

WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

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Pupil Premium - Explained

What is it?

Pupil Premium is funding paid by the Government directly to schools to raise the attainment of disadvantaged pupils of all abilities.

For each child eligible for Pupil Premium the school receives £1,320 per school year.

What are the benefits?

There are many benefits for both the child and the school these include:

- Additional funding to support learning, progress and overall achievement
- Small booster group tuition sessions
- Small group and 1:1 emotional support
- Play therapy with a qualified therapist where appropriate
- Support with learning and emotional needs through the purchase of extra
- internal resources
- 1:1 tuition where appropriate
- Free School Meals
- Heavily subsidised cost of educational visits, residential trips and music tuition
- Supported access to school clubs.

How do I know if I can apply for Pupil Premium?

To be eligible for Pupil Premium the family must be in receipt of one or more of the following benefits:

- Universal credit (provided you have a net income of £7400 or less)
- Income support
- Income-based jobseekers' allowance
- Income-related employment and support allowance

- Support under Part IV of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of state pension credit
- Child tax credit, provided that you are not also entitled to working tax credit and have an annual gross income of £16,190 or less

If your child qualifies for free school meals, it's important that you tell us - even if they're in Reception or KS1 and receive universal school meals or are in KS2 and take a packed lunch - as this enables us to claim pupil premium.

More information can be found on this website http://www.theschoolrun.com/the-parents-quide-to-the-pupil-premium