

Pupil Premium

The pupil premium is additional funding for publicly funded schools in England to raise the attainment of disadvantaged pupils and close the gap between them and their peers. Introduced in April 2011, the pupil premium is allocated to children who are looked after by the local authority, those who have been eligible for FSM at any point in the last six years (also known as Ever 6 FSM) and for children whose parents are currently serving in the armed forces.

Schools are free to spend the Pupil Premium as they see fit. However, they will be held accountable for how they have used the additional funding to support pupils from low-income families. The main purpose of the grant is to diminish the difference between Pupil Premium pupils and Non-Pupil Premium pupils.

At St Ursula's Catholic Primary School, we have high expectations and aspirations for all our pupils irrespective of their background, disability or circumstances. One of our core values of 'We keep trying our best- we never give up' is reflected in everything we stand for. We know that high quality teaching will improve the achievement and attainment of our most vulnerable pupils and as a school, we invest heavily in this. We have used this Pupil Premium funding to support the teaching, learning, progress and wellbeing of our pupils'.

1. School Overview					
School	St Ursula's Catholic Primary School				
Academic Year	2020-21	Total PP budget	£82,700	Published Date	September' 20
Total number of pupils	455	Number of pupils eligible for PP	90	Review Date	April '21

2.Pupil Premium Con	text (2020-2021)				
Year group	Number of pupils	Eligible for Pupil	Not eligible for	Pupil Premium and	Pupil Premium and
		Premium	Pupil Premium	SEND	more able
N	42	0	42	0	0
R	60	3	58	1	0
1	60	5	60	0	0
2	60	7	53	1	0
3	56	10	46	3	0
4	60	11	49	3	0
5	59	12	47	4	0
6	58	11	47	1	2

3. Planned Expenditure 2020-21 Academic year The three headings below enable schools to demonstrate how they are using the pupil premium to improve classroom pedagogy, provide targeted support and support whole school strategies. i. Quality of teaching for all Chosen action / approach How will you ensure it is When will you What is the evidence and Staff lead Desired outcome implemented well? review? rationale for this choice? For all teaching to be at least Ensure consistent, high-quality Quality-first teaching is Shared practice, HT/COG/SBM Ongoing review good and all Pupil Premium, in lessons are taught daily always the most effective communication in Inclusion All Teachers - Yearly budget every lesson, to be targeted for throughout the school. Raising and proven method for Meetings, HT report to attainment. additional support. outstanding progress and governors. 1:1 and small group pastoral attainment. Highly Staff development programmes experienced teaching Lesson observations. Training for staff driving progress and Shared practice. adapting their practice to Monitoring of books and Extra books to support parents with homework and learning at meet the needs of their assessment systems. home. pupils (LAMDA/The Brilliant Club). Total budgeted cost £70,200 ii. Targeted Support

Desired outcome	Chosen action/approach	What is the evidence and rationale for this choice?	How will you ensure it is implemented well?	Staff lead	When will you review?
The Pupil Premium Funding is also used to subsidise a number of areas when parents are experiencing financial hardship including: free milk, school trips; school uniform; educational resources for home or school; extra-curricular school clubs; music lessons	Families will be provided financial support for trips, activities and uniform as needed. This is to ensure that all pupils have equal access to opportunities and enables us to be fully inclusive. In school extra-curricular clubs and extended opportunities.	Feedback from PP parents has shown that this support is needed and makes a huge difference in taking financial pressure off the family. It also enables pupils to have experiences and opportunities that they would otherwise not be able to have.	This is provided upon request. Additional opportunities to access funding are also given to PP parents during key parts of the year, such as an impending school trip.	HT/ SBM/ COG/PP Lead	Ongoing - Yearly budget

Total budgeted cost £12,500