

Pupil Premium support 2017-2018

We received additional funding of £11,885 for Pupil Premium and Pupil Premium Plus learners.

We used this money to do the following to ensure that these Pupils remained at the same level of all other learners in our school and to ensure that their Self Esteem and Emotional Literacy levels continued to rise from the previous levels measured over the past 3 years: -

- To enable all pupils to have the resources they require to complete Cookery lessons.
- To enable pupils to access swimming in our school hydrotherapy pool that requires additional funds to run beyond funds available through the school budget and PE grant, including supporting with the correct clothing. We also have to ensure staff training in the use of the pool which requires additional funding
- To support these pupils through paying for additional therapies for them that include Occupational Therapy, Massage Therapy and assess to a Clinical Psychologist to support staff in programme development
- To enable staff to use the assessment tool to measure the Emotional Literacy levels of these pupils, planning interventions depending on results
- To provide staff with time to develop their understanding of Metacognition, this has enabled them to support pupils to think about learning more explicitly, encouraging them to set their own targets, plan their learning and evaluate if they have achieved these targets.
- To develop staff knowledge of Emotional Literacy support through the continued support of training staff as Emotional Literacy support workers and maintaining those skills for our current staff.