress.

The targeted and strategic use of pupil premium supports schools in achieving our vision of helping everyone to achieve to their full potential.

# **Principle**

Leaders are committed to using the Pupil Premium to powerfully address social disadvantage by ensuring that teaching and learning is designed to meet the needs of all pupils. Each pupil attracts £1345, which is additional to the school's budget, for schools to utilise in ways that they think will best support the focus on raising of the attainment and aspirations of the most vulnerable pupils.

Schools recognise that not all pupils who receive free school meals will be socially disadvantaged and that not all pupils who are socially disadvantaged are registered or qualify for free school meals, because of this we reserve the right to allocate the Pupil Premium funding to support any pupil or groups of pupils the school has identified as being in need of intervention and support. Support will be allocated following a needs analysis which will identify priority classes, groups or individuals. Due to limited funding and resources not all children receiving free school meals will be in receipt of pupil premium interventions at all times.

### Schools will:

- Diagnostic assessments of well-being and learning needs
- Ensure appropriate provision is made for vulnerable pupils
- Prioritise the use of Pupil Premium funds for maximum impact
- Perform regular reviews and monitoring
- Focus provision on the development of the whole child
- Support staff with focussed CPD

The responsibility for the care, support and achievement of Pupil Premium pupils lies with all staff.

Leadership	Class Teachers	Governance
✓ Strategic approach	✓ Be aware of procedures for the	✓ Agree & review the Pupil Premium
✓ Assess, monitor and evaluate the	identification and assessment of PP	Strategy
impact of provision	pupils.	✓ Named governor to monitor &
✓ Analyse data & take action	✓ promotes good development	evaluate impact of PP Strategy
regarding gaps widening or	✓ Collaborate to agree action	✓ Ensure that funding is being used
plateauing	✓ Know the barriers to learning &	to raise attainment, aspirations
✓ Monitor the quality of	progress for each pupil	and provide positive futures
interventions & provision	✓ Plan & deliver a curriculum which	✓ Ensure consistent approaches
✓ Challenge & support teachers to	provides a broad & balanced	✓ Ensure high standards &
achieve the aims	education which engages all learners	expectations
✓ Report termly to governors	✓ Maintain accurate records	✓ Perform an annual review &
regarding progress and provision.	✓ Working closely with TA's/SENCo to	report to all Governors
✓ Evaluate the value for money of	ensure that provision is effective	✓ Update stakeholders via School
provision & intervention provided	✓ Liaise with outside agencies where	Website
with PP funds	appropriate	
✓ Senior Leader identified as PP		
Lead		

✓	Develop provision for groups of	
	children with similar challenges	
	and needs	

#### **Provision**

Provision is designed to maximise learning. A menu of provision has been developed that individually and together will have a positive impact on learners based on 'Unlocking Talent, Fulfilling Potential' (2017), Education Endowment Foundation toolkit (EEF) and research from Sutton Trust.

Whole School	Targeted	Wider strategies
School ethos	Tutoring	Attendance
Quality of teaching	1:1 support	Behaviour Strategy
EEF Toolkit	Small group tuition	Social &Emotional support
Great Teaching Toolkit	Intervention programmes	Supporting families & carers
EEF Assessing Toolkit	EEF Promising Projects	Technology
Transition planning	Booster Classes	Breakfast/Afterschool Clubs
Training	Gifted & Talented Provision	Parental Partnerships
Early Career Support		Educational phase partnerships
Focussed tracking & evaluations		Business Partnerships
Focussed recruitment/staffing		

Academic Extension	<b>Cultural Enrichment</b>	Personal Development	Financial Barriers
Intervention programmes	Clubs	Structure PSHE programme	Clubs
Resources	Residentials	ELSA	Residentials
Small group teaching	School Visits	Learning Mentors	Breakfast/Afterschool Clubs
1:1 Support	Events	EMET Counsellor	Music tuition
Gifted & Talented Provision	Second Language learning	Attendance Management	Uniform
STEM Classes	Career Days	Speech & Language Provision	Technology
Focussed workshops	Arts/Drama/Music Events	Cross phase events	

## Reporting

It is the responsibility of the Headteacher, or a delegated member of staff, to report to the Governors on:

- ☑ The progress made towards narrowing the gap within school and nationally.
- ✓ Outline provision
- ☑ Evaluate the cost effectiveness, in terms of the progress made by the pupils receiving a particular provision.
- ☑ Ensure that correct and accessible information is available on the school website.

Parents will receive information as to the progress of pupils through personal information sent home on individual education plans (IEP's) and through reporting of assessment results at the end of the academic year as part of the formal annual Report.

Information about the use of Pupil Premium is available for parents on the website.

# **Annual Pupil Sample Premium Budget**

