



20<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

## Pupil Premium Entitlement

Pupil Premium is additional funding that school can receive to support those students who are or have been entitled to Free School Meals in the last six years. Entitlement to Free School Meals is based on the Parent/Carer receiving any of the following:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (as long as you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Universal Credit

Children on Pupil Premium are entitled to free school trips.

We also use the Pupil Premium grant in a number of other ways, whilst ensuring it is carefully targeted for those eligible children in order to help them achieve their potential both academically and socially.

The main ways we spend the money are:

- To part fund provision of smaller group teaching by both teachers and teaching assistants
- To support our funding of specialist art and music/performance teachers
- To fund the provision of specific resources to support and improve achievement
- To fund the provision of support for non-academic interventions to help increase self-esteem, develop social skills, improve relationships, confidence etc
- To subsidise extracurricular activities, visitors and performers to school

If you think you are entitled to Pupil Premium school can check your eligibility- please complete [this Google Form](#).

Kind regards,

Craig Taylor

School Business Manager