**Crockenhill Primary School**



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**Pupil Premium Strategy Statement**

**Date: November 2024**

**Review: November 2027**

# Pupil Premium Strategy Statement

This statement details our school’s use of pupil premium 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 had within our school.

# School overview

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| **Details** |  | **Review Nov 25** | **Review Nov 26** | **Review Nov 27** |
| School Name | Crockenhill Primary School |  |  |  |
| Number of pupils | 201 |  |  |  |
| Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils | 30% (61 children) |  |  |  |
| Academic year/years that our current pupil premium strategy  plan covers **(3 year plans are recommended)** | 2024-2025  2025-2026  2026-2027 |  |  |  |
| Date this statement was published | January 2025 |  |  |  |
| Date on which it will be reviewed | Interim Reviews – Nov 2025 2026 and 2027  Full Review – Nov 2027 |  |  |  |
| Statement authorised by | Karen Dodd |  |  |  |
| Pupil Premium Lead | Clare Hudson  Liz Carter |  |  |  |
| Governor / Trustee Lead | Jo Pennell / Robbie Cooke |  |  |  |

# Funding overview

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| **Detail** | Amount |
| Pupil premium funding allocation this academic year | £85,840 |
| 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 | £85,840 |

**Part A: Pupil Premium Strategy Plan**

## Statement of intent

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| Crockenhill Primary School is committed to creating a happy, safe, caring, inspiring and inclusive learning environment, supported by the core mutual values of respect, trust and a sense of belonging. At Crockenhill we encourage self-respect, respect for each other, for property and for the environment. Pupils thrive in an environment of high expectations and are rightly proud of their school. Our high standards of teaching and personalised learning are set within a broad, balanced and creative curriculum.  In providing a secure and challenging learning environment, where mutual respect and trust amongst every member of the school and wider community is fostered. We strive to enable every learner to reach their full potential regardless of their social and academic circumstance.    Our Pupil Premium plan aims to address the main barriers our children face and through meticulous tracking, careful planning and targeted support and intervention, therefore providing all children the access and opportunities to enjoy academic success.  Achieving our objectives:  In order to achieve our objectives and overcome identified barriers to learning we will:   * Provide targeted intervention and support to quickly address identified gaps in learning including the use of small group work, 1:1 tuition      * Provide all teachers with high quality CPD to ensure that pupils access effective quality first teaching      * Target funding to ensure that all pupils have access to trips, residentials, first hand learning experiences      * Provide appropriate nurture support to support pupils in their emotional and social development     This is not an exhaustive list and strategies will change and develop based on the needs of individuals. |

## Challenges

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

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| **Challenge Number** | **Details of the challenge** |
| 1 | Gap in attainment between PP children with no SEND and non PP children with no SEND |
| 2 | Maintaining high levels of resilience, positivity and engagement in learning for PP children |
| 3 | Limited language skills impacting on writing and comprehension -oracy |
| 4. | Ensure the teaching of phonics early reading is consistently taught across all year groups through whole class teaching (including phonics in EY/Yr 1, Yr 2 and Yr 3 & SPAG/reading skills at KS2). |
| 5. | Ensure the teaching of writing (at length and including planning) is consistently taught across all year groups through whole class teaching (including phonics in EY/Yr 1, Yr 2 and Yr 3 & SPAG at KS2). |
| 6. | Attendance of some PP children |

