

LODDON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Pupil Premium Funding

Pupil Premium is Government funding given to the school to support disadvantaged children. In 2012-13 it will be linked to the number of children in our school who had been registered for Free School Meals (FSM) at any point in the last six years. The school is able to decide how to allocate the money to ensure that our current vulnerable and disadvantaged children make the best possible progress.

In the academic year 2011-2012 we received £8479. This funding was used to enhance provision and outcomes for identified children in one or more of the following ways:

- Access to an After School Homework club on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday; the club is based in our ICT suite and it enables children to use the school computers to complete their homework with staff support. We particularly encourage children with limited or no access to ICT at home to attend.
- Financial support for children on FSM to take part in school residential to Ufton Court, PGL and France as well as other educational day visits.
- One to one sessions for specific children.
- Part funding the post of a Parent Support Advisor to work with parents of targeted pupils in order to support pupil learning and home/school partnership.

Our tracking and evaluation systems indicate that the use of provisions funded by pupil premium money has resulted in improved access to our integrated curriculum for all children, accelerated rates of progress for children involved in one to one sessions and improving partnership with parents/carers to support pupil progress.

In the academic year 2012-2013 we have received £7845 Pupil Premium to date.

We will be using this funding to enhance provision in a similar way to last year e.g. through homework club, access to school visits and one to one tuition. A further report on this spending will be available at the end of the financial year in April 2013.



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