



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.

School overview

Detail	Data
School name	Lew Trenchard C of E Primary School
Number of pupils in school	72
Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils	22%
Academic year/years that our current pupil premium strategy plan covers (3 year plans are recommended)	2021/2022 2022/2023 2023/2024
Date this statement was published	October 2021
Date on which it will be reviewed	October 2022
Statement authorised by	Louise Hussey
Pupil premium lead	Louise Hussey
Governor / Trustee lead	



Funding overview

Detail	Amount
Pupil premium funding allocation this academic year	£18,830
Recovery premium funding allocation this academic year	£2025 + £5750 (DFE + Trust)
Pupil premium funding carried forward from previous years	£0
Total budget for this academic year If your school is an academy in a trust that pools this funding, state the amount available to your school this academic year	£26,605

Pupil Premium strategy statement Part A: Pupil premium strategy plan



Statement of intent

When making decisions about using Pupil Premium funding it is important to consider the context of the school and the subsequent challenges faced. Research conducted by EEF should then be used to support decisions around the usefulness of different strategies and their value for money.

Common barriers to learning for disadvantaged children, can be less support at home, weak language and communication skills, lack of confidence, more frequent mental health and behaviour difficulties along with attendance and punctuality issues. There may also be complex family situations that prevent children from flourishing. The challenges are varied and there is no "one size fits all".

Our ultimate objectives are:

- ✓ To narrow the attainment gap between disadvantaged and non-disadvantaged pupils.
- ✓ For all disadvantaged pupils in school to make or exceed nationally expected progress rates.
- ✓ To support our children's health and wellbeing to enable them to access learning at an appropriate level.

We aim to do this through

- Ensuring that teaching and learning opportunities meet the needs of all the pupils
- Ensuring that appropriate provision is made for pupils who belong to vulnerable groups, this includes ensuring that the needs of socially disadvantaged pupils are adequately assessed and addressed
- When making provision for socially disadvantaged pupils, we recognise that not all pupils who receive free school meals will be socially disadvantaged
- We also recognise that not all pupils who are socially disadvantaged are registered or qualify for free school meals. We reserve the right to allocate the Pupil Premium funding to support any pupil or groups of pupils the school has legitimately identified as being socially disadvantaged.





• Pupil premium funding will be allocated following a needs analysis which will identify priority classes, groups or individuals. Limited funding and resources means that not all children receiving free school meals will be in receipt of pupil premium interventions at one time.

Achieving these objectives:

The range of provision the Headteacher (PP Lead) and Governors consider making for this group include and would not be inclusive of:

- Ensuring all teaching is good or better thus ensuring that the quality of teaching experienced by all children is improved.
- Maintaining appropriate class sizes thus improving opportunities for effective teaching and accelerating progress
- To allocate a teaching assistant to each Year Group providing 'Catch Up' through enhanced small group work focussed on overcoming gaps in learning
- 1-1 support and tutoring
- Additional teaching and learning opportunities provided through extra-curricular opportunities or external agencies
- All our work through the pupil premium will be aimed at accelerating progress, moving children to at least age-related expectations.
- Pupil premium resources are to be used to target able children on Free School Meals to achieve Age Related Expectations or above
- Additional learning support- resources for teaching and training for staff
- Support payment for activities, educational visits and residentials. Ensuring children have first-hand experiences to use in their learning in the classroom.
- Behaviour support if needed
- Well-being and mental health support available in school and prioritised in the school curriculum



Challenges

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

Challenge number	Detail of challenge
1	Disadvantaged pupils have been disproportionately impacted by Lockdown and so the attainment gap across Reading, Writing and Maths attainment and progress has increased.
2	Outcomes and progress of the pupils are significantly affected by their SEND and home life- Increased numbers of pupils with complex needs, including speech and language, social communication, poor working memory, attention difficulties, motor skills, social emotional and mental health.
3	Challenges during home learning have impacted on pupils' resilience in their learning which negatively impacts pupils' progress.
4	Disadvantaged pupils have lower attendance due to home issues or low importance of school for some parents.



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.

