## Smith's Wood Primary Academy Pupil Premium Strategy Statement





This statement details our school's use of pupil premium (and recovery premium for the 2022 to 2023 academic year) funding 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 within our school.

#### **School overview**

Detail	Data
School name	Smith's Wood Primary Academy
Number of pupils in school	448
Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils	47% (2021-22)
	55% (2022-23)
Academic year/years that our current pupil premium strategy plan covers (3 year plans are recommended)	2021-2024
Date this statement was published	November 2021
	November 2022
Date on which it will be reviewed	July 2022
	July 2023
Statement authorised by	Danielle Givens
Pupil premium lead	Mia Taylor
Governor / Trustee lead	Neil Henderson

## **Funding overview**

Detail	Amount
	£ 291 865 (2021-22)
Pupil premium funding allocation this academic year	£ 285,310 (2022-23)
	£ 30 595
Recovery premium funding allocation this academic year	2 00 000
	£30,305 (2022-23)
Pupil premium funding carried forward from previous years (enter £0 if not applicable)	£ 0
Total budget for this academic year	£ 322 460
If your school is an academy in a trust that pools this funding, state the amount available to your school this academic year	£315,615 (2022-23)

## Part A: Pupil premium strategy plan

#### Statement of intent

Our ultimate objectives for our disadvantaged pupils are:

- To achieve academically in line with non-disadvantaged pupils
- To experience opportunities outside of the norm
- To inspire and prepare themselves for life after SWPA

2. Current attainment (based on 2022 data)			
	SWPA Pupils eligible for PP	SWPA Pupils not eligible for PP	National
% achieving expected standard or above in reading, writing & maths	73%	69%	59%
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Our current pupil premium strategy plan has contributed to these objectives as below: The key principles of our strategy plan are:

- To offer enhanced teaching across all year groups to ensure that all pupils receive targeted input for core subjects
- To provide opportunities for pupils which enhance their personal, as well as academic experiences
- To employ specialist staffing directly to the school to ensure pupils receive the support required promptly
- To provide individual and small group intervention to support pupils in closing the gap

## **Challenges**

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

Challenge number	Detail of challenge
1	Children enter school, on average, well below the expected levels.
2	Communication, language and Literacy (CLL) and numeracy are key areas of weakness on entry to the school, alongside social and emotional development.
3	Levels of Special Educational Needs are above national average, with a large proportion of pupils requiring S&L tailored support
4	There are relatively high numbers of pupils with social and emotional issues.
5	Gap between attainment of PP and Non PP pupils apparent following the lockdown period
6	Historically low perception from parents on the importance of attendance. This includes historic levels of persistently absent pupils
7	High number of vulnerable families and pupils with social and emotional needs

#### **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.

Intended outcome	Success criteria
SEND PP pupils to make same levels of progress, from starting	Quality first teaching for all groups is outstanding
point, as their peers	Quality interventions delivered to address gaps

Prompt action to address low baseline in EYFS so pupils have best opportunities to catch up with their peers	Children make rapid progress across all areas of EYFS to meet age related expectations at the end of reception and close gap with non PP children
Pupils social and emotional issues supported through extensive inclusion team	Targeted support for social and emotional wellbeing of pupils
indusion team	Tracking monitored for impact on attendance, attainment
Gap between PP and Non PP pupils minimal	PP pupils make equal progress in comparison to Non PP pupils
Pupils and families with low attendance/high persistent absentee levels supported and challenged	Attendance levels continue to rise and % of PA children reduced.
Pupils and families with social and emotional needs supported from team within school	Families receive tailored support to address needs
Improved mental health provision for all members of the SWPA community	Pupils, staff and families receive prompt and tailored support for mental health when required

## 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**

Budgeted cost: £160 200 (2021-22) £202 000 (2022-23)

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Provide 3 ability groups, in each year group for RWM £151 000 (2021-22) £124 000 (2022-23)	School evidence Outcomes of data shows outcomes for pupils in line, or above National expectation (see data on 1st page for KS2 outcomes)  Progress measures at end of KS2 are 'average' or 'above average' but aim to improve progress measures, particularly in relation to the gaps of the learning evident.  Gap between PP and Non PP evident following lockdown, as shown through internal standardised data outcomes, therefore smaller group sizes will reduce gap  Teaching & Learning toolkit strand Reducing class sizes (+2 months impact) Within class attainment grouping (+ 2 months)	1, 4
Whole school in school & home reading platform to support continued remote learning and parental engagement with phonics £1200	School evidence  Maintain phonics outcomes across FKS and KS1  Improve comprehension skills of FKS and KS1 pupils	1, 2 & 5

