

Review of previous academic year 2020-21

Funding Allocated Pupil Premium Funding 2020-2021: £191,197

We have high aspirations for all children in our school and are determined that they are all given every opportunity to reach their full potential. Pupil Premium funding is given to all schools to provide additional support for disadvantaged pupils in order to address the current underlying inequalities between children eligible for free school meals (FSM) and other pupils who have been entitled to FSM in the last 6 years. This is called 'Ever 6'. We use the additional funding strategically to ensure that pupils eligible for FSM receive specific, carefully planned teaching, support and opportunities so that they achieve as well as those who do not require FSM. We are completely committed to raising the attainment of every child and every group and we strive to make sure that this happens year on year. Children entitled to FSM can be known as some of our more vulnerable children which is why this pupil premium funding is dedicated to supporting their needs. We expect to see the impact of spending through the accelerated progress these children make. We track this progress every term following testing and teacher assessment. The school SENCO/Inclusion manager's annual report describes the full numeric impact of intervention strategies child by child. It cannot be published on the school's website due to data protection as children can be identified in it.

COVID 19 DfE *

The DfE announced that the National Curriculum Tests for Summer 2021 were cancelled.

Data table below is for July 2019, instead of July 2021, as a result - verified by the IDSR and ASP.



| Current Attainment (This data is from 2019 as there were no national tests in 2021) | | | | |
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| | Pupils eligible for PP in the | Pupils not eligible for PP in | National Average for all pupils | |
| | school | the school | in 2019 | |
| % achieving expected standards in R,W, and M combined | 58.8% | 76.9% | 65% | |
| at KS2 | | | | |
| % achieving greater depth in R,W, and M combined at KS2 | 5.9% | 0 | 10.5% | |
| % achieving expected standard in reading KS2 | 70.6% | 76.9% | 73% | |
| % achieving greater depth in reading KS2 | 11.8% | 15.4% | 27% | |
| % achieving expected standard in writing KS2 | 88.2% | 92.3% | 78% | |
| % achieving greater depth in writing KS2 | 17.6% | 30.8% | 20% | |
| % achieving expected standard in maths KS2 | 70.6% | 76.9% | 79% | |
| % achieving greater depth in maths KS2 | 5.9% | 7.7% | 27% | |
| % achieving expected standard in reading KS1 | 88.9% | 76.9% | 75% | |
| % achieving expected standard in writing KS1 | 83.3% | 76.9% | 69% | |
| % achieving expected standard in maths KS1 | 83.3% | 76.9% | 76% | |
| %achieving GLD in EYFS | 58.3% | 81.3% | 71.8% | |

| Desired Outcome | Chosen action/ approach | Estimated impact: Did you meet the success criteria? Include impact on pupils not eligible for PP, if appropriate | Lessons Learned (and whether you will continue with this approach) | Cost |
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| A) Increase in % of SEND PP children reaching expected level in R,W,M combined at KS2 | Employ two Assistant Heads with responsibility for SEN (one for EYFS and one for KS1/2). | Due to lockdowns it is hard to make comparisons with pre COVID years. Children with SEND struggled to engage with remote learning and the school offered places to children | Due to COVID it was very difficult to use the planned approaches. There were continued staff shortages including high levels of absence of senior leaders. A need to build capacity at | £39,000 (AHT 50% cost) £15,800 (additional EYFS teacher for 1 term) £5,700 (EP additional 10 days) |



