



Abbey Wood Nursery School EYPP statement 2024/2025

Educational research over time has shown that children do not all make the same progress as each other, even with a really good targeted curriculum and amazing adult interventions. Some children may have additional needs or come from a vulnerable home. The school is able to access additional funding to support children. If a child has Disability Living Allowance (DLA), the then school is given a lump sum of money so that we can buy and resources needed to support their learning.

If a child comes from a home that is in receipt of some targeted universal credit benefits, you might be entitled to free school meals, (just because you have UC does not mean that you are able to get free school meals).

Free School Meals is not only for children who are having lunch with us. The school is given a small amount of money for each child who is entitled to FSMs, so even if your child is not having lunch with us, because you have been granted FSM we are able to provide additional activities these include;

- Cooking resources
- \rm Forest School
- Wet weather clothes for the children
- $\mathbf{4}$ Books and resources to support the curriculum.

If you have any questions about how to apply for FSM please ask in the office, if you have any questions about what we use the funding for please see a member of your child's class or Gill/Sophia.

Link to this years EYPP strategy statement.