

# Charlton Primary School Pupil Premium Strategy Statement

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#### **School overview**

Detail	Data
School name	Charlton Primary School
Number of pupils in school (R – Yr 6)	420
Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils	(38) 9%
Academic year/years that our current pupil premium strategy plan covers (3-year plans are recommended)	2023/24-2025/26
Date this statement was published	01.11.23
Date on which it will be reviewed	Term 1 24/25
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## **Funding overview**

Detail	Amount
Pupil premium funding allocation this academic year	£55 290
Recovery premium funding allocation this academic year	TBC
Pupil premium funding carried forward from previous years (enter £0 if not applicable)	£O
Total budget for this academic year	£55 290
If your school is an academy in a trust that pools this funding, state the amount available to your school this academic year	

#### Part A: Pupil premium strategy plan

#### Statement of intent

At Charlton Primary School, we have high aspirations for all children and our intention is that all pupils, irrespective of their background or current situation, make good progress and reach their full potential across all areas of school life.

The focus of our pupil premium strategy is to support disadvantaged pupils to achieve that goal, including progress for those who are already high attainers. We are committed to raising the educational attainment of all children who are eligible for pupil premium funding (including those eligible for FSM, FSM6, CWCF, PCWCF and children who have parents in the armed forces).

We aim to use our Pupil Premium grant to create a package of support to tackle the range of identified common challenges and to focus on individual needs and barriers to attainment.

In line with the 3-tiered approach in EEF's pupil premium guide, the focus of our activities and planned spend are centred around three key areas:

- Supporting the quality of teaching, such as staff professional development;
- Providing targeted academic support, such as tutoring
- Tackling non-academic barriers to academic success, such as attendance, behaviour and social and emotional support

#### Use of wider strategies

- Supporting attendance
- Extra- curricular activities
- Supporting pupils' social, emotional and behavioural needs

### Challenges

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

Challenge	Detail of challenge	
1:	<ul> <li>Children attracting PP funding are not achieving as well as their peers academically as shown through statutory outcomes.</li> <li>Attainment at KS1 and KS2 in writing is lower for children eligible for PP funding.</li> <li>Attainment in Maths at KS1 and KS2 is lower for children in receipt of PP funding.</li> <li>Attainment in Reading at KS1 and KS2 is lower for children in receipt of PP funding.</li> </ul>	
Attainment	<ul> <li>A number of children eligible for PP funding are also on the SEND register resulting in a greater challenge for age related attainment than their non-pp peers in reading, writing, maths and phonics.</li> <li>Early speech and language development issues impacts on progress across the EYFS curriculum.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Assessments and observations suggest disadvantaged pupils generally have greater difficulties with reading. This gap appears from the onset of early reading (phonics). This has been negatively impacting in their development as readers.</li> </ul>	
2: Attendance	<ul> <li>The proportion of persistent absentees is significantly higher amongst children eligible for PP funding.</li> <li>Lateness impacts on progress across the curriculum.</li> </ul>	
3: Teaching	<ul> <li>Children in receipt of Pupil Premium funding are disproportionately impacted by poor-quality teaching.</li> <li>Our disadvantaged children are more likely to have significant knowledge gaps leading to pupils falling further behind age-related expectations.</li> </ul>	
4: Pastoral	<ul> <li>Social, emotional and behavioural needs impacts on readiness to learn.</li> <li>Low resilience. low confidence and low self-esteem impact on willingness to be challenged and to engage.</li> <li>Many disadvantaged children do not have access to the same opportunities and resources as their non-pp peers.</li> </ul>	

#### Intended Outcomes and review of outcomes in the previous academic year

This explains the outcomes we are aiming for by the end of our current strategy plan (2022-2025), and how we will measure whether they have been achieved.

#### Pupil premium strategy outcomes

This details the impact that our pupil premium activity had on pupils for each academic year.

	Intended outcome	Success criteria	Review 2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
	Outcomes:  To improve the attainment levels of children in Reading, Writing and Maths at the end of KS1 and KS2, including those children in receipt of Pupil Premium Funding	<ul> <li>✓ Year 6 data shows that children in receipt of Pupil Premium Funding compares favourably to PP attainment nationally</li> <li>✓ Year 2 data shows that children in receipt of Pupil Premium Funding compares favourably to PP attainment nationally</li> <li>✓ Over time, the attainment gap between non-pp and pp children closes</li> </ul>		-	-
Affainmen	Year 1 Phonics:  To improve the attainment levels of children in Phonics at the end of Year 1 including those children in receipt of Pupil Premium Funding	<ul> <li>✓ Year 1 data shows that all children in receipt of Pupil Premium Funding pass their phonics screening, excluding those with specific learning barriers</li> </ul>	-	-	-
	GLD:  To improve the attainment levels of children at the end of Reception including those children in receipt of Pupil Premium Funding	<ul> <li>Reception data shows that children in receipt of Pupil Premium Funding achieve a Good Level of Development.</li> </ul>	-	-	-

Attendance	To improve the attendance rates for children in receipt of PP funding	<ul> <li>✓ End-of-year PP attendance percentage to be at or above 96%</li> <li>✓ A yearly increase of PP children's attendance from 2023-26</li> <li>✓ The percentage of PP children who are persistently absent reduces year on year.</li> <li>✓ Punctuality will improve year on year.</li> </ul>	-	-	-
Teaching	All children, including those in receipt of Pupil Premium funding, to receive high-quality teaching	✓ 100% of teaching is good or better	-	-	-
Pastoral	Children feel safe, settled and have a sense of belonging at Charlton.  Parents feel supported with their children's progress and wellbeing at Charlton.  Children in receipt of PP funding will have access to enrichment and extracurricular activities	<ul> <li>✓ Student Voice reflects positively</li> <li>✓ Parent voice reflects positively</li> <li>✓ The percentage of children accessing enrichment and extra-curricular opportunities will be in line with non-PP peers.</li> </ul>	-	-	-

