

Academic Year 2013/14

What is Pupil Premium?

Pupil premium is additional funding given to schools in England to raise the attainment of disadvantaged pupils and close the gap between them and their peers.

It is paid to schools according to the number of pupils who have been:

- registered as eligible for free school meals at any point in the last 6 years
- been in care for 6 months or longer

St Joseph the Worker 97 pupils were eligible for Pupil Premium in 2013 - 2014. Funding for this academic year will be approximately £92441. School has received funding of £953.00 per primary
Areas targeted for Pupil Premium:

Projected funding	£92441
Attendance initiatives	£1,500
Educational Visits	£1,000
Breakfast Club	£4,500

KS1 pupils below ARE)
KS2 pupils below ARE)

TA support	£33,333
Targeted to interventions for specific groups	£26,472
2 x part time Learning Mentors	£25,636

Last year's pupil premium money was used to target relevant pupils at KS1 and KS2 who were falling below age related expectations in Literacy and Numeracy, and to intervene with pupils with poor attendance. As a result overall throughout the whole school there is no difference between the progress of FSM / non FSM groups.

The overall attainment gap between FSM and non FSM was reduced last year particularly in Maths.

At the end of KS2 value added scores show that FSM pupils' progress was similar to non FSM pupils.