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## **PUPIL PREMIUM FUNDING**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Each year the school receives extra funding from the government to provide additional support and educational experiences for children who come from lower income homes. This funding is called Pupil Premium and can help ensure all children have access to the same opportunities and activities.

The funding is used in school in a variety of ways. It is used to support additional learning, help with paying for school uniforms, trips and residential visits and to support eligible children to access extra-curricular clubs such as Aqua Club.

The school can qualify for Pupil Premium for your child if you receive one of the following:

1. Income Support
2. Income based Jobseeker's Allowance
3. Income related Employment and Support Allowance
4. Guarantee Element of State Pension Credit
5. Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
6. Child Tax Credit with an annual income of less than £16190 and not in receipt of Working Tax credit
7. Working Tax Credit Run-On (the payment you receive for further weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
8. Universal Credit

Please note that, should your circumstances change and you no longer qualify for receipt of any of the above benefits, pupil premium funding will still continue to be paid to support your child for a further 6 years.

If you believe your child may qualify for this support in school, there is an application form available from the school office. You don't have to declare anything complicated or give details of your earnings and the form can be sent direct to the Local Authority who will assess your eligibility for you.



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It is important to sign up for pupil premium even if your child is in Reception, Year 1 or Year 2 and is receiving Universal Free School Meals, so that our school receives as much funding as possible. If your child is in Year 3, and is eligible for free school meals, they will receive the funding only once the application form has been processed and approved by the Local Authority.

If you have any questions about Pupil Premium and how we use this funding, or how to complete the application form, please come to the school office after you drop your child in school during the week beginning 25<sup>th</sup> September. We will be happy to help.

Yours Sincerely,

Mr Pedro  
Headteacher



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