Intended outcome	Success criteria	
Progress in Reading	Achieve national average progress scores in KS2 Reading/Writing/Maths.	
Progress in Writing		
Progress in Mathematics	 ✓ Pupils in all year groups who are eligible for Pupil Premium make rapid progress by the end of KS2 so that all pupils who are eligible for Pupil Premium meet age related expectations at least. ✓ Children leaving EYFS will be working at age related unless an SEND need is identified. ✓ During pupil conferencing and lesson observations pupils are observed as having a breadth of vocabulary that reflects their experiences and children will be observed to connect ideas orally and explain what is happening coherently. ✓ At the end of Year 1, all disadvantaged pupils will have achieved the objective: confidently count to and across 100, forwards and backwards from any given number. 	



	 ✓ When tested at the end of Year 4, disadvantaged pupils will know their tables to 12x12 fluently. ✓ Pupil Premium pupils identified as greater depth in KS1 or exceeding in EYFS will make as much progress as 'other' pupils identified as being greater depth/exceeding. This will be measured by TA in Year 1, 3, 4 and 5 and moderated by SLT. Evidence of greater depth learning will be evident in books and will be planned for and seen on teacher's planning. More Pupil Premium pupils will achieve the higher standard in Reading, Writing and Maths at the end of KS2 but especially in Writing.
Other	 Ensure attendance of disadvantaged pupils is 96+%. ✓ Reduce the number of persistent absentees among pupils eligible for PP. ✓ Overall PP attendance increases. ✓ Reduce the number of PP pupils late to school.
Improved resilience in learning	 Engagement in class and home learning is significantly improved evidenced though pupil voice, learning observations and book scrutiny. ✓ 100% of pupils eligible for Pupil Premium will achieve expected progress from Year 1 to Year 6 unless there is a SEN need causing a barrier to reaching potential. ✓ All disadvantaged pupils will read regularly at home and in pupil conferencing pupils eligible for Pupil Premium will talk about a love for reading. ✓ 100% of parents of PP pupils will read with their children at home and complete home learning. ✓ During observations, pupils will be observed to be concentrating and listening attentively. By the end of EYFS, Pupils identified as Pupil Premium make as much progress as non-PP peers across EYFS and those who are identified as Low Prior Attaining make accelerated





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	progress. Progress will be visible in learning walks, lesson observations and in learning journeys. The amount of pupils who are GLD by the end of Reception will be in line or above non-PP pupils nationally. (unless an SEND need has been identified).
Improved mental health and well-being	Reduced incidents recorded of mental health concerns and of incidents disrupting learning.
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	✓ Fewer unacceptable behaviour concerns recorded for pupils eligible for Pupil Premium than in 2020-2021.
	✓ All disadvantaged pupils in EYFS will meet the expected standard for managing feelings and behaviours.
	✓ Every PP pupil will attend at least 1 school trip each year and at least 1 residential.
	✓ Over 75% of Pupil Premium pupils will attend an extra- curricular activity.
	✓ An increased % of children in KS1 and KS2 will engage with learning an instrument (a high proportion of these will be disadvantaged).



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.

Teaching (for example, CPD, recruitment and retention)

Budgeted cost: £10,805.75

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Experienced TAs allocated in identified year groups to support learning for disadvantaged pupils. £9188.25 (Additional funding from school staff budget of £10,000) Subject Leader release time – HLTA cover £617.50 (1pm a fortnight)	Small group tuition is defined as one teacher or professional educator working with two to five pupils together in a group. This arrangement enables the teacher to focus exclusively on a small number of learners, usually in a separate classroom or working area. Intensive tuition in small groups is often provided to support lower attaining learners or those who are falling behind, but it can also be used as a more general strategy to ensure effective progress, or to teach challenging topics or skills. EEF (+3) As the size of a class or teaching group gets smaller it is suggested that the range of approaches a teacher can employ and the amount of attention each student will receive will increase, improving outcomes for pupils. We believe that ensuring each class has a highly experience TA or HLTA allocated daily, this frees up the teacher to work with smaller groups of pupils and specifically allows targeted help to be directed to disadvantaged pupils.	1,3
	EEF guide to pupil premium – tiered approach – teaching is the top priority, including CPD.	