£2000 (2022-23)	Teaching & Learning toolkit strand  Reading comprehension strategies (+ 6 months' impact)  Phonics (+ 5 months)	
Whole school reading initiatives to include digital reading platforms for pupils	School evidence Improve progress in reading across the school Improve comprehension skills of pupils	2 & 5
£7000 £7500 (2022-23)	Teaching & Learning toolkit strand  Reading comprehension strategies (+ 6 months' impact)	
Whole school Mathematics approach to Mastering Number & Maths mastery	School evidence Targeted whole school Maths interventions proven to close the gap	1
£1000 for release and online resources	Improved Mathematical skills for all KS1 pupils  Teaching & Learning toolkit strand	
£1000 (2022-23)	Mastery learning (+ 5 months) Small group tuition (+ 4 months)	

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

Budgeted cost: £65 400 £130 000 (2022-23)

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Provision of additional TA time to support targeted groups in morning and deliver interventions	School evidence  Data shows that following lockdown, there now exists a gap between PP and Non PP achievement	1, 5
Based on 1 additional TA per year group		

for morning support	Teaching & Learning toolkit strand	
	Teaching assistant interventions (+ 4 months)	
£42 000		
£86 000 (2022-23)		
Additional staffing employed for phonics delivery £4050	School evidence Outcomes of phonics data for last 5 years shows outcomes for pupils in excess of National expectation	1, 2, 5
£4500 (2022-23)	2018/19- 97% National 82% 2017/18- 97% National 81% 2016/17- 97% National 81% 2015/1695% National 77% 2014/1594% National 74%  Teaching & Learning toolkit strand One to One tuition (+ 5 months) Phonics (+ 5 months)	
Additional staffing employed for one to one tutoring  £7400 contribution from the school £26 800 (2022-23)	School evidence Data shows that following lockdown, there now exists a gap between PP and Non PP achievement  Teaching & Learning toolkit strand One to One tuition (+ 5 months)	1, 2, 5
Speech & Language therapist employed by school for assessments  Support staff member for 2 afternoons a week to deliver S&L interventions	School evidence High numbers of pupils enter school with Communication and language difficulties Time waiting for support for external agencies can be long, therefore in school provision targets need swiftly	2, 3

Additional contribution for S&L 1:1 sup-	Teaching & Learning toolkit strand	
port	Oral language interventions (+ 6 months)	
£9000		
£10 400 (2022-23)		
NELI – DFE language programme for	School evidence	2
EYFS pupils- time dedicated for a mem-	Low baseline for pupils entering SWPA in terms of communication	
ber of staff to deliver the programme once	& language	
a week	Need to increase the % of pupils achieving the expected standard	
£3000	in CLL in EYFS	
£2300 (2022-23)	Teaching & Learning toolkit strand	
	One to One tuition (+ 5 months)	

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

Budgeted cost: £99 400 £103 600 (2021-22) + Relax kids

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Increased access to school counsellors for SWPA pupils	School evidence High level of vulnerable pupils in the school needing swift support Impact of social and emotional issues on learning can be minimised	4
£37 000	through targeted inclusion support	
£26 800 + Relax kids (2022-23)	Teaching & Learning toolkit strand Social & Emotional (+ 4 months)	

Child & Family Support Workers x 2  £37 000 based on  4 days a week 2 days a week  £40 300 (2022-23)	School evidence 47% PP children High level of depravation in local area serving school Families and individuals are often identified as needing additional support & support in supporting their own child with education  Teaching & Learning toolkit strand Parental engagement (+ 4 months)	4, 7
CSAWS targeted attendance support £9000 £13 800 (2022-23)	School evidence To achieve National levels of attendance, external support is required to tackle long standing attendance issues PA levels can rise rapidly Some families in the community have historically low levels of attendance and continual work needs to be done  Teaching & Learning toolkit strand Parental engagement (+ 4 months)	6
Provide enhanced extra-curricular opportunities for SWPA pupils  £2500 £8100 (2022-23)	School evidence High number of disadvantaged and vulnerable pupils who deserve opportunities to extra personal development opportunities to enhance core school provision Opportunities for SWPA pupils to engage in opportunities outside of school minimal  Teaching & Learning toolkit strand Parental engagement (+ 4 months)	4, 7
Enhanced role of Head of Personal development, Behaviour & Attitudes with a	School evidence  Many vulnerable pupils, in a deprived area need to have the opportunity to experience opportunities which contribute to skills for life	4, 6, 7

