

## What support is given to pupils receiving Pupil Premium?

Our termly Achievement Meetings allow Senior leaders to share key information relating to pupils that receive Pupil Premium, with class teachers. All staff working in a year group are aware of the disadvantaged pupils that they should focus on. This information is included on planning documents and staff priorities these pupils in class when giving feedback or additional support. Beyond the classroom. These pupils are also prioritised for interventions led by our curriculum support team and given priority for assessment and support from external professionals. Information regarding free school meals and Pupil Premium is never shared with the children in school.

## How can I register my child for Pupil Premium or check their eligibility?

You can do this discretely through the school office by contacting Jane Hague. Jane can be contact by phone (0114 234 1379) or by email: [haguej@malinbridge.sheffield.sch.uk](mailto:haguej@malinbridge.sheffield.sch.uk). You will need to provide her with your National Insurance number and date of birth. If you wish you can apply yourself by visiting the Sheffield City Council website at: <http://tinyurl.com/kvxxwssf>



## Where can I find out more information?

There is more information on the following websites:

[www.malinbridgeprimary.co.uk/pupil-premium](http://www.malinbridgeprimary.co.uk/pupil-premium)

<http://tinyurl.com/jw6qc7e>

Alternatively, you can email Chris Hague to find out more:

[haguec@malinbridge.sheffield.sch.uk](mailto:haguec@malinbridge.sheffield.sch.uk)

# Pupil Premium

at Malin Bridge Primary School



The Government believes that Pupil Premium is the best way to address the current underlying inequalities between children eligible for free school meals and their wealthier peers by ensuring that funding to tackle disadvantage reaches the pupils who need it most'. It is also used to support children who have been adopted or who are 'looked-after'.



## Who is eligible for Pupil Premium funding?

If your child is eligible for Free School Meals they also qualify for Pupil Premium. You are eligible for Free School Meals if your child or children are **registered at a Sheffield School**, and you **receive child benefit** for the child or children and **you receive one of the following benefits:**

- Income Support
- Income Based Jobseekers Allowance or Employment and Support Allowance
- An income-related employment and support allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit, but not receiving Working Tax Credit, and your annual income does not exceed £16,190
- The guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- Parents receiving Working Tax Credit for four weeks after their employment finishes are entitled to free school meals during that period (this also applies to parents who start working less than 16 hours per week)
- You are not entitled to Free School Meals if you receive **Working Tax Credit.**

## What is Early Years Pupil Premium?

Early Years Pupil premium is additional funding for early years settings to improve the education that is provided. It is targeted at children between the ages of three and four. For every eligible child that is registered to receive Early Years Pupil Premium, the early years setting will receive £302 each year.



## What are the benefits of a child being registered to receive Pupil Premium?

Many children at our School are already registered to receive Pupil Premium and for **every eligible child that is registered to receive pupil premium the school receives £1,320 each year.**

This funding has helped us to make a number of improvements to the experience of all children, including those who qualify for pupil premium. The annual spending plan sets out for the year how the funding received will be used and each spending plan is evaluated by the Senior Leadership team. In addition to the many things we have already achieved we will support parents of children eligible for pupil premium by giving a **£50 discount, paid for by the pupil premium funding, on all residential visits.**

**In addition to the free school meals, all children registered to receive pupil premium are entitled to a free school meal each day.**

Currently, all reception and infant children are already entitled to a free school meal as part of the government's Universal Free School Meals offer. However, children are not entitled to free milk once they reach their fifth birthday.

We strongly advise all parents that meet the criteria for Free School Meals to apply for this status, even if your child is in Reception or infants because of the other financial benefits available, as mentioned above.

## Governors

The governing body has an important role in ensuring our school complies with legislation and that specific actions relating to Pupil Premium are implemented. We have a Pupil Premium Link Governor who meets termly with the Pupil Premium Leader to discuss the progress and attainment of pupils, progress against the action plan and outcomes from school self-evaluation.