



Pupil premium strategy statement

This statement details our school's use of pupil premium funding to help improve the attainment of our disadvantaged pupils.

It outlines our pupil premium strategy, how we intend to spend the funding and the effect that last year's spending of pupil premium had within our school.

### **School overview**

| Detail   | Data                                |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| School name  | Cloverlea Primary                   |
| Number of pupils in school   | 199                                 |
| Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils  | 7%                                  |
| Academic year/years that our current pupil premium strategy plan covers (3 year plans are recommended) | 2021/2022<br>2022/2023<br>2023/2024 |
| Date this statement was updated  | October 2023                        |
| Date on which it will be reviewed  | October 2024                        |
| Statement authorised by  | Carole Partington                   |
| Pupil premium lead   | Chris McConnell                     |
| Governor / Trustee lead  | Carole Partington                   |

### **Funding overview**

| Detail   | Amount     |
|--|------------|
| Pupil premium funding allocation this academic year          | £22,835.00 |
| Recovery premium funding allocation this academic year       | £0         |
| Pupil premium funding carried forward from previous<br>years | £O         |
| Total budget for this academic year                          | £22,835.00 |





### Part A: Pupil premium strategy plan

### **Statement of intent**

Our ultimate objectives are:

To narrow the attainment gap between disadvantaged and non-disadvantaged pupils.

For all disadvantaged pupils in school to make or exceed nationally expected progress rates.

To support our children's health and wellbeing to enable them to access learning at an appropriate level.

We aim to do this through

Ensuring that teaching and learning opportunities meet the needs of all the pupils Ensuring that appropriate provision is made for pupils who belong to vulnerable groups,

When making provision for socially disadvantaged 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 registered or qualify for free school meals. We reserve the right to allocate the Pupil Premium funding to support any pupil or groups of pupils the school has legitimately identified as being socially disadvantaged.

Pupil premium funding allocated following a needs analysis, which identifies priority classes, groups or individuals.

Achieving these objectives:

The range of provision the Governors consider making for this group include and would not be inclusive of:

Ensuring all teaching is good or better thus ensuring that the quality of teaching experienced by all children is improved.

To allocate a 'Catch Up' Teaching Assistant to each KS1/2 - providing small group work focussed on overcoming gaps in learning

1-1 support

Additional teaching and learning opportunities provided through school or external agencies

All our work through the pupil premium will be aimed at accelerating progress, moving children to at least age-related expectations.

Pupil premium resources are to be used to target able children on Free School Meals to achieve Age Related Expectations

Additional learning support.

Support payment for activities, educational visits and residentials. Ensuring children have first-hand experiences to use in their learning in the classroom. Behaviour support





### Challenges

This details the key challenges to achievement that we have identified among our disadvantaged pupils.

| Challenge<br>number | Detail of challenge  |
|---------------------|--|
| 1                   | Enhance parental engagement in Reading                                 |
| 2                   | Narrowing the attainment gap across RWM                                |
| 3                   | Increase number of children achieving secure/greater depth in writing. |
| 4                   | Behaviour/SEMH difficulties.   |
| 5                   | Ensure access to rich and varied experiences                           |
| 6                   | Attendance and Punctuality issues.                                     |

### **Intended outcomes**

This explains the outcomes we are aiming for **by the end of our current strategy plan**, and how we will measure whether they have been achieved.

| Intended outcome               | Success criteria   |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Progress in Reading            | Achieve national average progress scores in KS2 Reading  |
| Progress in Writing            | Achieve national average progress scores in KS2 Writing  |
| Progress in Mathematics        | Achieve national average progress scores in KS2 Maths  |
| ARE in writing                 | Achieve national average for ARE in writing  |
| Other                          | Ensure attendance of disadvantaged pupils is above 96%   |
| Improved attitudes to learning | Improved attitudes towards learning and self<br>– evidence in Bounce surveys and<br>interventions. |





### Activity to date

This details how we intend to spend our pupil premium to address the challenges listed above.

### **Teaching (for example, CPD, recruitment and retention)**

Budgeted cost: £ 5,000

| Activity  | Evidence that supports this approach  | Challenge<br>number(s)<br>addressed |
|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| Staff meeting looking at internal progress data   | Class teachers are aware which pupil<br>premium children in their classes did<br>not make good progress last academic<br>year and can identify these children as<br>'target' children.  | 1,2,3                               |
| Embedding and<br>enhancing phonics catch<br>up in KS2. Designated TA<br>time for KS2 catch up<br>phonics  | EEF – Phonics +5<br>Contribution to resources needed to<br>implement new phonics system.  | 1, 2                                |
| The teacher in charge<br>of SEND and the PP<br>team will work<br>together to identify any<br>support staff who would<br>benefit from further<br>CPD e.g. TTSA | EEF – TA Interventions<br>Staff who feel skilled and confident<br>leading an intervention will see better<br>progress from the children.<br>TAs increase in confidence with<br>monitoring and evaluating interventions<br>and evaluate which strategies lead to<br>good progress. | 2,3                                 |





Targeted academic support (for example, tutoring, one-to-one support structured interventions)

