

Pupil premium strategy report 2021-2024

This statement details our school's use of pupil premium (and recovery premium for the 2021 to 2022 academic year) funding to help improve the attainment of our disadvantaged pupils.

It outlines our pupil premium strategy, how we intend to spend the funding in this academic year and the effect that last year's spending of pupil premium had within our school.

Although funding may fluctuate every year, the outlined activities are for three years, as recommended by the DFE. The data targets will be reviewed annually as will the impact of the activities and may be changed in accordance with specific needs.

School overview

Detail	Data
School name	Duncombe Primary School
Number of pupils in school	329
Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils	52%
Academic year/years that our current pupil premium strategy plan	2021 – 2022
covers (3 year plans are recommended)	2022 – 2023
	2023 - 2024
Date this statement was published	15 th October 2021
Date on which it will be reviewed	October 2022
Statement authorised by	Helen Ryan(Headteacher)
Pupil premium lead	Caroline Haydon
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Funding overview

Detail	Amount
Pupil premium funding allocation this academic year	£237,000
Recovery premium funding allocation this academic year	£10,513
Pupil premium funding carried forward from previous years (enter £0 if not applicable)	£0
Total budget for this academic year	£247,000

Part A: Pupil premium strategy plan

Statement of intent

Our aim is to use the pupil premium funding to counter disadvantage and to ensure greater equity through:

- 1. Ensuring and supporting great teaching
- 2. Providing targeted academic interventions
- 3. Using a wider range of strategies to overcome barriers to learning

Ensuring and supporting great teaching

We recognise the importance of ensuring all pupils, whatever their background or circumstance, are provided with an education of the highest quality. This will ensure that all our pupils are equipped with the knowledge and skills they will need to succeed in, and beyond school. Strategies to close achievement gaps between groups and individuals are an integral part of every lesson and evident across the curriculum. Within the classroom there is a clear focus on well planned and scaffolded lessons that challenge and stretch all pupils. A programme of training supports staff to continually expand and experiment with a full range of teaching strategies and techniques to ensure the achievement gap is closed rapidly through the use of timely and appropriate interventions.

- This will include:
 - extensive gap analysis used to further inform teaching
 - 1:1 and small support within the class
 - TA support in class
 - the employment of specialist teachers
 - CPD for staff and collaborative practice, including team teaching, modelled lessons and best practice visits

Providing targeted academic interventions

For some children, high quality teaching in itself may not be enough and there is a need for additional, time-limited provision outside of normal classroom activities. There is extensive evidence supporting the impact of high quality one to one and small group tuition as a catch-up strategy. Programmes are likely to have the greatest impact where they meet a specific need, include regular sessions maintained over a sustained period and are carefully timetabled to enable consistent delivery. Effective interventions follow assessment, which can then be used to ensure that support is well-targeted and to monitor pupil progress.

This will include:

- 1:1 / small groups in English and maths
- additional learning time
- 1:1 tutoring
- additional phonics
- speech and language support
- SEND / EAL support groups

Using a wider range of strategies to overcome barriers to learning

In addition to the strategies above, a range of other strategies can contribute to children's success in school, such as improving attendance, supporting positive behaviour, social and emotional skills, supporting mental health and building parental engagement. Parents/carers play a key role in supporting children to learn at home and it is important for us to work together to support this. This will include:

- a focus on improving attendance
- providing curriculum enrichment opportunities

- support for wellbeing and mental health
- interventions to increase parental engagement and to ensure there is equity for pupils

Challenges

This details the key challenges to achievement that we have identified among our disadvantaged pupils.

Challenge	Detail of challenge
number	
1	Lack of parental engagement, understanding of support systems and aspirations
2	Mental health issues for the parents/carers and the child
3	Lack of cultural capital and experiences
4	Communication and social skills - Speech and language difficulties
5	Exposure to domestic violence, gangs, crime, drug and alcohol abuse
6	Housing issues, lack of space and overcrowding
7	Financial issues
8	Low attainment on entry

Intended outcomes

This explains the outcomes we are aiming for **by the end of our current strategy plan**, and how we will measure whether they have been achieved.

End of year data intended outcomes	
EYFS Good Level of Development to be 60% for pupil	Regular assessment weeks, data points and
premium children	data tracking
To be broadly in line with expected standards at Year 1	Monitoring through observations, learning
phonics, KS1 cumulative phonics, KS1 and KS2 reading,	reviews, book looks, pupil voice and pupil
writing and Maths for pupil premium children	progress meetings
Attendance to be 96% or above for pupil premium	Attendance and punctuality monitoring weekly
children	with the headteacher and half termly with
	parents/ carers

PROJECTED OUTCOMES 2022

School Provisional Projections July 2022					
End of Key Stage 2	Standards	Reading	Writing	Maths	SPAG
2022	At/above expected	76 %	74%	79%	84%
	Working at greater depth	27%	25%	27%	36%
	ading, writing, maths Expected		65%		N/A
Combined reading, writing, maths Greater Depth			10%		N/A