CPD – Visible learning, Babcock, TA training – training costs and staff	We have looked at the capacity of staff within the school and will target support where needed using the experienced staff members to Coach and Mentor.	
cover £1000	Release time for subject leaders to model and mentor subjects to ensure all teaching is high quality.	
	CPD planned:	
	Strategies to support disadvantaged learners.	
	Babcock Writing – teaching sequences for ECT.	
	Effective deployment of support staff allocated in class for improving outcomes of disadvantaged pupils.	
	RWI Phonics EEF +5	
	Visible learning – metacognition EEF +7 Right to Read -Reading Comprehension Strategies EEF +7	

Targeted academic support (for example, tutoring, one-to-one support structured interventions)

Budgeted cost: £12,335.25

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Experienced tutor appointed to work within identified pupils 1:1 and small group tutoring of key pupils identified at falling behind and not making ARE. 2 days a week x 12 weeks x 3 blocks x £25 an hour £8640 (Trust and DFE School-led Tutoring fund)	EEF (+4) Small group tuition is defined as one teacher or professional educator working with two to five pupils together in a group. This arrangement enables the teacher to focus exclusively on a small number of learners, usually in a separate classroom or working area. Intensive tuition in small groups is often provided to support lower attaining learners or those who are falling behind, but it can also be used as a more general strategy to ensure effective progress, or to teach challenging topics or skills. Having analysed our cohorts we have identified 16 pupils who need support to address gaps in Writing.	1, 2, 3



HLTA to lead small group 'Catch-up' literacy and 1:1 Precision teach – 3 hours daily.	Due to Covid impacting on year 2 progress, we have identified that writing within Year 3 has some KS1 curriculum gaps that could be effectively addressed through intensive tuition.	
£2351.25 HLTA After-School Writing and Grammar Intervention 1hr a week x 12 weeks x 3 blocks £648	Teaching Assistant Interventions EEF +4 1:1 Tuition EEF +5 Welcom Vocabulary – Oral Language Intervention EEF +5 We have also identified additional pupils as needing intervention and therefore will use school-led tutoring for Maths and English with PPG children accessing 1:1 provision to narrow the gaps.	
Teacher MTC Prep Tutoring 1 hr a week x 12 x 2 blocks £480		

Wider strategies (for example, related to attendance, behaviour, wellbeing)

Budgeted cost: £3464

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
PSA appointed to work with vulnerable families and improve parental engagement including supporting families to improve attendance and punctuality.	We define parental engagement as the involvement of parents in supporting their children's academic learning. It includes:	2,4
Thrive Practitioner to deliver social and emotional interventions to support pupils. TA – 1 pm a week £1482	 approaches and programmes which aim to develop parental skills; general approaches which encourage parents to support their children with, for example reading or homework; the involvement of parents in their children's learning activities; and more intensive support/programmes for families in crisis. 	
EWO termly meeting to analyse attendance and contact low attenders.		





£500 from SLAs		
TIS practitioners to support children who are having difficulty accessing learning through mental health and behavioural issues, using the TIS approach to support improvement. TA – 1 pm a week £1482	EEF (+4) Social and Emotional Learning — interventions which target social and emotional learning seek to improve pupils' interaction with others and self-regulation of emotions, rather than focusing directly on the academic or cognitive elements of learning. SEL interventions might focus on the ways in which students work with (and alongside) their peers, teachers, family and community. These include: specialised programmes which are targeted at students with particular social or emotional needs.	2,3

Total budgeted cost: £ 26,605



Pupil Premium strategy statement 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.

Due to COVID-19, performance measures have not been published for 2020 to 2021, and 2020 to 2021 results will not be used to hold schools to account. Given this, please point to any other pupil evaluations undertaken during the 2020 to 2021 academic year, for example, standardised teacher administered tests or diagnostic assessments such as rubrics or scales.

Raise attainment of pp pupils is maths, reading and writing – Partially achieved.	
Improve in class resilience in learning and home learning uptake by pp pupils - Partially achieved.	
Raise progress of pp pupils with SEN in maths, reading and writing – Partially achieved.	
Improve attendance for pp pupils – Partially achieved.	

Attainment of ARE at end of KSs was disproportionately impacted by lockdowns for disadvantaged pupils and this remains the focus for this year's strategy.

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
Accelerated Reader	Renaissance



Service pupil premium funding (optional)

For schools that receive this funding, you may wish to provide the following information:

Measure	Details
How did you spend your service pupil premium allocation last academic year?	
What was the impact of that spending on service pupil premium eligible pupils?	





Use this space to provide any further information about your pupil premium strategy. For example, about your strategy planning, or other activity that you are implementing to support disadvantaged pupils, that is not dependent on pupil premium or recovery premium funding.

Additional support offered:

Free entry to breakfast/after-school childcare if needed.

Support for costs for trips and residentials

Uniform support