

Pupil Premium Newsletter

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Pupil Premium is additional government funding designed to support schools in raising the attainment of disadvantaged pupils and closing the gap with their peers



High Park School
Learning for Life

The Department for Education (DfE) recommended that schools now use a 3-year approach to planning the Pupil Premium grant. High Park School have designed a new Pupil Premium Strategy in line with these recommendations, based on our pupils' needs now. This document will then be reviewed regularly and updated annually. Please see our school website to view this document.

An area of focus on our 3 year Pupil Premium Strategy is 'To enable pupils to manage their sensory processing needs through making independent choices'.

Pupils' sensory processing needs are met by 'Champions' who are given training and support by our Occupational Therapists and Aromatherapists. Pupils are encouraged to make choices about the activities which support their emotional regulation.





Another area of focus on our Pupil Premium Strategy is 'To further develop independence to improve life chances and reduce vulnerability through engagement with wider groups with extended numbers of people, including access to 'Clubs'. This term we have experienced new and novel activities with peers from across the school, such as having visitors from 'Into the Wild' (various different animals including a snake, tortoise and giant millipede!) and a very special puppet show. We have also had another successful Roller Disco Club which more families attended.



Please see our website for full details of our Pupil Premium Strategy for 2019-20.