Pupil Premium at Bournville Infant School

The Pupil Premium is an allocation of additional funding provided to schools to support specific groups of children. These include pupils who are entitled to free school meals; those looked after by the local authority and children of armed service personnel.

At Bournville Infant and School we are committed to promoting the progress and attainment of all pupils, whatever their background.

Statement from the DfE website:

'It is for schools to decide how the Pupil Premium, allocated to schools per Free School Meals pupil is spent, since they are best placed to assess what additional provision should be made for the individual pupils within their responsibility.'

Pupil Premium 2013-14

Funding Allocation

- Bournville Infant and School received a total of £36,741 Pupil Premium for 2013-2014.
- 14% (37/270) of pupils at Bournville Infant and School received Pupil Premium.
- 11% (4/37) of pupils in receipt of Pupil Premium are on the special needs register and received additional support from staff in school.

Pupil Premium Spending 2013 - 2014

At Bournville Infant School we support Pupil Premium children in the following ways:

• A Family Support Worker is available to work with parents and children at school and within the home. This support includes liaising with Children's Services, leading CAF assessments, helping with behaviour and attendance, giving emotional mentoring to individual children, attending appointments with parents and signposting families to a variety of support agencies. The Family Support Worker has worked with 8 Pupil Premium families and has been very successful. For example, she has supported one family with parenting and contact arrangements so that the child's attendance improved from 68.7% to 75.7%: She has also supported another family and child so they were able to have a funded holiday.

- Using interventions such as 1stclass@number, Structured Peer Tutoring and Wordshark to support targeted children (including Pupil Premium children). In 1stclass@number two Year 2 Pupil Premium children made 3 points progress in maths during 1 term. In Structured Peer Tutoring one Year 2 child made 3 points progress in reading over 10 weeks. In Wordshark spelling one Year 2 child was able to catch up with his peers by making 3 points progress over 6 weeks in writing.
- SENCo and teaching assistants to work 1 to 1 and with small groups of children (including Pupil Premium children) to provide phonic and writing support in Year 1 and Year 2. All 7 Year 2 Pupil Premium children who retook the phonics screen passed and in Year 1 7/8 of the children passed the phonic screening.
- Outside agency input from Pupil School Support and Educational Psychology
- Financial assistance for Pupil Premium children to access extracurricular clubs, educational and residential visits. Five children from Year 2 were assisted financially to attend the school residential trip and lots of children have participated in clubs throughout the school year.
- Training for staff such as 'Clicker 6' and 'Tackling Attendance for Vulnerable Children'.
- Resources such as Clicker 6 software, IPAD apps, Snappy Maths and Numicon.

To ensure value for money and support we have allocated staff time for:

- Tracking the progress of all pupils; particularly identifying any pupils requiring additional support, especially Pupil Premium, Looked After Children and pupils of Armed Forces Personnel.
- Senior Leadership Team to closely monitor the progress of all pupils especially pupils needing additional help.
- Provision plan of Pupil Premium pupils in place and updated three times a
 year and the information used as part of the pupil progress meetings to
 monitor what support has been given or maybe needed.
- All staff fully aware of pupils in their class and any specific needs the
 pupils may have. At Pupil Progress meetings all staff will be held to
 account for the progress of all pupils and especially closing the gap
 between non Pupil Premium pupils and Pupil Premium pupils.

Success criteria:

- Attainment across the school is above national average for all groups of pupils
- The 'attainment gap' between Pupil Premium and non Pupil Premium pupils within school is narrowing.
- Participation in school extra-curricular activities, clubs, trips, sport etc is monitored.

Impact

Attainment

Pupils in receipt of Pupil Premium do well at our school. Last year 100% of children achieved at least level 2 in reading, writing and maths at the end of Year 2.

Last year 100% closed the gap in reading (closed the gap is achieving level 2B and above), 83% closed the gap in writing and 94% in maths.

35% achieved level 3 and above in reading, writing and maths.

Progress

In reading, writing and maths, 77% of Pupil Premium pupils across Key Stage One made at least 6+ points progress in reading writing and maths this year.

Over 88% of these pupils made 6+ points progress this year in reading.