

Castleton & Glaisdale Primary Schools

Pupil Premium Statement

Introduction

The pupil premium is additional funding for publicly funded schools in England to raise the attainment of disadvantaged pupils and close the gap between them and their peers. The premium is allocated to schools for children of eligible school age from low-income families who are: -

- Currently registered for free school meals (FSM) or have been in receipt of FSM at any time
- In the past 6 years (known as the Ever 6 FSM measure.)
- Looked-after children and eligible pupils adopted from care or leaving local authority care
- under a special guardianship or residence order
- Parents who are currently serving in the armed forces.
- Early Years Pupil Premium is also available to schools with a Nursery class to support disadvantaged three and four year olds.

Schools are free to spend the Pupil Premium as they see fit, but are held accountable, and must report on how the funding has been used to support these groups of children. Schools are required to publish online information about how the Premium has been used, and what impact it has had.

The Premium is received on a financial year basis but, reporting is required on an academic year basis.

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At Castleton and Glaisdale we realise that not all children who are eligible for free school meals are socially disadvantaged, and also that not all pupils who are socially disadvantaged will be registered for free school meals, be looked after or from service families. Therefore we allocate pupil premium funding on a needs basis where we identify priority groups or individuals. However, the purpose of the funding is to narrow the gap between eligible and non-eligible pupils, so the impact

of the expenditure must reflect a narrowing (and aspirational, closed) gap between those groups of children in terms of achievement.

Pupil premium is used to help fulfil our vision and aims for all children and provide additional help and support for those children and families, who may, at times, need something over and above our normal level of provision

Funding Allocation

In 2019/2020 funding allocated to our schools is as follows:

Category	Number of children and overall income	
	Castleton	Glaisdale
Free School Meals (FSM , Ever 6)	supressed	supressed
Service family	supressed	supressed
Looked after children	supressed	supressed
Early years	supressed	supressed
TOTAL	3620	9200

Publication of Small Cohorts

The Department of Education's policy is to suppress publication of figures relating to a cohort of **5 pupils or fewer**. This is intended to reduce the risk of individual pupils being identified from published data.

12,820 total

How we will spend our Pupil Premium 2019/2020				
Nature of Support	Support	Cost Implications		Impact
		Castleton	Glaisdale	
Music Lessons	Planned additional creative and musical activities	Music Lessons with Mr Cross £150	Music Lessons with Mr Cross £450	
Children are given high challenge and high support to achieve well. Children reach the challenging targets set by the school resulting in improved progress measures across school.	TA support to enable children to succeed in mixed age classes, with more direct support. Also intervention and pre-learning support	2000	5000	
An enriched curriculum provides opportunities for children to appreciate and learn about life far beyond their geographical reaches. Develop access to digital technology so they are prepared for the next stage in their life	Children enjoy learning at school and feel inspired to learn more. Over time this impacts positively on children's school attendance and academic progress.	New ipads to support learning £650 Enrichment activities to support the curriculum further £ 1000	New ipads to support learning £1000 Enrichment activities to support the curriculum further £2500	

Throughout the year we will continue to identify the needs of individual pupils and adapt our plans accordingly. The provision of Teaching Assistant support in class, booster classes and support for curriculum enrichment activities is likely to continue.

Our Pupil Premium Strategy will be reviewed termly.