

St John's Upper Holloway CE Primary



Pupil premium statement 2020-21

For the financial year 2019-20 St John’s Upper Holloway CE Primary School has been allocated **£107,600** Pupil Premium funding.

This is calculated based on funding of £1,345 for each child registered as eligible for free school meals at any point in the last 6 years. We also receive £1900 for and children who are ‘Looked After’ (LAC).

There are a number of factors that we consider to be barriers to learning at St John’s and much of the funding is aimed at overcoming these barriers. These include:

- *Entering school at levels below that expected for their age.* As a small school, there are often quite marked differences from one cohort to the next. In most years, our disadvantaged pupils enter Nursery and Reception class at a level below their peers. We also have a high level of special needs in many year groups and this often overlaps with those pupils who are in receipt of pupil premium. We therefore aim to provide early support for these pupils when they start school.
- *Deprivation factor-* The school’s deprivation factor of 0.3 places us in the top 20% of schools in terms of deprivation
- *Mobility-* Our mobility of pupils is around 20% which also places us in the top 20% of schools nationally.
- *Behavioural, Mental and Social health and wellbeing needs-* Many of our children and families have challenges with routines, parenting capacity, mental health, and managing emotions.
- *Attendance and punctuality-* in 2019-20 (up to 20th March 2020) our attendance was 95.1%. However, a disproportionate number of our disadvantaged families have poor attendance and punctuality and this was identified as a priority in our Ofsted inspection in 2017. In 2019-20 attendance was 94.1% for this group. Attendance data was lower for both the whole school and disadvantaged pupil groups due to families keeping children at home from the onset of the Covid 19 pandemic.
- *Diversity* – the majority of our pupils are from a very wide range of ethnic backgrounds with a large number having English as a second language (22%)

Our planned expenditure for 2020-21 is highlighted below

Form of support	Estimated cost	Targeted outcomes	Monitoring
Additional TA support within classrooms to support focus pupils with all aspects of learning, including targeted intervention programmes	£84,000	Good or better progress across a range of subjects but with a primary focus on reading, writing and maths. Increased confidence within pupils and a clear understanding of what they need to work on further as a result of oral feedback and marking. Targeted 1:1 or small group support for specific aspects of reading, writing or maths.	Termly tracking sheets for all pupil premium children. Termly pupil progress review meetings. Weekly meetings between the class teacher and TA to discuss provision and progress for focus pupils. Half termly meetings between the inclusion leader and class teachers to focus on the impact of interventions, including for those children who are

			disadvantaged and/or SEND,
Specialist support for pupils identified as having dyslexia/dyscalculia	£11,800	Working with the Hampstead dyslexia clinic to provide pupil assessments and specialist 1:1 weekly support. Dyslexia teacher to also liaise with the class teacher and parents to support their work in class and at home. Pupils make good or better progress and can talk about strategies they can use to help them with their learning.	Regular meetings between specialist teacher and inclusion leader. Termly tracking sheets for all pupil premium children. Half termly PP review meetings. Termly pupil progress review meetings.
Free breakfast and after school provision	£2,100	Improved attendance Greater enjoyment of school, including development of self-confidence and strengthening of relationships with other pupils and adults.	Termly review with head and SBM. Termly tracking sheets for all pupil premium children. Termly pupil progress review meetings.
Subsidised educational visits including school journey for Year 6.	£2,500	Extended learning opportunities from both the trips and the follow up activities in class.	Termly review with head and SBM. Termly tracking sheets for all pupil premium children. Termly pupil progress review meetings.
Home school support worker	£7,200	Work with the school staff and parents to ensure excellent attendance and punctuality. Work with focus parents to offer support around a range of areas including training and education, returning to work, bereavement, financial advice etc.	Half termly report to the leadership team and governors outlining the focus and impact of her support.

**The total cost of this provision is £107,600 We review our strategy for how we used the premium through our governors' curriculum and standards committee
Information on how we spent last year's pupil premium and the impact this had on pupil outcomes can be found in the appendix of our Pupil premium Policy October 2020.**