End of Key Stage 1 2022	Reading	Writing	Maths
At/above expected	84%	79%	87%
Working at greater depth	44%	29%	39%
Combined reading, writing, maths Expected		65%	

Combined reading, writing, maths	10%
Greater Depth	

Phonics:

- 2022 Phonics Screening Check Year 1 86%
- 2022 Cumulative Phonics Screening Check Year 2 95%

Good Level of Development (GLD)

- 2022 At GLD 77%
- 2022 Exceeding GLD = 20%

Intended outcome	Monitoring	Lin 1) 2)	k to aim: Great teaching Targeted interventi ons Wider strategies
Teaching is consistently good or better for all pupil premium children	Monitoring through observations Evaluation of regular CPD Intervention observations and book looks	1	
Pupil premium pupils are supported through interventions in all core subjects	Feedback from trips using pupil voice Monitoring in pupil progress meetings Systematic catch-up monitoring in interventions	2	
Pupil premium children have benefit from a range of activities and experiences to broaden their experiences and curriculum	Pupil voice monitoring for SEMH interventions	3	
Pupil premium children are supported emotionally and socially in order to fully access the curriculum – SEMH support		2	

<u>Evidence</u>

EFF Report on the Impact of school closures on the attainment gap

EFF Guide to Supporting School Planning: A Tiered Approach to 2020-21

Activity in this academic year

This details how we intend to spend our pupil premium (and recovery premium funding) **this academic year** to address the challenges listed above.

1)	Lack of parental engagement, understanding of support systems and aspirations
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Ensuring and supporting consistently good and better teaching

Activity	Cost	Challenge number(s) addressed
Teaching monitoring and support – collaborative work – gap analysis – lesson study and best practice	Phase leader TLR – 52% of TLR for 4 people £6666.40	All
Leadership development training – middle leaders' work	Cost of Middle leader training £4100	All
External validation	Local authority and writing consultant support £600 LA funded by project group	All
Extensive gap analysis used to further inform teaching	Teaching assistant release time – 40% of 12 days a year for 9 people £4818.80	All
The employment of specialist teachers	Music, PE, Spanish and Specialist Art 52% of all £75,000	3
Recruitment of new teachers and support staff	Advertising costs £275	1 and 7
1:1 and small group support within the class and TA support in class	TA support 40% of 9 staff £69,465.60	1
CPD for staff and collaborative practice, including team teaching, modelled lessons and best practice visits	52 of Future zone membership cost for training and networking £2,000	1 and 4

Providing targeted academic interventions

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
1:1 / small groups in English and maths	Additional teacher cost @4 days a week £65,000	1
Additional learning time – boosters for year 5 PP	Funded by Richard Reeves	X
Additional learning time Saturday School catch-up sessions	£12,000 (recovery premium)	1
Additional phonics group work	52% of phonics TLR - £1,800	1
Speech and language support	Funded by local authority	1 and 4
SEND / EAL support groups	THrough SENCO separate funding stream w	1 and 4
CGP books for homework and differentiation	52% of cost of books £4,600	1
Pupil progress interventions	6 hours a week of AH, DH and HT cost £15,000	1

Using a wider range of strategies to overcome barriers to learning

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Focus on improving attendance	£2078	1
Providing curriculum enrichment opportunities and targeted financial support	40% of residential trip costs for the year Bringing literacy to life experiences – funded by Richard Reeves School funded place for 100% pupil premium children on school journey - y6 £12,000	3
SEMH interventions for children who are not accessing the curriculum to their full potential	CFSW SEMH interventions £12468	2
Support for wellbeing and mental health-	school counsellor @3 days a week £42,000	2
I-TIPS training	From SEptember 2022 - one extra CAMHS clinician and trauma informed practice training for all staff £7,000 over two years	
Funding for all pupil premium children to attend one enrichment club a term	10,000	1

Extra CAMHS clinician time	0.5 days extra a week	1
	£5,000	

Total budgeted cost: £ 294,370.8

Part B: Review of outcomes in the previous academic year

Pupil premium strategy outcomes

This details the impact that our pupil premium activity had on pupils in the 2020 to 2021 academic year considering the impact of the pandemic.

Pakeman Primary School

During 2019/20 and 2020/21, all children spent 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ months in lockdown with home learning provision.

Year 2 cohort 2020-21

27 pupils (out of 39) in our Year 2 2020-21 cohort joined Pakeman at the start of Reception (or earlier). We have tracked the attainment of these children at the end of Reception (GLD data) and their Year 2 SATs. We have also measured their progress between the two stages.

