# Pupil Premium Development Plan April 2020 – March 2021

#### **School Vision**

The targeted and strategic use of Pupil Premium funding supports the team at Castle Hill Primary School in promoting the school's vision of 'Aiming for Excellence'. It is our vision that all pupils, regardless of any barriers they may face, are given the opportunities to achieve their full potential in all areas of the curriculum. Through a process of assessing strengths and needs of individual pupils; of targeting interventions to address specific gaps in learning; of monitoring academic progress; and of identifying and encouraging the subjects in which pupils excel, we aim to ensure that all pupils maximise their potential to achieve excellence. The strong Castle Hill team, comprising teaching staff, support staff, governors, parents and members of the wider community, is committed to preparing all pupils for the future, developing in them a love for learning and the skills required to be successful learners. At Castle Hill Primary School, we aim to provide our pupils with a structured, disciplined, aspirational and happy working environment, where all pupils are supported and encouraged on their journey towards excellence.

Pupil Premium Strategy Group	Pupil Premium Strategy Group				
Team Member	Role				
Rebecca Willmouth	Deputy Headteacher				
Trish Lund	SENDCo				
Helen Cocker	Pupil Premium Champion, Greenbank Campus				
Jane Hartley	Pupil Premium Champion, Rooksdown Campus				
Mo Rowe	Governor responsible for Pupil Premium and SEND				

	Number of Pupils	Funding Per Pupil	Total Funding
Ever 6 Free School Meal Children – children currently eligible for free school meals, or having been in the last six years.	87 (GB:42, RD:45)	£1,345	£117, 015
Looked After Children (LAC) – children in the care system.	1	£2,345	£2345
Previously Looked After Children – adopted children who have previously been in the care system.	6 (GB:4, RD:2)	£2,345	£14, 070
Ever 6 Service Children – children with parents in the armed forces, or who have been in the last six years.	2 (GB:1, RD:1)	£310	£620
Total number of pupils eligible for Pupil Premium Funding	94 (GB: 46, RD: 48)		£134,050

Date of Statement:	November 2020	Review Date:	April 2021				
The above figures re	The above figures refer to the 2020/21 academic year and reflect the pupils currently in the school.						
The total figure for t	The total figure for the 2020/21 financial year for Pupil Premium is £107,390.						

### **Strategy for Pupil Premium Spending**

### **Key Objectives and Principles**

The key objective of our Pupil Premium strategy is to ensure the academic attainment and achievement of pupils from disadvantaged backgrounds in all areas of the curriculum. Through a range of provision, the strategy aims to accelerate the progress made by our disadvantaged pupils in order to narrow the attainment gap between them and their non-disadvantaged peers (comparative within school and nationally). Fundamental to our Pupil Premium strategy are the following aspects:

- Responsive leadership leadership which is focussed and driven and which responds to the differing and ever-changing demands of individual pupils and cohorts, in order to implement targeted provision that reflects current need.
- Quality first teaching excellent teaching which assesses attainment and responds to specific gaps in learning in order to ensure accelerated progress.
- Personalised plans targeted and time-limited interventions to address specific gaps in learning, reviewed regularly and evaluated for impact.
- Analytical and data driven effective provision which is evidence based and which triangulates and responds to progress measures from data, books and lessons.
- Behaviour and attendance robust tracking which identifies potential barriers to learning as a result of behaviour or attendance issues and which allows for individual and family support to be put in place.
- Staff development informed staff who are kept up to date with the latest research regarding disadvantaged pupils and with current teaching strategies.

A further objective of our Pupil Premium strategy is to ensure the emotional wellbeing of our disadvantaged pupils. Through the identification of specific emotional needs and through targeted support, we work with our pupils to reach a place where they are happy and able to learn. Our Pupil Premium strategy also recognises the importance of raising the social capital of disadvantaged pupils relative to their peers through a variety of enrichment activities.

Our current Pupil Premium strategy is scheduled for review in April 2021.

## **Current Attainment**

2020 attainment data is unavailable due to the cancellation of SATs.

