

Pupil Premium

The Pupil Premium is an allocation of additional funding provided to schools to support specific groups of children who may be vulnerable to possible underachievement. These include children who are entitled to Free School Meals, those looked after by the local authority and the children of armed service personnel.

All schools are required to report on the amount of funding received and how it is being used.

For the financial year 2014/15 St George's School received £21 300 in Pupil Premium funding. This was made up of £19 500 FSM and £1800 Service children. It was used as follows:

- To provide small group interventions in Key Stage One with an additional teaching assistant, targeting underachieving pupils and those with SEN.
- Extra hours for a Key Stage Two teaching assistant to run interventions in Numeracy, Literacy and Small Group SEAL.
- One to One support for some children in the lead up to KS2 SATs
- Purchase of reading books aimed at lower ability readers in Key Stage One.
- Funding for the subsidy of school visits, swimming sessions and staff training in inclusion and numeracy/literacy support.

Impact on Pupil Progress in 2014/15

- Our tracking shows that most of the children in this group achieved at least expected progress over the year, with some achieving better than expected progress.
- KS 2 Data shows that children in the cohort all achieved Expected Progress from KS1 to KS2.

For the year 2015/16, we received £21 300 in Pupil Premium funding. Spending has continued in the above areas, with additional Teaching Assistant time in Rainbow and Silver Bases, targeting PP children for extra support sessions, including small group support and one to one sessions. In Spring term 2016, some pupils will receive One to One tuition from a teacher each week for Literacy support and an additional small group intervention for Numeracy support.

We have also continued to allocate funding to the subsidy of school visits, swimming sessions and staff training in inclusion and numeracy/literacy support.

For more details on the Pupil Premium please visit :

<http://www.education.gov.uk/schools/pupilsupport/premium>