#### Activity in this academic year 2023-24

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

#### Teaching (for example, CPD, recruitment and retention)

Budgeted cost: £30,000

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
To have a strategic overview and long-term plan of PP across the school.  -To promote a whole school approach and ensure all staff:  -have a collective understanding of challenges.  -have a collective understanding of response to challenges.  -take collective responsibility for delivering the strategy. Ongoing structure, adapting reflecting and reporting		1,2,3,4
Delivering high quality teaching and implementing a curriculum which responds to children's needs	<ol> <li>Through CPD sessions and 1:1 coaching.</li> <li>High-quality teaching   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)</li> <li>School_Planning_Guide_2022-23.pdf (d2tic4wvo1iusb.cloudfront.net)</li> </ol>	1,2,3,4

To support Quality First Teaching (QFT) through continued professional development (CPD)Embed the '5 a day' approach To use coaching skills and develop staffs coaching skills to support reflection on own teaching practice - To prioritise time for teachers to be released to work with curriculum lead -For staff development sessions' to be dedicated to key school development areas.	Adopting the 'EEF 5 a day approach' to support teaching.  EEF blog: 'Five-a-day' to improve SEND outcomes   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)  EEF blog: The Five-a-day approach: How the EEF can support   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)  A system of peer review and coaching supports effective delivery and embeds instructional coaching and retrieval.  The instructional coaching process is included within the appraisal system and demonstrates continual development of professional principles and practice.  Using WalkThrus books	1,3
To improve literacy skills throughout the school years by use of:  1. To improve	The government's recommendations for improving literacy in KS2 can be found here:  Improving Literacy in Key Stage 2   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)  Our chosen approaches cover all 7 recommendations.	1
language development in EYFS through Wellcomm	interventions and high-quality classroom discussions impact positively on the reading ability of children.  Oral language interventions   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)	

2. 'Little Wandle' phonics programme	A government approved scheme for teaching phonics and supporting early reading.  Phonics   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)	
3. Accelerated Reader	Accelerated Reader is designed to improve reading and comprehension as measured by an increase in learners reading age. STAR reading tests inform reading intervention programme. Use of accelerated reader diagnostically for the identification of learners in need of intervention.	
4. To improve writing skills through 'The Hampshire Model' approach to writing.	A high quality writing approach underpinned by a rich text stimulus to teach children writing skills and the behaviours of writers with regards to written outcomes, proof reading, editing, evaluation and publishing.	
To improve maths skills throughout the school years and enhance resources and learning programmes in Maths	Supporting pupils across the school to to develop good number sense, and have a deeper understanding of number and number relationships.  Supported by:  - BBO partnership and support  - Developing expert teachers  - Number Sense Maths  - White Rose  - TT-Rockstars  - Maths Hub  Mathematics guidance: key stages 1 and 2 (covers years 1 to 6)	1

## Targeted academic support (for example, tutoring, one-to-one support structured interventions)

Budgeted cost:£25,000

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Personalised learning to close gaps in children's knowledge	Small group tuition performed by teachers or qualified adults to close children's gaps.  Small group tuition   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)	1
'Lowest 20% Readers' receive extra support daily, specific to their need.	Reading comprehension strategies focus on the learners' understanding of written text. Pupils learn a range of techniques which enable them to comprehend the meaning of what they read.  Reading comprehension strategies   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)	1
1:1 and small group tuition support	Member of staff employed to work with specific children to close gaps in their learning  One to one tuition   EEF  (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)	1
Improving communication and language	Wellcom assessment used to establish focus children for early speech development assessment and intervention.  Early_Years_Toolbox_Report_(final).pdf (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)	1,2,4

## Wider strategies (for example, related to attendance, behaviour, wellbeing)

Budgeted cost: £20,000

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s)
		addressed

Two qualified Emotional Literacy Support Assistants support children's social and emotional learning and run nurture groups.	The evidence indicates that there is particular promise for approaches that focus on improving social interaction between pupils.  Social and emotional learning   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)  Behaviour interventions   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)	1,2,4
Children are provided with opportunities for enrichment and extra-curricular activities including: music lessons and school trips.	Physical activity   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)  Life skills and enrichment   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)	3,4
Bikeability training	Performed by external trained OCC instructors offered to all Year 6 children. Bikes and helmets are sourced for children who do not have one.	4
Children have all resources necessary for school.	All children in the school will have access to the same resources and opportunities.  We have a 'Maslow welfare cupboard' that contains school uniform/PE kits, shoes and stationary provided for children who may not have any.  School trip help is available.	1,4
Some children will be invited to attend a breakfast club allowing a calm start to the day and an opportunity for nurture provision.	Evidence shows that providing a supportive club for homework can overcome barriers to  Homework   EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)	2,4
Some children will be invited to at- tend a homework club providing sup- port for homework activities.		

To support children and families with school attendance and punctuality.	1st day of absence call and daily follow ups. Close monitoring of attendance.	2,4
	Early engagement with children and families at risk of lower attendance to identify barriers and support actions.	
	Targeted children invited to attend breakfast club.	

Estimated total cost: £75,000

# 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.	
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