	% School disadvantaged pupils meeting ARE	% School all pupils meeting ARE	National average % disadvantaged pupils meeting ARE	National average % all pupils meeting ARE (Benchmark)	% School disadvantaged pupils exceeding ARE	% School all pupils exceeding ARE	National average % disadvantaged pupils exceeding ARE	National average % all pupils exceeding ARE (Benchmark)
Reading	59	86		73	24	36		27
Writing	47	75		78	18	22		20
Maths	59	84		79	6	28		27
Combined			51	71			5	11

	Previous Attainment Key Stage 1 (2019)					
	School % disadvantaged pupils meeting ARE (GD)	School % all pupils meeting ARE (GD)	National % disadvantaged pupils meeting ARE	National % all pupils meeting ARE	National % non- disadvantaged pupils meeting ARE	
Reading	80 (40)	85 (30)	62 (14)	75 (25)	78 (28)	

Writing	80 (40)	82 (22)	55 (7)	70 (15)	73 (17)
Maths	80 (40)	87 (25)	63 (12)	76 (22)	79 (24)
Combined	80 (20)	80 (15)	50	66	69

Barriers to educational achievement for Pupil Premium children and how we hope to address them.					
Barriers	Addressing the barriers				
In school barriers:					
A. Challenging home learning environments including limited access to resources, limited support for learning.	<ul> <li>Qualified teachers employed to support learning in school.</li> <li>Money spent on resources and training aimed specifically to assist PP children.</li> <li>Homework club giving support and resources to PP children.</li> </ul>				
B. Issues around emotional literacy influencing behaviour and learning opportunities.	<ul> <li>Two members of staff trained in FEIPS to support emotional issues such as friendship problems, separation issues, bereavement etc.</li> <li>ELSA support ongoing</li> </ul>				
C. Reduced income effecting issues such as food and clothing.	Food/clothing paid for where necessary to ensure children are well placed to learn.				
External barriers:					
D. Low attendance and lateness	<ul> <li>Employment of home/school liaison link workers to work closely with parents to improve a range of issues and make parents feel welcome and secure in the school environment.</li> <li>Free breakfast club at GB to encourage punctuality.</li> </ul>				
Desired outcomes	Success criteria				
A. Children's learning will be supported in school.	Subject attainment to be in line with national.				

<ul> <li>B. Children's attitude to learning and learning behaviours within the classroom and at home will improve.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Children will be happy and secure in school. Subject attainment to be in line with national.</li> </ul>
C. Children will be fed and appropriately clothed so that they are in a good place to learn.	Subject attainment to be in line with national.
D. Children's attendance and lateness will improve to be in line with school and national expectations.	All children will have 96% attendance

Summary of Pupil Premium Spending 2020/21						
Provision	Cost	Objective	Evaluation and Impact Review date – April 2021			
Teaching and Learning						
Employment of 2 Pupil Premium Champions to lead on Pupil Premium within the school and to provide targeted, small group teaching (Helen Cocker, Greenbank; Jane Hartley, Rooksdown).	See staffing costs.	Overall objective: To ensure PP children make expected progress in their learning, through strategic leadership, quality first teaching and targeted interventions.  Specific objectives: See detail below.				
Additional teaching provision –  JH/HC - small group teaching in  English and Maths across all year groups based on current identified	See staffing costs.	To ensure PP children make expected progress in their learning, through quality first teaching and targeted interventions. Teaching				

need.		this academic year will focus on closing any gaps that have arisen due to school closure from Covid 19.	
Employment of 2 PTPs to provide 1:1 in-class support for PP children, small group catch-up teaching for PP children.	See staffing costs.	To ensure PP children make expected progress in their learning through targeted interventions. Small group teaching this academic year will focus on closing any gaps that have arisen due to school closure from Covid 19.	
Regular strategy meetings —  Half termly leadership catch-up meetings between HC/JH/TL/RW. Half termly meetings between HC/JH/MR (PP Governor) — NB. Due to Covid restrictions, governor meetings are currently taking place remotely.	See staffing costs.	To ensure a strong leadership team, which is focussed and driven; which is responsive to changing situations, to individuals, cohorts, progress data, evaluations and monitoring.  To ensure effective liaison between the two school sites.	
Half-termly monitoring of provision and identification of next steps on Individual Pupil Profiles – impact on progress of interventions and classbased learning; progress in books; pupil conferencing; data analysis.	See staffing costs.	To ensure appropriate and effective provision for each child through effective assessment and identification of gaps in learning, implementation of targeted interventions and evaluation of impact.	

