

Southery Academy – Pupil Premium Report

2015-16

What is the Pupil Premium Grant (PPG)?

The grant was introduced in April 2011. It is allocated funding from the Government for low income families who have been eligible for free school meals (FSM) during the last six years or for children who have been looked after (in the care of the local authority) for more than 6 months.

Overview of school funding

Number of Pupils and Pupil Premium Grant Received 2013/14 Budget	
Pupils eligible for Pupil Premium	30 FSM
Total	£27000
Number of Pupils and Pupil Premium Grant Received 2014/15 Budget	
Pupils eligible for Pupil Premium	30 FSM
Total	£39000
Number of Pupils and Pupil Premium Grant Received 2015/16 Budget	
Pupils eligible for Pupil Premium	35 FSM 2 Service
Total	£46800
Number of Pupils and Pupil Premium Grant Received 2016/17 Budget	
Pupils eligible for Pupil Premium	24 FSM 2 Service
Total	£31680

Principles

At Southery Primary

- We ensure that teaching and learning opportunities meet the needs of all 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 such 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 eligible for Free School Meals.
- 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 any one time.

Provision

The range of provision the school used the PPG allocation in 2015-16 for included:

- Providing intervention for individuals and small group support by TA's to help overcome gaps in learning.
- Whole staff training
- Subsidising teaching and learning opportunities to enable access to wider cultural experiences.
- Providing resources to support intervention work for small groups.
- Employing TA's and Tutors to deliver the small group activities and 1-1 tuition.
- Employing teaching staff to enable classes to have a more manageable breadth of achievement.

Impact

The impact of the Pupil Premium in academic year 2014-15

Pupils have greatly benefitted from the specific interventions, the enrichment of the curriculum and the general support on offer.

- TA employed with PPG to work with children has engaged with 24 children in a variety of roles including literacy support, maths support and gifted and talented provision.
- Children in Years 4, 5, and 6 were supported by a 1-1 tuition tutor to close gaps rapidly and ensure expected progress made.
- Year 6 results for 2015 indicated that all children in receipt of PPG had made expected progress and in many areas exceeded the achievement of the peers and national levels.
- PPG pupil in EYFS attained a Good Level of Development
- PPG pupils in Year 2 SATS achieved Level 2+ in all subjects.

- Across key stage two progress was measured in three areas of reading, writing and maths. 22 children attracted PPG and of these 73% are on track to get Level 4+ at end of Key Stage 2. 100% are on track to make 2 levels progress in reading and writing and 82% in maths make better than expected progress.

Allocation of 2015/16 funding

£46800 approx allocated as follows:

- £10000 to provide Teaching Assistant hours to lead targeted intervention either in class or in small groups.
- £22000 to employ teacher – mornings only
- £500 Training for Catch up numeracy and resource.
- £2000 contribution towards the purchase of updated reading materials to support PPG pupils
- £1600 allocated to specialist support for PPG children including Ed Psych etc.
- £2500 contribution to access to high quality languages teaching
- £3000 1-1 tuition for 15 pupils over the course of the year
- £1800 enrolment in the Achievement for All programme – focus on key groups who include several PPG pupils.
- £1500 to support PPG pupil access to trips/extra-curricular activities e.g residential/music lessons
- £1500 training for staff in Family Support Process.

Full impact of this funding to be assessed at the end of the financial and academic year.