

## **Swanwick School and Sports College – Pupil Premium Statement.**

Pupil Premium funding is additional money provided by The Government to “Raise achievement and narrow the gap between children of low-income and other disadvantaged families and their peers.”

- **Exactly who these pupils are, is determined by the following criteria:-**
- **All pupils who are eligible for free school meals (FSM);**
- **Any pupil who has been eligible for free school meals in the past 6 years (Ever 6 FSM);**
- **Pupils in Local Authority Care (LAC) who have been looked after for 1 day or more.**
- **Pupils whose parents are serving in the armed forces.**

The funding is paid to school in 4 instalments over the school year and is based on data provided in the January Census with “Ever 6 FSM” figures being provided to school by the DfE in February. It is for schools to decide how this Pupil Premium money is spent as they are best placed to assess what additional provision will bring the most benefit for their disadvantaged pupils.

All pupils that attend Swanwick School and Sports College have significant needs as detailed within their statements of SEN. According to current criteria at least 62% of pupils qualify for Pupil Premium.

When looking to “narrowing the gap”, Swanwick School and Sports College exists to narrow the gap between all of its’ pupils in mainstream education. So when spending Pupil Premium money to raise the achievement of Pupil Premium pupils, Swanwick School and Sports College will provide additional funding from its’ school budget to raise the achievement of the other pupils. In Practice this means we will keep an account of how all the Pupil Premium Money is spent along with records of all the extra ‘input’ given to each individual Pupil Premium pupil. At the same time School Assessment Data will be analysed in terms of Pupil Premium/Non-Pupil Premium pupils to monitor any ‘gap’. (though it must be said that with a school population of 79 any difference would not necessarily be statistically significant due to the small sample size).

- In April 2012 71% of pupils qualified for Pupil Premium.
- Swanwick School and Sports College received £26,000
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- Swanwick School and Sports College received £36,000
- In April 2014, 60% of pupils qualify for Pupil Premium
- Swanwick School and Sports College received £36,000.
- In April 2015, 62% of pupils qualify for Pupil Premium
- Swanwick School and Sports College received £40,320.

Swanwick School and Sports College is accountable for how this money has been spent and has to show how it has benefited all of the Pupil Premium pupils. The intention is to improve attendance, reduce exclusions, reduce the number of physical restraints, improve learning and attainment, improve behaviour/social skills and increase engagement within the Swanwick School and Sports College leading to successful transition to mainstream school or suitable further education provisions

### **Pupil Premium in 2011/12 was spent of ...**

- Financial support for educational trips and visits
- Financial support for extended day/residential activities focussed on, but not exclusive to Pupil Premium pupils.
- New outdoor adventure equipment including 10 new bikes, horse riding and D of E equipment.
- Rewards system providing incentives to all pupils, but especially Pupil Premium pupils.
- Introduction of new ICT equipment such as 10 new I pads.

### **The Impact of this was measured as follows:**

- Improved attendance for Pupils Premium pupils.
- Raised standards of attainment for Pupil Premium pupils
- Increased take-up for extended day activities

### **Pupil Premium in 2012/13 was spent on .... All the above...plus...**

- Introduction of Family Liaison Worker
- Employment of Lunch time PE supervisor
- New uniform given to all pupils free of charge

### **The impact of this was measured as follows: all the above ...plus...**

- The improved quality of work produced in lessons
- Improvement seen on links being built between parents/carers and school.
- Pupils felt a sense of community
- Detailed analysis of attendance
- Monitoring the success of all interventions in place
- Statistical analysis of all data to show that the 'gap' is narrowing.

### **Pupil Premium in 2013/14 will be spent on... all the above...plus...**

- CPD for senior staff in effective use of Pupil Premium funding.
- Positive Support staff. Over 80% of pupils accessing the Positive Support Scheme are Pupil Premium
- Breakfast Club is offered to all pupils on a daily basis free of charge.

### **The impact of this will be measured as follows; all the above...plus...**

- Whole school CPD on Pupil Premium
- Evaluation of Boxall profiles on pupils accessing Positive Support.

### **Pupil Premium in 2014/15 will be spent on... all the above...plus...**

- Identified Teaching Assistants in KS3 and KS4 with specific responsibility for supporting Pupil Premium in English.
- Implementation of new and improved reward system.

### **The impact of this will be measured as follows; all the above...plus...**

- Data analysis on reading/writing and speaking and listening.
- Student Council/voice.
- Data analysis on reward system.

