

Pupil premium strategy statement

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This statement details our school's use of pupil premium (and recovery premium for the 2024 to 2025 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	Church Vale Primary
Number of pupils in school	214
Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils	39%
Academic year/years that our current pupil premium strategy plan covers (3 year plans are recommended)	2024-2026
Date this statement was published	09.09.2024
Date on which it will be reviewed	09.09.2025
Statement authorised by	J Yardley
Pupil premium lead	D Savage
Governor / Trustee lead	K Poxon

Funding overview

Detail	Amount
Pupil premium funding allocation this academic year	£ 124,320
Recovery premium funding allocation this academic year	£0
Pupil premium funding carried forward from previous years (enter £0 if not applicable)	£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	£124,320

Part A: Pupil premium strategy plan

Statement of intent

At Church Vale Primary and Foundation Unit our ultimate objective for our pupil premium children is to close their educational gap first and foremost and help them to achieve their potential.

The school aims to build the resilience of the children through strategies that are taught and a relationships-based behaviour system in school which encourages 'time in.' Our values are used as our reward system and that sees the development of resilience and qualities children will need as they grow.

We also strive to equal the playing field in terms of experiences and life chances. We want to broaden the horizon for our children and show them the possibilities the life could bring. We want to raise their aspirations and show them that life is not limited to the immediate area such as Mansfield town or Nottingham. We take them to The University of Nottingham to show them what could be a path for them.

Our families struggle with basic needs, organisation of their children, support with their homework or home learning. Our intent is to bridge the gap so that there is no difference from the pupil premium children and the non- pupil premium children. We will provide equipment, feed them, subsidise or fund educational experiences.

We want to develop the communication skills of the pupil premium children we do that through using pupil voice, school council, focusing on handwriting and written outcomes with interventions, reading and writing read out loud, reading out loud to model to the children and the development of vocabulary to aid with increased articulation and oracy.

The key principles are:

1. To close the educational gap
2. To broaden their life experiences (possibilities and community)
3. To raise aspirations (possibilities)

4. To increase resilience and foster a 'never give up' attitude (self-awareness)

Challenges

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

Challenge number	Detail of challenge
1	Lack of access to technology or using it undirected and for the wrong things not seeing the worth in printed literature
2	Limited educational support at home lack of aspiration-not prioritising attendance, being school ready and being on time. Not fulfilling Maslow's hierarchy of need
3	Limited experiences, trips out, holidays, visits to places
4	Lack of boundaries and home talk, children entering foundation significantly behind where they should be. Children not being able to regulate their emotions, understand boundaries – significantly behind where they should be in self-help and self-care.

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
Educational gaps will be closed or reducing for all children regardless of background	Data analysis will show that the gaps between groups has closed and that all children are achieving their potential
Equality of life chances will be addressed through the devolved technology and supplementation of experiences	Children will be able to do homework. home learning, can use technology independently, can use the programmes school buys to support them at home.
To raise aspirations and to work with parents to understand what their children can do and how they can support them at home and improve their attendance	Children can articulate what they may be. They are resilient and know what they life chances are and that they aren't limited by their homes situations. Parents can support their children and understand how they can help with their education. Persistent absence has improved
To bring the world into the school so that the children experience life, aspirations,	Children can draw upon experiences, vocabulary and links between learning. They will have ideas, they will

possibilities and aren't limited in their achievements by where they live.	understand their place in the world. They will know what the area they live in beyond Warsop is like.
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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: £22,000

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Lack of access to books- Invest in a wide variety of books. Supporting the real book approach. Books will also be purchased that appeal to boys, reluctant readers and children with special needs. Teaching resources to support comprehension and topic teaching and to allow for further reading from areas of interests. To supplement the phonically decodable books Rewards and incentives, reading rewards, motivational t	EEF Reading children are more academically able 'Open university' reading for pleasure projects- Children that read do better academically, have a wider variety of vocabulary and metacognitive abilities.	1- £12,000
Families in need will have access to technology/internet/ support. Children will be able to use technology to support their learning in the wider sense. It will be developed as a	EEF use of technology- aids feedback to children (+6) EEF parental engagement (+4)	2 £10,000

teaching and learning tool integrated into the curriculum		
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Targeted academic support (for example, tutoring, one-to-one support structured interventions)

Budgeted cost: £ 90.900

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Increased staffing throughout the year to support with closing the educational gap in reading, writing and maths 1 grade 3 TA full time 1 teacher 3 days per week 1 grade 3 TA (equivalent) to focus on bottom 20% PP SEN Counsellor to support the PP vulnerable children Family support worker 2 afternoons per week to concentrate on PP	EEF class size data and TA interventions Post and pre teach research by the EEF 1:1 tuition Small group pre and post teach Metacognition and self-regulation (+7)	4 £34,000 £29,000 £34,000 £5000 £3900

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

Budgeted cost: £17,000

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Supplement breakfast club Make sure they have uniform Make sure they have water Supplement the cost of experiences	Maslow's hierarchy of need Arts participation EEF (+3) Physical EEF (+1)	4 £17,000

Supplement or fully fund any equipment the children might need Pay for transportation to enable experiences to happen Pay for attendance rewards and behaviour rewards		
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Total budgeted cost: £144.900

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 2023 to 2024 academic year.

1. Resources were purchased and used to support mental health and wellbeing
2. Children were trained in TAKE 5
3. Visitors to support the curriculum increased, trips increased and all added worth to the curriculum. Teachers saw better relationships and children had experiences to relate to whether through the curriculum or to use in their writing and PHSE
4. Reading for pleasure was embedded through school to encourage a love of reading. Reading scores have increased and gaps have reduced (apart from KS2 SATs)
5. Maths pedagogy was improved and a mastery approach was developed through school, the maths hub supported us with this.
6. 1:1 tuition and small group tuition happening with identified children whose gaps were significant on return to work
7. Technology was purchased to support our children
8. Targeted use of teaching assistants to support in the gap filling for the children was developed and orange time was used in maths a similar approach was used in English too. This needs to go to the wider curriculum where teachers have a TA

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
Zones of regulation training	SAP
AET	Autism education trust
Trauma informed schools	Educational psychology service

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?	Speech and language support in the foundation stage
What was the impact of that spending on service pupil premium eligible pupils?	Speech and language has improved

Further information (optional)

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.