



Pupil premium grant expenditure: 2013/14

Overview of the school

Number of pupils and pupil premium grant (PPG) received	
Total number of pupils on roll	611
Total number of pupils eligible for PPG	87
Amount of PPG received per pupil	£900
Total amount of PPG received	£78300

Nature of support 2013/14
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improve use of email as means of communicating with parents/carers • Hold annual Parents Forum • Additional support from Teaching Assistants in the classroom • Specialist nurture group provision in Years 7 and 8 • Transition visits to feeder Primary Schools in Year 6 – Summer 2014 • Paired reading programme (KS3 students mentored by Y11 readers) • Small group tuition • Breakfast facility • Lunchtime & after-school clubs • KS4 Progress Mentoring programme • Therapeutic Intervention for targeted groups of students

Curriculum focus of PPG spending 2013/14

- Wide range of visits and visitors to the school planned – Learning outside the classroom programme
- Implement Behaviour for Learning project
- Staff training in providing high-quality feedback and developing Assessment for Learning strategies
- Implement Year 7 Literacy project
- Fund Literacy Training programme
- Enhanced staffing in Y7 – Y9 to run small group intervention and catch up
- Some personalised teaching provision in KS4
- Timetabling some smaller teaching groups.

Measuring the impact of PPG spending

- We have a monitoring programme which evaluates the impact on each student at the end of each term.
- Our evaluation focuses on academic gains and how students' self-confidence has developed as a consequence of the intervention.