

Pupil premium strategy statement

This statement details our school's use of pupil premium (and recovery premium for the 2024 to 2025 academic year) funding to help improve the attainment of our disadvantaged pupils.

It outlines our pupil premium strategy, how we intend to spend the funding in this academic year and the effect that last year's spending of pupil premium had within our school.

School overview

Detail	Data
School name	Enfield Heights Academy
Number of pupils in school	201
Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils	47%
Academic year/years that our current pupil premium strategy plan covers (3-year plans are recommended)	2022-2025
Date this statement was published	October 2024
Date on which it will be reviewed	October 2025
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Pupil premium lead	Justyna Powrie
Governor/Trustee lead	Althea Chambers

Funding overview

Detail	Amount
Pupil premium funding allocation this academic year	£135,696
Recovery premium funding allocation this academic year	£0
Pupil premium funding carried forward from previous years (enter £0 if not applicable)	£0
Total budget for this academic year If your school is an academy in a trust that pools this funding, state the amount available to your school this academic year	£135,696

Part A: Pupil premium strategy plan

Statement of intent

At Enfield Heights Academy we have high expectations and ambition for all our children. We believe that no child should be left behind or be disadvantaged by their postcode. At Enfield Heights Academy we know that our level of disadvantaged families across the school is much greater than shown in our pupil premium numbers.

We are determined that our children are given every chance to realise their full potential. We aim that they leave Year 6 being able to confidently communicate and articulate their thinking; read and understand a variety of texts and be creative problem solvers and thinkers. We want our children to know that they are a force for positive change and they make a difference in the world.

We focus heavily on communication, vocabulary and reading across the school as we know that these skills are vital to future success in life.

Through an enquiry-based curriculum, quality first teaching, targeted interventions and a focus on equality of opportunity, we are working on eliminating barriers to learning, and ensuring our children have education, opportunity and become valued members of their community.

Our key objective is to use the Pupil Premium Grant to diminish the difference between pupil groups and raise the aspirations of pupils in our community.

Challenges

This details the key challenges to achievement that we have identified among our disadvantaged pupils.

Challenge number	Detail of challenge
1	Low levels of communication, language and literacy on entry to school.
2	Lack of access to additional learning opportunities and support.
3	High number of EAL families and children.
4	Lack of opportunity to a wide range of life experiences.
5	High socio-economic deprivation – outside of pupil premium.

Intended outcomes

This explains the outcomes we are aiming for **by the end of our current strategy plan**, and how we will measure whether they have been achieved.

Intended outcome	Success criteria
Improved communication, language and literacy skills at the end of the EYFS. Improved Language acquisition across the school.	10% increase in Communication Language and Literacy. 10% increase in children achieving ARE in reading and writing.
Improved access to learning and participation in school opportunities for PP children.	20% increase in parental participation. Device and internet access to all that need it. 5% increase in PP children attending school activities.
Improved outcomes for all children including PP children.	10% more children achieve ARE across the school. In year data shows that PP gaps are closing. 80% targeted PP children make accelerated progress.

Activity in this academic year

This details how we intend to spend our pupil premium (and recovery premium funding) **this academic year** to address the challenges listed above.

Teaching

Budgeted cost: £62,590

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Developing a language rich environment and culture through the English provision.	EEF- on average oral language approaches have high impact on pupil outcomes of 6 months' additional progress	1 3
Quality first teaching of writing- with a focus on non-fiction writing.	EEF- Purpose and audience are central to effective writing. Pupils need to have a reason to write and someone to write for. Impact is extensive.	1 3 5
Introduction of metacognition and self-regulated learning to further enhance learning behaviours for all.	EEF- The potential impact of metacognition and self-regulation approaches is high (7+ months)	1 3 4
High quality CPD and in-school support focused on children knowing more and remembering more.	Education Policy Institute: High-quality CPD for teachers has a significant effect on pupils' learning outcomes. Induction training and mentoring programmes are particularly effective for improving retention rates early on.	1 3

Targeted academic support

Budgeted cost: £ 48,250

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Small group tuition support for targeted pupils. <u>Communication & Language, Phonics and Reading focussed:</u> <i>EYFS: Language and Social Skills (LASS)</i>	EEF- Small group tuition has an average impact of 4+ months. Small group tuition is most effective when targeted at pupils' specific needs. EEF- On average oral language approaches have high impact on pupil	1 2 3 5