Budgeted cost: £ 12,000

| Activity  | Evidence that supports this approach  | Challenge<br>number(s)<br>addressed |
|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| Reading interventions<br>The upkeep of the library<br>and accessible and<br>appropriate texts to meet<br>needs. | EEF – Reading Comprehension<br>Strategies +6<br>Higher attainment in reading indicates<br>better life chances<br>Reading a wide variety of genres will<br>support vocabulary acquisition  | 1,2,3                               |
| Pupil progress<br>meetings with teachers  | EEF- Collaborative Learning<br>Approaches +5<br>Time for ongoing professional dialogues<br>regarding further support for these<br>children will help to keep this a priority.<br>There is a collected responsibility for PP<br>children's progress in order to make<br>accelerated progress. Staff will know<br>who they are; their barriers to learning<br>and any strategies needed to meet their<br>educational and emotional needs. | 1,2,3,4,6                           |
| TA3 intervention groups   | EEF - Small Group Tuition +4<br>Experienced practitioners work with the<br>most vulnerable children so that they<br>are getting quality personalised support  | 2,3                                 |

## Wider strategies (for example, related to attendance, behaviour, wellbeing)

/Budgeted cost: £ 6,795

| Activity  | Evidence that supports this approach   | Challenge<br>number(s)<br>addressed |
|---|--|-------------------------------------|
| Exciting trips and visits<br>will be planned to<br>enhance the curriculum;<br>including a residential | EEF - Outdoor Adventure Learning +4<br>Children exposed to these have an<br>enhanced knowledge and<br>understanding of the world. When | 4, 5                                |
| for Y4-6  | finance isn't a factor for families, they  |                                     |

|   | almost always want their children to  |       |
|---|---|-------|
|   | experience these  |       |
| Pupil surveys and   | EEF - Social and Emotional Learning +4  | 4     |
| subsequent support.<br>Teachers/TAs support<br>children who are having<br>difficulty accessing<br>learning through<br>behavioural issues,<br>using resources such<br>as ELSA.                                   | Social and Emotional Learning –<br>interventions which target social and<br>emotional learning seek to improve<br>pupil's interaction with others and self-<br>management of emotions. SEL<br>interventions might focus on the ways in<br>which students work with (and<br>alongside) their peers, teachers, family<br>and community. These include<br>specialised programmes, which target<br>students with particular social or<br>emotional needs. |       |
| To add resources to aid social and emotional  |   |       |
| learning  | EEF - Social and Emotional Learning +4  | 4     |
|   | A comfortable and<br>calming pastoral area in which to<br>conduct BOUNCE/Well Being groups.   |       |
| Peripatetic instrumental  | EEF - Arts Participation +4   | 4, 5  |
| lessons   | Children who are able to follow their<br>hobbies and passions without finance<br>being a barrier will be able to foster their<br>love of music, raising their self-esteem   |       |
| The school library<br>effectively resourced to<br>make it an<br>exciting and fun place<br>to read. Soft furnishings<br>will make the space feel<br>cosy and less formal to<br>encourage reading for<br>pleasure | EEF – Reading Comprehension<br>Strategies +6<br>Children who enjoy reading are<br>motivated to read more frequently and<br>make better progress   | 2,4,5 |
| Engaging with families  | Parental Engagement +4<br>Use of social media to promote class<br>learning.<br>Class Dojo to ensure effective<br>communication.<br>Parental voice sought for subject<br>development and pupil passports.  | 1-6   |

### Total budgeted cost: £ 22,835.00





# Part B: Review of outcomes in the previous academic year

### Pupil premium strategy outcomes

This details the impact that our pupil premium activity has had on pupils.

Where our internal assessments show that our disadvantaged pupils have made expected progress in the key areas of the curriculum (core) we endeavour to consolidate and further enhance strategies taken. Reading and Maths show particular strength whereas writing, including punctuation and grammar show areas for focus and improvement. To be noted, the curriculum and intervention and inclusion are key areas of focus on our current school improvement plan so we hope to address this and see improvement this coming academic year (2023-2024).

Overall attendance in 2022/23 was 95% which is line with local and national data. Data indicates that attendance of disadvantaged pupils is comparable to that of nondisadvantaged pupils. Attendance is monitored as part of our pupil premium plan.

Our assessments and observations indicated that pupil behaviour, wellbeing and mental health are still impacted. We have used pupil premium funding to provide wellbeing support for all pupils, and targeted interventions where required. We are building on that approach with the activities detailed in this plan.





## **Further information (optional)**

### Additional activity

Our pupil premium strategy has been supplemented by additional activities that has not been funded by pupil premium or recovery premium. We have been offering a wide range of high-quality extracurricular activities to boost wellbeing, behaviour, attendance, and aspiration. These activities have focused on building life skills such as confidence, resilience, and socialising. Disadvantaged pupils have been encouraged and supported to participate. Pupil premium pupils have been offered free places at extra-curricular activities and families have been given a financial contribution towards school trips and residentials.

#### Planning, implementation, and evaluation

In planning our new pupil premium strategy, we evaluated activities undertaken in previous years and the degree of impact.

We triangulated evidence from multiple sources of data including assessments, engagement in class book scrutiny, conversations with parents, students and teachers in order to identify the challenges faced by disadvantaged pupils.

We used the <u>EEF's implementation guidance</u> to help us develop our strategy. We will continue to use it through the implementation of activities.

We have put a robust evaluation framework in place for the duration of our three-year approach and will adjust our plan over time to secure better outcomes for pupils.