

# Pupil premium strategy statement – Eaton Primary School

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

It outlines our pupil premium strategy, how we intend to spend the funding in this academic year and the outcomes for disadvantaged pupils last academic year.

## School overview

Detail	Data
Number of pupils in school	160
Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils	15%
Academic year/years that our current pupil premium strategy plan covers ( <b>3 year plans are recommended</b> )	2024-2027
Date this statement was published	September 2024
Date on which it will be reviewed	September 2025
Statement authorised by	Andrew Davies, Executive Headteacher
Pupil premium lead	Liam Wright, Assistant Headteacher
Governor / Trustee lead	Sarah Morton, Vice Chair

## Funding overview

Detail	Amount
Pupil premium funding allocation this academic year	£12,465
Recovery premium funding allocation this academic year	
Pupil premium (and recovery premium*) funding carried forward from previous years ( <i>enter £0 if not applicable</i> )  <i>*Recovery premium received in academic year 2021 to 2022 can be carried forward to academic year 2022 to 2023. Recovery premium received in academic year 2022 to 2023 cannot be carried forward to 2023 to 2024.</i>	
<b>Total budget for this academic year</b>  <i>If your school is an academy in a trust that pools this funding, state the amount available to your school this academic year</i>	

# Part A: Pupil premium strategy plan

## Statement of intent

Our intention is that every child achieves their full potential whilst they are here at Eaton, irrespective of their starting point or barriers to learning. Our Pupil Premium Strategy Plan is designed to support all our disadvantaged pupils in order that they achieve the highest outcomes academically and that they flourish as individuals.

High-quality teaching is at the heart of our approach. This is proven to have the greatest impact on closing the attainment gap and at the same time, will greatly benefit those children who are not disadvantaged. In addition, we will provide personalised support, based on individual need, as a result of our thorough and comprehensive knowledge of these pupils, as individuals.

The key principles of our strategy plan are:

- Staff know the children well as individuals and make accurate assessment of the children's progress; gaps in knowledge and skills; and their well-being.
- Through high-quality teaching and learning, pupils are appropriately challenged and supported in all lessons.
- Pupils' emotional needs are met, so that they can flourish and learn.
- All staff take responsibility for meeting the needs of disadvantaged pupils and have the highest expectations of them in regard to outcomes.

## Challenges

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

Challenge number	Detail of challenge
1	Pupils not experiencing wider opportunities outside of school
2	Social and emotional challenges
3	Academic support at home

## 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
High outcomes for all pupils. Our PP pupils achieve high academic standards across all subjects	All pupils achieve at least in line with National non-PP pupils
Pupils' emotional needs are met, so that they can flourish academically and enjoy strong relationships with their peers and adults in school. Their emotional well-being is supported and promoted so that they have resilience, are emotionally ready to learn and are engaged during lessons	All pupils achieve at least in line with non-PP pupils nationally. They are happy and resilient.

## Activity in this academic year

This details how we intend to spend our pupil premium (and recovery premium) funding **this academic year** to address the challenges listed above.

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

Budgeted cost: £ 9,489 (actual school contribution greater than this)

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Maintaining small, single-aged classes in Years 1,2 and 3. Maintaining the strong, experienced teachers in the other year groups. Including the recent year 4 position.	More adult support per child. Smaller class size results in more personalised learning.  <i>EEF research shows that reduced class sizes can impact pupils' progress positively by 3 months.</i>	3

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

Budgeted cost: £ 1326

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Pastoral Support	<p>ELSA will support pupils' well-being and emotional wellness so that they are ready and able to learn</p> <p><b><i>EEF research shows that social and emotional support can impact pupils' progress positively by 4 months.</i></b></p>	2

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

Budgeted cost: £ 1,650

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Outdoor learning / enrichment (visits / trips / residential)	<p>As a result of these opportunities, pupils' self-esteem, confidence and skills are developed and improved so that they are able to tackle challenging learning more readily and ultimately fulfil their potential.</p> <p><b><i>EEF research shows that outdoor adventure and learning can impact pupils' progress positively by 4 months.</i></b></p>	1, 2 and 3

**Total budgeted cost: £ 12,465**

## Part B: Review of the previous academic year

### Outcomes for disadvantaged pupils

We use a range of sources of information when assessing outcomes for our Pupil Premium pupils including End of Key Stage performance data; Phonics check results; our own internal assessments; and questionnaires, observations and our knowledge of the pupils in assessing their wellbeing and mental health. We also analyse their attendance.

Because our Pupil Premium cohort is relatively small, we track our pupils individually, to ensure that every child is fulfilling their individual potential. We do compare their performance to that of their non-Pupil Premium peers and also to National data for both PP and non-PP pupils. We also, however track them as individuals as they move through school to ensure that each year and over time, they are not underperforming relevant to their own potential.

Last academic year, the majority of our PP pupils performed well, both individually and when compared to their non-PP peers. In some year groups, they outperformed their non-PP peers in all subjects. Where pupils didn't perform as well as expected, measures were put in place to support these pupil. Most PP pupils are on track to meet the intended outcomes detailed in this document. Some, however are not, and our strategy will support these pupils.

Outcomes for our Year 6 leavers last year were:

	Y6 Pupils eligible for PP Summer 2024 (3 pupils)	National Average All Pupils 2022
% achieving expected standard in reading	66%	74%
% achieving expected standard in writing	66%	69%
% achieving expected standard in Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar	66%	72%
% achieving expected standard in mathematics	33%	71%

## Externally provided programmes

Please include the names of any non-DfE programmes that you used your pupil premium (or recovery premium) to fund in the previous academic year.

Programme	Provider

## Service pupil premium funding (optional)

<i>For schools that receive this funding, you may wish to provide the following information: <b>How our service pupil premium allocation was spent last academic year</b></i>
<b>The impact of that spending on service pupil premium eligible pupils</b>

## Further information (optional)

*Use this space to provide any further information about your pupil premium strategy. For example, about your strategy planning, or other activity that you are implementing to support disadvantaged pupils, that is not dependent on pupil premium or recovery premium funding.*