



Westfield School

Pupil Premium Spending Plan 2017/18

Pupil Premium allocation 2017/18 = £40,040

What is Pupil Premium?

The Pupil Premium is additional funding given to schools to support particular groups of pupils who are known to be at risk of underachievement and to close the attainment gap between them and their peers. The Pupil Premium is allocated to schools for pupils, in Years R to 11, who are known to be eligible for free school meals (FSM) or who have been eligible for FSM in the past six years (Ever 6).

What are the barriers?

The barriers and challenges that disadvantaged pupils face at Westfield are varied – there is no single difficulty faced by all. However as a school we have identified the following as key indicators:

- Attendance
- Meeting individual needs—Stretch for HA
- Behaviour
- Lack of parental engagement

Attendance—ESBAS £2,000

Attendance is an important part of school. If children miss key elements of their education it effects their progress and attainment. Therefore, at Westfield we work relentlessly to improve the attendance of all our Pupils rewards.

Improve individual experiences £19,887

To support our School development focus on maths, we have brought a subscription to Mathletics to enable all children to experience the fun and joy of paying maths games, whilst also support home learning and maths fluency. We have also invested in a maths mastery scheme—Inspire and are working as part of a TRG to ensure all our teachers identify the gaps quickly and then plan focus groups and pre-teaching activities to close the gaps.

SEN—TA Maths training Nurture—Thrive

Increased opportunities for Greater depth £16,000

In October we will be employing a HLTA who will be deployed to work with our PP children, she will identify individual needs of the children and work with them on a 1:1 basis or in small group work.

Residential trips and school visits. £2,000

We believe in the educational value in trips and outings to bring the curriculum alive. All of our pupils experience these wider opportunities across the year and in every year group.

EFT—Education Futures Trust £1,000

Having opportunities outside the classroom, which enable the children to experience new ideas, is an important part of our school vision. Through our work with the EFT, we participate in an aspirational Ambassadors Project and have therapeutic story time in school.

Improve parental engagement £6,000

Working with our parents, to enable them to support and inspire their children to learn, is vital in developing a child's love of learning. We have dedicated a proportion of our funding towards encouraging our parents to take part in their children's education, through ground force days, child as the expert afternoons, Triple P sessions and coffee mornings.

Training and Nurture £9,400

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PDA

Thrive—subscription and training

Individualised support £6,012

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