## 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.

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| **Intended outcome** | **Success Criteria** |
| 1.  Reduce the gap between non PP and PP pupils achieving expected in Reading, Writing and Maths at the end of KS2 | More PP pupils achieving expected in Reading, Writing and Maths at the end of KS2 |
| 2.  Support pupil well-being to improve their attitude and engagement to learning with a growth mind-set focus | Wellbeing to be at the forefront of the  SLT/Class teachers discussions  Use of Progressive PSHE scheme for all children to access which supports pupil well being.  Regular communication between adults facilitating any concerns to be raised, families to be contacted and supported  More children feeling confident in sharing their thoughts and feelings |
| 3.  Improve children’s oral language skills in EYFS/KS1 Improve the comprehension skills in KS2 | Children are confident to express their ideas using age appropriate language  More children to achieve expected or greater depth levels in reading  Pupils in EYFS to be supported with the NELI language programme |
| 4.  Improve children’s early reading skills and level of reading comprehension | More KS1 PP children achieving expected in reading at the end of key stage 1.  To continue to achieve good phonics scores in year 1.  Chn to have access to home reading books that are inline with the phonics scheme.  Chn to experience regular story time and promote and enjoyment for reading. |
| 5.  Improve the quality and quantity of the children’s writing | Chn to achieve at least expected in writing by the end of their key stage.  Chn to achieve at least expected in EGPS. |
| 6.  Ensure that pupils in receipt of PP funding maintain the best attendance level that they can | KD to complete weekly attendance reviews which are shared with the attendance officer and LC. Families to be contacted, supported and referred. |

## 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 (for example CPD, recruitment and retention) Budgeted cost: £ £35,017.38

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| **Activity** | **Evidence that supports this approach** | **Challenge number(s) addressed** | **Review Nov 25** | **Review Nov 26** | **Review Nov 27** |
| Teaching and learning focus on evidence based strategies to support Quality First  Teaching | Supporting the  Attainment of  Disadvantaged  Pupils (DFE, 2015) | 1,2,3,4,5 |  |  |  |
| Pupil Premium Teacher to plan, teach and assess targeted children | One to one and small group tuition provides intensive support. Evidence suggests that tuition can be alongside or/and additional to normal teaching (EEF  2024) | 1,2,3,4,5 |  |  |  |
| Oral language interventions by  the class teacher and support staff: targeted reading aloud and book discussions, structured questioning and purposeful, curriculum focused, dialogue and interaction | The importance of spoken language and verbal interaction in the classroom which are matched to the learners’ current stage of  development (EEF  2024) | 3 |  |  |  |
| Subject leader CPD | By subject leaders raising the profile of their subjects in the school therefore addressing the engagement in learning for the pupils.  Supporting the  Attainment of  Disadvantaged  Pupils (DFE, 2015) | 2 |  |  |  |
| Use of the Leuven scale by all TAs and teachers – CPD in school and  part of the  Marking and  Feedback Policy | By identifying the wellbeing and involvement levels of the children we are able to understand and address the impact on their learning | 1,2,3,4,5 |  |  |  |
| Pupils to take greater responsibility for their learning and develop their understanding of what is required to succeed. | Teachers can demonstrate effective uses of metacognitive and self regulatory strategies by modelling their own thought processes (EEF 2024) | 1,2,3,4,5 |  |  |  |

Targeted academic support (for example, tutoring, one to one support and structured interventions) Budgeted cost: £ £30,658.14

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| **Activity** | **Evidence that supports this approach** | **Challenge number(s) addressed** | **Review Nov 25** | **Review Nov 26** | **Review Nov 27** |
| Differentiated reading comprehension  Strategies-in Year 4 | Evidence indicates that this strategy is particularly effective with children aged 8+ who are lagging behind with their reading (EEF 2024) | 1,2,4 |  |  |  |
| Progressive phonics scheme- differentiated for pupils in YR-Y4 | Phonics that is taught in an explicit and systematic approach has a positive impact in the development of early reading skills, particularly for children from disadvantaged backgrounds (EEF 2024) | 1,4,5 |  |  |  |
| Small group tuition – teacher working with up to 5 pupils | Research shows that this intensive tuition approach is often beneficial to support lower attaining learners who are falling behind & to teach challenging topics or skills (EEF 2024) | 1,3,4 |  |  |  |
| Social and emotional support for key students | Evidence indicates that the support improves pupils’ decision making skills, interaction with others and their self-management of emotions (EEF  2024) | 1,2,3,4,5,6 |  |  |  |
| Academic intervention and tuition | Evidence indicates 1:1 tuition can be effective, delivering approx.  5 months progress on average (EEF 2024) | 1,2,3,4,6 |  |  |  |