Regular informal discussions between PP Champions and teachers regarding the progress of PP children.  Pupil progress meetings with teachers after each data milestone.	See staffing costs.	To ensure the progress of individual children through identifying gaps in learning, planning future provision and identifying useful strategies and resources.	
Training: HIAS training - KS2/whole school training on reading inference (All staff)	£360	To ensure all staff are confident and have up-to-date knowledge of teaching reading inference.	
Teaching phonics through Letters and Sounds (EYFS/KS1/Y3) (2 class teachers)	£140	To ensure that new staff have appropriate training and to ensure continuity of phonics teaching into Y3.	
Lexonik Sounds Training (2 PP Champions).	£5050	To improve children's confidence and ability in reading and spelling as well as using phonological awareness to understand a greater range of vocabulary	
HIAS training – Effective Pupil Premium Leadership (2 PP Champions)	£160	To ensure that PP Champion new to role has appropriate training and that existing PP Champion maintains up-to-date knowledge.	

Resources:	£2150	Individual online learning to support	
Third Space Learning		Y6 maths and to address gaps in	
		learning – particularly in light of	
		recent school closure.	
Nessy subscription	£375	Interactive phonics resource to be	
		used as an intervention to support	
		reading and spelling.	
RWI books	£95 (part funding, along with	To be used both in class and as an	
	funding from English budget)	intervention to support phonics and	
		reading comprehension.	
Emotional, Social and Behavioural Su	ipport		
Employment of two ELSA/PTP (one	See staffing costs.	To provide ELSA support to children	
per site) - to provide ELSA support;		as needs arise; to work with	
to provide lunchtime support on the		teachers to identify and implement	
playground and in the Chill Zone		support strategies.	
(temporarily on hold due to Covid		To provide a quiet/nurture area,	
restrictions); to promote wellbeing		giving support to children in a	
and readiness to learn through the		nurturing environment, enabling	
establishment of a quite/nurture		them to be ready to learn; to	
area; and to undertake a family		support those children unable to	
liaison role.		access the curriculum.	
		To establish a behaviour hub to	
		work with children on aspects of	
		their behaviour; to work with	

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		teachers to identify and implement	
		support strategies.	
		To build relationships with parents	
		and to encourage them to feel	
		welcome and included in school.	
		To assist with such things as	
		behavioural support, family	
		relationships, lateness and	
		attendance, concerns associated	
		with Covid etc.	
		To attend meetings with outside	
		agencies to support children and	
		families.	
Employment of Sports/Wellbeing	See staffing costs.	To provide emotional/wellbeing	
coach		support and to build confidence and	
		self-esteem through PE activities; to	
		work with teachers to identify and	
		implement support strategies.	
Play Therapy	£1695	To provide emotional/wellbeing	
		support and to build confidence and	
		self-esteem through play activities.	
Resources for two nurture rooms	£320 spent.	To create a safe space providing	
(one per site).		opportunities for de-escalation	
		strategies, promotion of self-care,	
		resilience and recovery. Also, a	
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Breakfast club - employment of 3 members of staff; purchase of food and other associated costs.	See staffing costs. £1000 allocated for food and other associated costs.	space to offer therapeutic activities and FIEPS/ELSA sessions.  To provide the children with a nutritious breakfast and support them with arriving at school on time. It also offers them a chance to socialise with their peers.	
Training: Thrive – whole school emotional/behavioural approach (Training for one member of SLT (SENDCo) and two lead practitioners (ELSA PTPs). Training will be cascaded to all staff.	£2450 (2-year subscription)	To support children with emotional and behavioural needs.	
Yoga training (2 PTPs)	£790	To support children with Autism/ADHD.	
Enrichment			
Clubs/activities funded for PP children. Parents encouraged through regular letters, newsletter reminders and telephone calls to sign their children up to clubs.	£200 funding per child per year for clubs and school trips. Actual spend as of Nov 2020 - £1,800.	To ensure that PP children have access to a variety of activities, allowing them to develop their skills and interests.	
School trips funded for PP children.	Varying costs according to the costs of specific trips – within the £200	To ensure that PP children have access to a broad curriculum and	

funding per child per year.	learning outside the classroom.
Actual spend as of Nov 2020 - £0	To promote cultural capital and
(due to Covid restrictions).	broaden the experiences for PP
	children.