



Pupil Premium

The pupil premium grant for 2013 – 14 is: £78,300

This grant was used to support pupils who are eligible for free school meals (FSM) and children who are looked after by the local authority (LAC)

We have used this grant to support FSM and LAC pupils.

<p>Key Priority : To narrow the disadvantage gap by addressing inequalities and raising the attainment of those students who are eligible for free school meals and pupils who are looked after by the local authority.</p>	<p>What do we expect to see: Targeted additional support strategies resulting in every student, however financially disadvantaged, being able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• improve their levels of attainment and progress• close attainment gaps relative to school averages• have full access to our curriculum
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At Howden School:

- we ensure that teaching and learning opportunities meet the needs of all of the pupils
- we ensure 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
- In 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

Provision

The range of provision the school :

- Identifying student need on entry into school through CAT testing
- Providing small group work with experienced teacher's focussed on overcoming gaps in learning in the core subjects
- Additional teaching and learning opportunities provided through trained TAs and external agencies or staff
- Acquiring effective materials aimed at raising standards, particularly in reading and modelling of writing
- All our work through the pupil premium will be aimed at accelerating progress moving children to at least age related expectations. Initially this will be in Literacy and Numeracy
- Pupil premium resources may also be used to target able children on FSM to achieve L5 at the end of KS3
- Pupil premium resources may also be used to target able students on FSM to achieve A*-C grades at the end of KS4
- Provide additional resources and facilities in the school to support PPM students across the curriculum

Pupil Premium Grant (PPG) Allocation for 2013/14 is: £78,3000

The PPG allocation for 2013/2014 is targeted to:

- *Provide after school support sessions for PPM students using access to ICT and dedicated printing*
- *Fund additional support time into Learning Managers timetables at KS3 and KS4 to support PPM students*
- *Create and maintain smaller teaching groups for English at KS3 and KS4*
- *Expand the funding of smaller teaching groups for Maths at KS4*
- *Continue to fund an intensive programme for the teaching of reading*
- *Continuation of scheme for the teaching of reading- purchase of new library books for targeted students to meet student interests*
- *Improve the quality of writing skills by using small group intervention*
- *Identify vulnerable students earlier by CAT testing all students on entry to school*

- *Maintain additional literacy and numeracy time in the curriculum for a cohort of Y7 students*
- *Maintain a programme of small group withdrawal sessions to support students in Maths and English*
- *Extending literacy scheme into Year 8 and vulnerable students in Y9/10*
- *Summer school for PPG and vulnerable students*
- *Purchase of e-readers for library for targeted intervention*
- *Purchase of laptops to support coursework, homework and revision*
- *Purchase software to track PPM student provision across the school*
- *Provide additional resources and facilities in the school to support PPM students across the curriculum*
- *Departmental projects to support PPM students in subject areas*
- *Extend literacy support into Year 8*
- *Support PPM students in GCSE music through peripatetic lessons*
- *Extend provision in GCSE Drama for PPM students enabling them to perform in the National Shakespeare Festival*
- *Purchase Sumdog software to support KS3 PPM students*
- *Provide additional support for PPM students in Science through KS3 mentoring scheme and Zoo Lab project*

Impact statement

Since 2011 the gap between PPM students and the whole school population is:

- Narrowing in terms of 5+ A* - C EM
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Since 2011 the progress made by PPM students compared to the whole school population is:

- Narrowing significantly over time when comparing 3 levels of progress in English
- Narrowing significantly over time when comparing 3 levels of progress in Maths
- Current data shows PPM students are out- performing non PPM students in 3 levels of progress in maths