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

**Budgeted cost: £** £20,164.40

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| **Activity** | **Evidence that supports this approach** | **Challenge number(s) addressed** | **Review Nov 25** | **Review Nov 26** | **Review Nov 27** |
| Ensure all identified PP students with poor attendance to school have access to key staff | Many PP pupils have low attendance so by the SLT supporting these families in improving their child’s attendance there is evidence that these pupils will then engage more in their learning & aspirations for the future.  Parental Engagement  (EEF 2024)  Social and Emotional learning (EEF 2024) | 2, 6 |  |  |  |
| Social and emotional learning interventions to improve attendance, behaviour & wellbeing | Social & emotional learning approaches have a positive impact, on average, of 4 months additional progress in academic outcomes over the course of an academic year. (EEF 2024) | 1,2,6 |  |  |  |
| Improve family/ home school liaison and relationships by supporting potential attendance barriers. | Ensure parents of PP pupils feel safe and confident engaging with school. HT and attendance officer to arrange regular meetings (in person, virtual, phone call). EEF Toolkit 2024- Parental engagement suggests +3 months progress | 6 |  |  |  |
| To continue investing in a whole school PSHE and  RSE scheme | By providing a progressive and inclusive scheme, all chn in the school will benefit from the opportunities to discuss & reflect on the topics that are covered through sharing their thoughts  (Kapow Scheme) and feelings in a safe environment – Pupil voice data. | 1, 2,3,6 |  |  |  |
| To ensure pupils have access to extracurricular activities, residential trips and school uniform. | By providing access to funding for activities/resources that families may not be able to afford | 1, 2, 6 |  |  |  |

**Total budgeted cost: £85,840**

## 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 2022 to 2023 academic year.

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| 2022-2023  Pupil premium numbers continue to rise- there have been a number of new pupils admitted as in year admissions. It is taking time to get to know their needs but also increasing the amount of support that is needed.  A FLO is no longer financially viable so the pastoral care is being supported by the Pupil premium senior teacher and the SENCo.  Pastoral and wellbeing support has increased significantly and continues to be in high demand. The wellbeing of the pupil premium children is a daily focus and it is allowing them to access daily school routines, feel more confident and to access their learning.  The target areas identified for teaching and targeted support have been successful and practice across the school is developing well. The impact of specific interventions and support has been beneficial on the pupil’s progress however it is a significant challenge for these children to meet the expected level. Investment in the school RSE and PSHE scheme is now embedded and the school is able to ensure good coverage of the key areas for these subjects and the opportunity to reflect on their own, beliefs and needs as well as their peers, families and the wider community.  Attendance remains a focus and although the importance of good attendance is being promoted and specific families being alerted, supported and referred for further support. It is yet to impact fully on our Pupil premium children’s overall attendance and this is contributing to slower progress than we would like.  The school are very aware of the possible need for a child’s wider experiences to be made available. Pupil premium children always have the same access to trips, residentials and experiences – as this is a key part of their learning. | | | | |
| Meeting expected or above | 2023-24 | 2024-25 | 2025-26 | 2026-27 |
| Year R | Across all areas – 72% |  |  |  |
| Year 1 | Reading – 43%  Writing – 57%  Maths – 57% |  |  |  |
| Year 2 | Reading – 70%  Writing – 50%  Maths – 50% |  |  |  |
| Year 3 | Reading – 39%  Writing – 36%  Maths – 21% |  |  |  |
| Year 4 | Reading – 33%  Writing – 17%  Maths – 33% |  |  |  |
| Year 5 | Reading – 36%  Writing – 33%  Maths – 44% |  |  |  |
| Year 6 | Reading - 53%  Writing – 53%  Maths – 46% |  |  |  |

## 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.

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| **Programme** | |
| TT Rockstars | Education City |
| MyMaths | Phonics Play |
| Word Shark |  |

## Service pupil premium fund

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

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| Measure | Details |
| Howe 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 |