

TTA PUPIL PREMIUM POLICY

2024/25

Overview

The Pupil Premium was introduced in April 2011 and paid by means of a specific grant based on school census figures for pupils registered as eligible for Free School Meals in reception to Year 11. This entitlement has now been extended to the 'Ever 6'. For looked after children, the Pupil Premium was calculated using the Looked After Children data returns (SSDA903). A premium has also been introduced for children whose parents are currently serving in the armed forces. This service premium is designed to address the emotional and social well-being of these pupils. Catch up funding has been added for pupils coming into Year 7 who did not reach the expected age-related grade in either reading or mathematics by the end of Year 6 and additional funding is also available for summer school to support transition of prior lower attainers into secondary school.

The Pupil Premium is additional to main school funding and will be used by The Totteridge Academy to address any underlying inequalities between children eligible by ensuring that funding reaches the pupils who need it most.

Objectives

1. The Pupil Premium will be used to provide additional educational support to improve the progress and to raise the standard of achievement for these pupils.
2. The funding will be used to narrow and close the gap between the achievement of these pupils and their peers locally and nationally.
3. The funding will reach the pupils who need it most, making a significant impact on their education and lives.

Further Information

1. The different Pupil Premium income streams will be clearly identifiable within the budget.
2. The Principal (and designated staff lead for Pupil Premium) will decide how the Pupil Premium is spent for the entitled pupils.
3. The Senior Leadership Team will assess what additional provision should be made for the individual pupils.
4. The Totteridge Academy will be accountable for how the additional funding issued to support the achievement of pupils covered by The Pupil Premium and the Principal (and designated staff lead) will report to the Governing Body and parents on how effective the intervention has been achieving its aims.
5. The Totteridge Academy will publish on the school website information about how we have used the premium.
6. The Totteridge Academy will ensure that parents, carers, governors and others are fully aware of the attainment of pupils covered by the Premium
7. The Totteridge Academy will seek to further development strategies and interventions which can improve the progress and attainment of Pupil Premium pupils.
8. The Totteridge Academy will encourage staff, both teaching and support to suggest innovative and creative strategies to support the progress of these pupils.


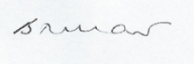
9. The Totteridge Academy will track the impact of the strategies put into place through the funding to ensure that we can show the value that has been added to the education of the entitled children.

10. The Totteridge Academy will monitor, evaluate and review the success of the impact of the Pupil Premium funding.

Outcomes

This policy will play an important part in the educational development of the individual pupils who are entitled to the Pupil Premium. The Totteridge Academy will ensure that these pupils are treated equally and that the additional funding is used well to address the challenges they face. The Totteridge Academy will use the additional funding to promote achievement and progress, and through wise use, we are committed in ensuring that all individual needs are met. As a result of the additional funding, the pupils who are entitled to the Pupil Premium will make better progress and achieve higher standards that would have been unlikely without it.

Signed off by:

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