

# Alderman Bolton Community Primary School

## Pupil Premium

### Pupil Premium Statement 2017 – 2018

At Alderman Bolton Community Primary School we have high aspirations and ambitions for all our children and we believe that no child should be left behind. We are determined that every child should be given the chance to realise their full potential, whatever their background. Pupil premium represents a significant proportion of our budget and this statement outlines how it is spent to maximum effect.

- We seek to ensure that teaching and learning opportunities meet the needs of all of the pupils
- All staff are involved in the analysis of data so that they are fully aware of strengths and weaknesses across the school
- All pupil premium children benefit from the funding, not just those who are underperforming

#### What is Pupil Premium?

Pupil premium is additional funding, from the government, provided to schools for supporting pupils from low income families and from other categories (See below). Research shows that pupils from deprived backgrounds underachieve compared to their non-deprived peers. The premium is provided to enable schools to 'close the gap' in attainment. In the 2016 - 2017 financial year the indicative budget is £ 158,400.

#### Pupil Premium Categories and Principles

There are three categories of children that qualify for pupil premium:

- Children who are eligible for free school meals (FSM)
- Looked after children
- Armed forces children

#### What can schools spend it on?

Schools have the freedom to spend the Premium, in a way they think will best support the raising of attainment for the most vulnerable pupils.

All our staff and governors are committed to meeting **ALL** our children's pastoral, social and academic needs within a caring environment. The targeted and strategic use of pupil premium will support us in achieving our vision.

## What are the main barriers to educational achievement?

The main barrier to educational achievement at this school is the low level of achievement on entry, attendance and the emotional well-being of pupils.

Our key objective in using the Pupil Premium Grant is to narrow the gap between pupil groups by:

- Raising attendance and improving well-being
- Raising attainment
- Extending opportunities

## An Outline of our Provision for 2017 -2018 £163,991

Where the pupil premium will be spent	
<b>Speech and language</b> £14,000	Speech therapy consultancy and resources, teaching assistants working on small group/individual interventions, training and resources. TAs to deliver Johansen therapy, narrative therapy, Talk boost and talking tables interventions. Support from external therapist to screen and provide programmes for pupils with speech and language difficulties.
<b>To raise attainment in reading</b> £26,000	FFT wave 3 intervention Better reading project Project X code reading intervention TA intervention for early reading Consultant sessions.
<b>One to One tuition</b> £23,083	3 x 1:1 tutors across KS1 and KS2. Tutors working with identified pupils from school tracking to address gaps in learning.
<b>Play Therapy</b> £8,000	Play therapist every afternoon working with targeted pupils.
<b>Nurture Group</b> £14,895	KS1 nurture group sessions. Developing confidence and self- esteem for targeted children.
<b>Learning mentor</b> £17,444	Support emotional and social behaviour. Improve self-esteem, confidence and develop learning behaviours.
<b>Pupil welfare</b> £14,395	Attendance support. Advice and support for vulnerable pupils.
<b>Educational Visits</b> £16,000	Children to access termly educational visits and one residential visit per year from year 2-6
<b>More Able booster</b> £3000	Additional opportunities for more able pupils to extend learning.
<b>Attendance club</b> £3,800	Targeted pupils to attend breakfast club to improve attendance and punctuality and

	provide opportunities for developing confidence, self-esteem and ensure children enter school ready to learn.
<b>Targeted maths intervention</b> £12,500	Daily intervention sessions for KS1 and lower KS2 to help close the attainment gap.
<b>Lunchtime provision</b> £4000	Range of lunchtime clubs and activities provided for targeted children to improve confidence, self-esteem in small numbers.
<b>Extra -curricular activities</b> £4000	A range of extra -curricular clubs to extend opportunities and experiences
<b>Total Expenditure</b>	<b>£161,117</b>