Attainment in Year 2 (2020-21)	Working at	Greater depth	
Reading	20/27 (74%)	4/27 (15%)	
Writing	19/27 (70%)	4/27 (15%)	
Maths	19/27 (70%)	5/27 (19%)	

Attainment in Reception (2018-19)	Working at	Greater depth
Reading	18/27 (67%)	0/27 (0%)
Writing	17/27 (63%)	1/27 (4%)
Maths	19/27 (70%)	1/27 (4%)

Progress from Reception (2018-19) to Year 2 (2020-21)	Good or better progress	Exceeding progress
Reading	24/27 (89%)	9/27 (33%)
Writing	26/27 (96%)	6/27 (22%)
Maths	25/27 (93%)	6/27 (22%)

Comparing the Reception and Year 2 data for this cohort, the percentage of children working at age related expectation increased from Reception to Year 2 in both reading (up 7%) and writing (up 7%). The number of children working at age related expectation in maths remained consistent between Reception and Year 2, with 70% of children achieving this.

There was an increase in the percentage of children working at greater depth in reading, writing or maths. This went up from a very low percentage of children achieving greater depth in Reception, up to 15% in writing and 15% in reading and 19% maths by the time the children were in Year 2.

A number of pupils made exceeding progress between Reception and Year 2 (33% in reading, 22% in writing and 22% in maths).

Year 6 cohort 2020-21

32 pupils (out of 44) in our Year 6 2020-21 cohort joined Pakeman at the start of Year 2 (or earlier). We have tracked the attainment of these children in their Year 2 and Year 6 SATs. We have also measured their progress between the two stages.

Attainment in Year 6 (2020-21)	Working at	Greater depth
Reading	24/32 (75%)	8/32 (25%)
Writing	25/32 (78%)	7/32 (22%)
Maths	20/32 (63%)	8/32 (25%)

Attainment in Year 2 (2016-17)	Working at	Greater depth
Reading	22/32 (69%)	3/32 (9%)
Writing	22/32 (69%)	1/32 (3%)
Maths	21/32 (66%)	3/32 (9%)

Progress from Year 2 (2016-17)	Good or better progress	Exceeding progress
to Year 6 (2020-21)		
Reading	32/32 (100%)	11/32 (34%)
Writing	31/32 (97%)	15/32 (47%)
Maths	29/32 (91%)	7/32 (22%)

Comparing the Year 2 and Year 6 data for this cohort, the percentage of children working at age related expectation increased from Year 2 to Year 6 in both reading (up 6%) and writing (up 9%). There was a slight dip in the percentage of children working at age related expectation in Year 6 (down 3%). Lockdown and home learning impacted Maths attainment and progress more than other subjects due to the need for manipulatives and the number of different skills that the pupils need to master.

There was a significant increase in the percentage of children working at greater depth in reading, writing or maths. This went up from single digit percentages in all of the core subjects in Year 2, up to 22% in writing and 25% in reading and maths by the time the children were in Year 6.

A high number of pupils made an exceeding level of progress between the end of the two key stages (34% in reading, 47% in writing and 22% in maths).

End of year data outcomes for 2020/2021

Year 2

	National At	National	PP
	KS1	Above KS1	20
Reading	75%	25%	70%
Writing	69%	15%	55%
Maths	76%	22%	70%
Combined	Х	х	45%

Year 6

	National At KS2	National Above KS2	PP 27
Reading	73%	27%	82%
Writing	78%	20%	82%
Maths	79%	27%	70%
Combined	65%	11%	63%

Attendance for the Summer term 2021 – 94% (including 2+ and Nursery)

Externally provided programmes

Please include the names of any non-DfE programmes that you purchased in the previous academic year. This will help the Department for Education identify which ones are popular in England

Programme	Provider
1:1 reading programme	Beanstalk
	Bookmark
	Tutormate
Specialist drama, music and language focused	Artis
teaching	
Year 5 and 6 maths and reading tuition	Action tutoring
Cultural experience and language development	Young Shakespeare Company
Immersive curriculum/ cultural experience	Now Press Play

Further information

Covid 19 has had an enormous impact on the education of our children. It has resulted in unprecedented challenges and has brought intense pressure, high levels of stress and anxiety and radical changes to the way in which we work and live.

The closure of schools has had a considerable impact for all pupils, but the largest impact is likely to fall on those from the poorest families.

Every child's experience has been different and some children have been impacted far more than others. It is clear that children have had access to different levels of learning during the lockdown. Some children have parents/carers who have been able to take on the role of 'teacher' and oversee the home learning. For many others, a whole range of issues have impacted on their ability to learn at home:

- Space to work
- Overcrowding
- Parents/Carers having the time / skills to commit to home learning
- Lack of access to online facilities

The health of some children has been impacted by poor nutrition and a lack of physical exercise or access to the outdoors. Many families have experienced serious illness and bereavement and there are ongoing anxieties for children, parents/carers and staff about getting back to "normality".