



## **Introduction about Pupil Premium**

The Pupil Premium is additional funding given to schools so that they can support particular groups of pupils who are known to be at risk of underachievement and close the attainment gap between them and their peers.

The Pupil Premium is allocated to schools for pupils, in Years R to 11, that are known to be eligible for free school meals (FSM) or who have been eligible for FSM in the past six years. Pupil Premium is also allocated for children who have been looked after by the local authority (CLA) continuously for more than six months. In East Sussex Pupil Premium for CLA is managed by the Virtual School for Children in Care.

The Pupil Premium was £623 per pupil in 2012/13, £900 per pupil in 2013/14, £1300 per pupil in 2014/15, £1320 per pupil in 2015/16 and £1320 per pupil in 2016/17. A premium is also paid for children who have/have had a parent serve in the Armed Forces (Service Pupil). In 2012/13 the Service Pupil Premium was £250, and then it was £300 in 2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16 and 2016/17.

In the 2017 to 2018 financial year, schools will receive £1,320 for those pupils in reception year to year 6 who are registered as eligible for free school meals at any point in the last 6 years, and £300 for Service Pupils.

More information is available on the Department for Education website.

<http://www.education.gov.uk/schools/pupilsupport/premium>

### **Our School**

Alfriston is a small primary school with four mixed-aged classes. The percentage of pupils currently (Sept 2017) eligible for Pupil Premium is 9.5%.



# Looking back

## How much Pupil Premium we received last academic year

For the academic year 2016-2017 we received £12,180

## How we spent the money

<b>Record of Pupil Premium Grant Expenditure 2016-2017</b>			
<b>Item/Project</b>	<b>Cost</b>	<b>Objective</b>	<b>Outcome</b>
Nessy computer programme – reading, spelling & maths	£286	To increase confidence and improve skills used for reading, spelling and maths.	This has had a significant impact on individuals with specific needs. Progress has been clearly evidenced in Intervention Files.
School and Residential Trips Sports & PE Clubs	£1700	To enable Pupil Premium children to experience extra-curricular activities.	PP children have been fully included in school trips and/or extra-curricular activities.
Staff training, including local and national updates	£894	To continue to ensure high quality staff who are adequately trained to improve the outcomes of all the children.	Class inclusion files, provision maps and observations have indicated effective deployment and good progress.
Staff time & resources to support targeted pupils	£8880	To enable further support for individual children.	All resources in place to support the interventions and pupils in class.
CLASS (Communication, Learning & Autism Support Service)	£420	To provide specialist support for individual pupils when necessary.	This was required and was very effective, enabling the child to progress and for staff to understand what support was necessary.



## **Looking ahead**

### **How much Pupil Premium we will receive this year**

For the academic year 2017-2018 we will receive £12,480

### **How we plan to spend the money**

<b>Record of Pupil Premium Grant Expenditure 2017-18</b>			
<b>Item/Project</b>	<b>Cost</b>	<b>Objective</b>	<b>Outcome</b>
Nessy computer programme – reading, spelling & maths	£356	To increase confidence and improve skills used for reading, spelling and maths.	
School and Residential Trips Sports & PE Clubs	£1850	To enable Pupil Premium children to experience extra-curricular activities.	
Staff training, including local and national updates	£3420	To continue to ensure high quality staff who are adequately trained to improve the outcomes of all the children.	
Staff time & resources to support targeted pupils	£6434	To enable further support for individual children.	
CLASS (Communication, Learning & Autism Support Service)	£420	To provide specialist support for individual pupils when necessary.	