focus on attendance		
	Enhance the 'More than a School' motto which SWPA holds	
£4000		
	Key member of SLT required to proactively work with parents in relation to improving attendance	
	Teaching & Learning toolkit strand	
	Parental engagement (+ 4 months)	
Individual group and music provision for	School evidence	4, 7
pupils	Many vulnerable pupils, in a deprived area need to have the opportunity to experience opportunities which they may not receive at	
£5000	home due to financial constraints	
£6800 (2022-23)	Enhance the 'More than a School' motto which SWPA holds	
	Teaching & Learning toolkit strand	
	Social & Emotional (+ 4 months)	
Enhanced Outdoor Adventure Activities	School evidence	4, 7
(OAA) delivery through trained and experienced lead	Many vulnerable pupils, in a deprived area need to have the opportunity to experience opportunities which they may not receive at home due to financial constraints	
£5000	Enhance the 'More than a School' motto which SWPA holds	
£7800 (2022-23)		
	Teaching & Learning toolkit strand	
	Social & Emotional (+ 4 months)	

Total budgeted cost: £ 325 000 £435 600 (2022-23)

# Review of outcomes in the previous academic year This details the impact that our pupil premium activity had on pupils in the 2021 to 2022 academic year.

Maths	Cohort	PP	Non PP	Reading	Cohort	PP	Non PP
Year 1	93%	91%	96%	Year 1	94%	91%	96%
Year 2	57%	48%	64%	Year 2	68%	66%	71%
Year 3	55%	52%	56%	Year 3	63%	59%	66%
Year 4	67%	60%	80%	Year 4	69%	60%	85%
Year 5	77%	38%	93%	Year 5	67%	58%	76%
Year 6	93%	97%	86%	Year 6	92%	94%	86%
Whole School	74%	64%	79%	Whole School	76%	71%	80%

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#### Attendance

Year 1-6	Current Academic Year– Target for the year was no more than 0.2% below National	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term (27/06/22)
Actual Attendance	93.68%	93.99%	93.22%	93.73%
Disadvantaged (PPI)	92.32%	92.24%	91.91%	92.87%
Non disadvantaged	95.37%	96.15%	94.85%	94.82%
Persistently Absent	16.9% (60)	20.3% (71)	21.2% (75)	22.5% (80)
PA Disadvantaged	22.7% (45)	26.8% (53)	27.3% (54)	24.7% (49)
PA Non disadvantaged	9.5% (15)	11.4% (18)	13.3% (21)	19.6% (31)

#### **Phonics Outcomes**

PSC	Year 1	Year 2		
Pupil group	June 2022	November 2021	June 2022 Resit for children not passed	Total combined for cohort
ALL	88%	85%	78%	97%

PP	84%	78%	83%	97%
Non-PP	96%	91%	67%	97%
SEN	0%	43%	60%	78%

#### Attendance at extra-curricular clubs 2022-23

Whole school	94.4% of Pupils attended at least one out of school hours extra-curricular activity  100% of pupils participated in Inter school physical activity opportunities
SEN Pupils	92.6% of pupils with SEN support/EHC plans attended at least one out of school hours extra-curricular activity  100% of pupils with SEN support/EHC plans participated in Inter school physical activity opportunities
PP Pupils	93.9% of pupils eligible for PP attended at least one out of school hours extracurricular activity  100% of pupils eligible for PP participated in inter school physical activity competitions

#### Intervention analysis 2021-22

Number of different interventions running throughout the year	373
Percentage of Pupil Premium children accessing an intervention	98.4% <mark>.</mark>
Percentage of SEND children accessing an intervention	99.3% <mark>.</mark>
Percentage of children accessing 1 or more interventions	95.8% <mark>.</mark>
Percentage of children achieving or exceeding their intervention target	68.3% <mark>.</mark>
Percentage of children partially achieving their intervention target	27% <mark>.</mark>
Average cost per half term of academic interventions	£12,034.91
Average cost per half term of pastoral interventions	£10,802.92
Total cost of academic and pastoral interventions for year	£137,026.98
Average additional teacher and TA costs per half term	£65,801.24
Total cost for additional teacher and TA for year	£394,807.44
Total cost for interventions and additional costs across the school	£460,608.68

## **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

Programme	Provider
Read Write Inc	Ruth Miskin