



Pupil Premium Statement – September 2021-2022

Pupil Premium Impact Statement

Overview

- The Academy was allocated £955 per Pupil Premium student
- In the academic year 202-2022 the Academy was allocated a total of **£219,650.00**

Profile of Cohort 2021-2022

	Number	Percentage of Cohort
Students on roll	672	100%
Pupil Premium students	230	34.2% (of total cohort)
Higher Prior Attaining (HPA) Pupil Premium students	63	27.3% (of total Pupil Premium students)
Middle Prior Attaining (MPA) Pupil Premium students	104	45.2% (of total Pupil Premium students)
Lower Prior Attaining (LPA) Pupil Premium students	51	22.1% (of total Pupil Premium students)
Pupil Premium students with EHCP	9	0.39% (of total Pupil Premium students)
Looked after children	0	0%
Previously looked after children	7	1.04% (of total cohort)

Benchmark September 2021

Literacy:

- There were 18 Pupil Premium students in Year 7 who have reading ages below their actual age.
- There were 22 Pupil Premium students in Year 8 who have reading ages below their actual age.
- There were 21 Pupil Premium students in Year 9 who have reading ages below their actual age.
- There were 21 Pupil Premium students in Year 10 who have reading ages below their actual age.

Numeracy:

- We are currently assessing Year 7 using the Maths Progress Test to identify students that are working significantly below expected.
- There are 27 Pupil Premium students in Year 8 with a Maths Progress Test score that was significantly below expected (SAS Score 95 and below) when they were initially tested in September 2020.
- There are 11 Pupil Premium students in Year 9 with a SATS Maths score significantly below expected (Scaled Score 95 and below).
- There are 13 Pupil Premium students in Year 10 with a SATS Maths score significantly below expected (Scaled Score 95 and below).

Attendance:

- 23 Pupil Premium students in Year 8 had attendance rates lower than 95% last academic year.
- 38 Pupil Premium students in Year 9 had attendance rates lower than 95% last academic year.
- 37 Pupil Premium students in Year 10 had attendance rates lower than 95% last academic year.

Student Wellbeing:

The Academy has identified groups of students across Years 7-9 who need additional Pastoral support or support with emotional literacy.

- 9 Year 7 Pupil Premium students receive additional support from the Pastoral Manager.
- 10 Year 8 Pupil Premium students receive additional support from the Pastoral Manager.
- 11 Year 9 Pupil Premium students receive additional support from the Pastoral Manager.
- 14 Year 10 Pupil Premium students receive additional support from the Pastoral Manager.

Additional Emotional Literacy:

- Professional learning mentor - 9 Pupil Premium students across Years 7-10
- Confidential Counselling Service – 7 Pupil Premium students across Years 7-10
- Art/Play Therapy – 3 Pupil Premium students in Year 9 are accessing this support

Pupil Premium Strategy Review to date - Academic Year 2021-2022

Below sets out Bolder Academy's strategy for the academic year 2021-2022 and its evaluation of the impact of this strategy for Pupil Premium spend in the academic year 2021-2022. The table also identifies the activity cost, expected outcome as well as the Education Endowment Trust (EEF) analysis of such activities and interventions.

The analysis from the EEF indicates how strong the evidence is to indicate that the activity is impactful. 1 is the lowest score and 5 is the highest. The indicator also shows how many months progress a student is likely to make if they participate in the activity.

Activities	Cost	EEF Indicator - Evidence and Months	Expected outcome at start of academic year 2021-2022
Secure across the Academy, high quality of Teaching, Learning and Assessment			
Employment of primary specialist to support literacy and transition	£17,400	2/5 5 months	A specialist trained primary school teacher leads the Year 6 into Year 7 induction programme and supports students as they transition into secondary school. This staff member also oversees the planning, staff training and running of phonics based literacy interventions to support students that have a reading age that is significantly below expected.
Additional Literacy support for Pupil Premium students.	£37,938	2/5 4 months	Students identified as needing additional support follow an intensive phonics and comprehension based intervention: Fast Track Read, Write, Inc. These students are assessed at the start of the intervention and by establishing smaller intervention groups with a Literacy focus, teaching can be further adapted to fully meet the needs of the learners. It supports learners to achieve at least good outcomes and make excellent progress. The programme is delivered by a teaching member of staff. Students also have access to a specialist dyslexia teacher if required.

