Our Lady and St John's Catholic Primary School

Pupil Premium Grant – 2024-25

Funding & Expenditure

'A key strength of this school's work is the dedicated focus of staff in helping individual pupils to achieve success. Highly personalised approaches ensure that pupils receive the appropriate assistance at the right time. Teachers apply their strong subject knowledge to check pupils' learning and address any misconceptions. As a result, pupils achieve high standards across the curriculum, including in external assessments.
Skilful extra help and support from staff ensure that pupils who find reading more difficult catch up quickly
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The School's mission, "We live, learn and love with Jesus," aims to change the lives and life chances of every pupil. Every child has their own story, and this requires a personalised learning journey and a complex level of intervention to ensure that each and everyone makes the necessary outstanding progress. This is a breakdown of how the school uses its Pupil Premium funding from its school budget. This is funding allocated to the school and is based on the number of pupils who have been eligible for Free School Meals in the last six years or who are Looked After Children by the Local Authority.

Number of Pupils and Pupil Premium Grant received: 2024-25	
Total number of pupils on roll:	203
Total number of pupils eligible for PPG	34
Total amount of PPG received per pupil	£1,480
Total amount of PPG received	£50,320
Total number of pupils eligible for LAC	1
Total amount of LAC received per pupil	£2,570
Total amount of PPG/LAC received per pupil	£52,890

Objectives in spending PPG/LAC

- To close the gap in attainment for disadvantaged pupils, compared to their peers in all subjects
- To maintain high expectations and standards for all pupils eligible for Pupil Premium.
- To ensure that all pupils are given the same opportunities to develop their potential and participate in extra-curricular activities in and outside of school

Main barriers to Educational achievement for pupils eligible to receive PPG/LAC

- To ensure that identified pupils who are at risk of not achieving a "secure" in the curriculum skills of the year group are supported by targeted intervention and strategies.
- To ensure most able pupils entitled to PPG are inspired to achieve high levels through a variety of strategies and opportunities.
- To target pupils with Social, Emotional and Mental Health issues to enable them to make their own choices to support personal growth and self-esteem.

Nature of Support: 2024-25

- Pre-teaching
- Breakfast club
- After school clubs: Dance/Drama/Sport/After school club/Ballet/Gymnastics
- EYFS & KS1 Phonics support
- 1:1 Reading
- ELSA
- Speech & Language support
- Social Communication support
- Educational Psychology Service
- Lunchtime "Drop in" - ELSA
- Choir (including concerts)
- Trips/School residential
- Uniform
- Mathletics; Times Tables Rockstars (online homework)

Evaluation of Impact of PPG Spending: 2024-25

To be reviewed annually by SLT by the end of each summer term (July 2025)

(Linked to School Improvement Plan Priorities 2024-25)