<p><i>Rec/KS1: RWI</i> <i>KS2: Project X CODE</i> <i>And Guided Comprehension</i> <i>Across: ELSA</i> <i>KS2: Lexia</i> <i>EAL after school club x 2</i></p> <p><i>Maths:</i> <i>Yr6: morning club and Saturday School</i></p>	<p>outcomes of 6 months' additional progress.</p> <p>EEF- The average impact of reading comprehension strategies is an additional 6 month's progress over the course of a year.</p> <p>EEF-The average impact of emotional literacy/social and emotional learning adds an additional 4-months progress over the course of the year</p>	
<p>Small group tuition for Reading and Writing</p> <p>Reading and SPAG Club Y6</p>	<p>EEF-The average impact of small group tuition adds an additional 4-months progress over the course of the year</p>	1 2 3 5

Wider strategies

Budgeted cost: £24,856

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
<p>Supporting parents to engage with school and their children's learning. Parents Workshops Coffee Meet Ups monthly</p> <p>Outreach Team support Enfield Town Schools' Partnership Read Aloud ESOL: classes</p>	<p>EEF- Effective parental engagement can lead to learning gains of 4+ months over the course of a year.</p>	1 2 4
<p>Equality of opportunity for all children built into the school curriculum and wider opportunities.</p>	<p>TES- It is widely accepted that a person's level of cultural capital is a huge indicator of how well they are able to succeed academically and engage in wider society.</p> <p>EIF Ofsted- leaders take on or construct a curriculum that is ambitious and</p>	4 5

	designed to give all learners the knowledge and cultural capital they need to succeed in life.	
Contingency fund to support families who are disadvantaged. <i>-Free BC/ ASC places</i> <i>-Free places at after school activities</i> <i>-Food, clothing & furniture for families.</i>	Based on our experiences and those of similar schools to ours, we have identified a need to set a small amount of funding aside to respond quickly to needs that have not yet been identified.	5
Buying chrome books to further support home learning.	EEF- Effective parental engagement can lead to learning gains of 4+ months over the course of a year.	1 2 4

Total budgeted cost: £135,696

Part B: Review of outcomes in the previous academic year

Pupil premium strategy outcomes

This details the impact that our pupil premium activity had on pupils in the 2023 to 2024 academic year.

EHA			
EYFS: EHA:	Communication and Language	Literacy	Maths
All (29)	75%	79%	83%
PP (15)	60%	73%	73%
Ks1: EHA			
	READING	WRITING	MATHS
All (30)	67%	63%	70%
PP (17)	65%	65%	65%
Ks2: EHA			
	READING	WRITING	MATHS
All (25)	88%	80%	92%
PP (11)	91%	73%	91%

Externally provided programmes

Please include the names of any non-DfE programmes that you purchased in the previous academic year. This will help the Department for Education identify which ones are popular in England

Programme	Provider
Project X CODE	Oxford University Press
Complete Comprehension	Schofield & Sims
Lexia	Lexia
LASS	Enfield LA
Saturday School for Maths	Curious Maths Ltd

Service pupil premium funding (optional)

For schools that receive this funding, you may wish to provide the following information:

Measure	Details
How did you spend your service pupil premium allocation last academic year?	N/A
What was the impact of that spending on service pupil premium eligible pupils?	N/A

Further Information (optional)

Our children live in an area of high deprivation, and this is not reflected through the use of the PP measure as many of our families are not entitled to PP and are simply living in poverty.

Everything we do in our school is designed to close the gap for all disadvantaged pupils and their families, giving our children the best possible start in life. Through our curriculum and teaching pedagogy, we aim to develop academic knowledge and skills along with key life skills that prepare children well for their future and give them a pathway out of poverty. Our aim is that all children leave us with a sense of identity, community and aspiration.

Our children are a force of positive change in the world. This philosophy and approach in our school develops an understanding of the world around them and their place in it. If we want a better world, we are the solution.

Our curriculum has been designed with our children and community at its core. It reflects the community that we serve and is planned and organised in a way that meets the unique circumstances of our location and area.

As such we are committed to every pupil in the school setting, ensuring they are safe, happy, confident and succeed.