Bespoke programmes identified to support Pupil Premium High Prior Attainers.	£14,834	2/5 4 months	Students are coached by the Lead Practitioner for High Prior Attainers. Additional enriching curricular opportunities are on offer eg: teaching of Latin and Ancient Civilization. The students will be exposed to further opportunities and experiences to develop their self-esteem and future aspirations.
Additional Maths support for Pupil Premium students.	£31,364	3/5 5 months	The Maths curriculum intervention programme at Bolder is high quality and suits the needs of its learners. It supports learners to achieve at least good outcomes and make excellent progress. The programme is delivered by a teaching member of staff and allows for small group teaching by subject specialists.
Additional English support for Pupil Premium students.	£44,683	3/5 5 months	The English curriculum intervention programme at Bolder is high quality and suits the needs of its learners. It supports learners to achieve at least good outcomes and make excellent progress. The programme is delivered by a teaching member of staff and allows for small group teaching by subject specialists.
Teaching Assistant support in-class, small group and 1:1 support.	£6,509	3/5 4 months	Secure progress for all students through effective in-class, small group and 1:1 support. Teaching Assistants will work under the supervision of specialist staff to deliver effective support to students in both academic and pastoral contexts. This will have a highly positive impact on student progress, emotional wellbeing and confidence.
Additional EAL support for Pupil Premium students.	£6,396	4 months	A Languages Teacher leads the whole school induction and intervention programme for students with EAL. Students access 1:1, in-class and small-group support to help them to understand and be able to use the language of the curriculum and to make accelerated progress.
Music lessons with peripatetic music teachers	£2,500	1/5 3 months	Pupil Premium students have access to subsidised peripatetic music lessons. Students have the opportunity to learn a range of instruments including guitar and drums.
Homework club for Pupil Premium students.	£932	2/5 5 months	Students access support with the completion of homework. Students become better organised, more independent and are able to meet deadlines.
Summer School to support Pupil Premium students between Year 6 and 7.	£4,350	3/5 3 months	Students can attend summer school during the summer holidays. All sessions are delivered by school teaching staff or pastoral managers. Support staff are also available to work with the students that require additional emotional literacy intervention.

Personal development, wellbeing and behaviour			
Access to a confidential school counsellor for Pupil Premium students.	£4,200	4/5 3 months	Wellbeing is supported through 1:1 confidential counselling sessions. Impact is monitored through the scores for any wellbeing surveys completed. Students can self-refer to this service and request additional sessions if they require further support.
Speech and Language Therapist support for Pupil Premium students.	£7,000		Students access 1:1 and small-group support from a trained Speech and Language therapist. Strategies are shared with students, staff and parents to support learning in the mainstream classroom. Students are also supported to develop social skills and improve social communication.
Educational Psychologist support for Pupil Premium students.	£3,600		Students, staff and parents/carers are given strategies to support learning. Students can also be assessed to identify any underlying learning needs.
Bespoke wellbeing programmes through social and emotional learning support for Pupil Premium students.	£1,317	4/5 4 months	Students who have been identified as being at risk or vulnerable through wellbeing survey receive small group or 1:1 emotional literacy support. This includes professional mentoring and coaching programmes, as well as therapeutic opportunities such as art therapy.
Additional attendance support for Pupil Premium students.	£770	4/5 0 months	Students become better organised and punctuality and attendance improves. Students are monitored and regular contact is kept with parents.
Additional Pastoral support for Pupil Premium students.	£25,000	3/5 8 months	Members of the Pastoral Team support through child centred pastoral plans and deliver a programme of mentoring/coaching for students identified as requiring additional pastoral support.
Alternative Provision: Early Intervention Programme support for Pupil Premium students.	£11,500		Positive attitude from students and growing engagement in lessons. Students have access to small-group teaching from a subject specialist and weekly professional mentoring and therapeutic input such as trips to Jamie's Farm.