| Early identification of children with SEN in EYFS. AHT EYFS to run small group language intervention groups and phonics groups. AHT SENCO to run small group reading/ phonics interventions in KS1. Additional EYFS teacher in Autumn term to release EYFS/KS1 coordinator to deliver reading interventions in EYFS and KS1. Additional SALT/ EP time SENCO to model and support QFT Targeted intervention programme Partnerships with outside organisations / business links/ volunteers to provide additional T support in classes with high Additional TA support in classes with high Targeted intervention in child and phase leaders will be to their SEND. Take up of these places was quite high in the second lockdown. Teacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Teacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Treacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Treacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Writing: 87% Writing: 87% Writing: 87% Writing: 87% Writing: 87% Writing: 70% Writing: 70% Maths: 50% Ry,W.M: 50% Writing: 75% Additional TA support in classes with high Port children with SEN Additional TA support in classes with high Teacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Treacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Treacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Treacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Treacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Treacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Treacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Treacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Treacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: Treacher Assessment | | | | | |
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| outside organisations / business links/ volunteers to provide additional support for children with SEND • Additional TA support in classes with high Maths: 50% R,W,M: 50% Maths: 50% R,W,M: 50% All PP children with SEN except 1 child made more than expected progress in Maths: 50% R,W,M: 50% Provision in 21-22 to include Y1 children with High Needs who need specialist support outside of the classroom. | | children with SEN in EYFS. AHT EYFS to run small group language intervention groups and phonics groups. AHT SENCO to run small group reading/ phonics interventions in KS1. Additional EYFS teacher in Autumn term to release EYFS/KS1 coordinator to deliver reading interventions in EYFS and KS1. Additional SALT/ EP time SENCO to model and support QFT Targeted intervention programme | to their SEND. Take up of these places was quite high in the second lockdown. Teacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for: PP: Reading: 80% Writing: 87% Maths: 80% R,W,M: 80% SEN: Reading: 60% Writing: 70% Maths: 70% R,W,M: 50 % PP and SEN (4 children) Reading: 50% | and phase leaders will be non-class based in 21-22. An assistant SENCO will be in place from January 2022. This approach will continue in the new academic year where hopefully staffing levels will allow for interventions to take place. Relationships with partner organisations will be reestablished in 21-22. Due to vey high intake of children in Reception and Nursery with High Level needs a specialist Early Years autism provision was established. The additional EYFS teacher delivered this provision in the Autumn | |
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| | Also Catch Up Reading and maths interventions delivered through: - DFE Learning Mentor - Before and After School Booster Sessions delivered by Teachers/ Tas - Targeted KS2 daily small group maths teaching (Teacher led) | | | |
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| B) Increase in % of PP children achieving greater depth in R,W,M at KS1 and KS2 | To run targeted interventions taught by the Deputy Head and HOS 5 days a week for less able and more able pupil premium pupils in KS2. To provide Y6 booster classes including those aimed at more able disadvantaged children Introduce KS2 AND EYFS/KS1 co-ordinator roles with 10% release time to focus on raising standards through | There was an increase from 2019 of children assessed at Greater Depth (based on Teacher assessment). Teacher Assessment in Year 6 was as follows for Greater Depth: PP: Reading: 33% Writing: 13% Maths: 27% R,W,M: 13% Teacher Assessment in Year 2 was as follows for Greater Depth: PP: | Due to COVID closures and staff absences More Able groups were not run consistently. There were some targeted interventions for example the DFE Learning mentor worked with MA children in Key Stage 2. The focus was on ensuring all children including MA children making more than expected progress to close gaps lost by Covid. The focus on closing gaps in reading in KS1 was effective and this is reflected in more | £1875 (boosters) £8970 (cover for phase leaders) £360.00 (NACE membership) £340.00 (Times Tables Rockstar subscription) £2000 (targeted enrichment) £ 500 (resources for WCR) £1380 (cover for pupil progress meetings) |



| working alongside teachers. Targeted enrichmen activities for more a PP children. DHT and HOS to sup implementation of n curriculum through targeted support of teaching and learnin with a focus on disadvantaged children. | ble R,W,M: 13% port new | children reaching GD in this subject. There will be a whole school review in teaching writing in 21-22 including the introduction of a new handwriting scheme and moving towards the Talk for Writing approach. The school is working towards NACE accreditation (this was postponed to Autumn 21) | |
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| curriculum through targeted support of teaching and learning | ren ore o nt of oble es od nd at cy and oer | Writing approach. The school is working towards NACE accreditation | |



| C) Improve outcomes for PP children in Reading in KS2. D) Increase in % of PP | primary tool for teaching reading in Y2-6. To introduce whole class reading in place of Reciprocal reading as the primary tool for teaching reading in Y2-6. Focus on vocabulary development as the main barrier to achievement in reading. Focused vocabulary teaching daily using Vocab Ninja, development of subject specific vocabulary, Whole Class Reading. Employment of an Early | Teacher Assessment in reading was as follows for: PP (non PP) at ARE: Y6 Reading: 80% (87%) Y5 Reading: 20% (25%) Y4 Reading: 43% (75%) Y3 Ash Reading:27% (46%) Y3 Palm Reading 50% (44%) Some classes are affected by high numbers of SEND PP children. Many of the planned | reflecting the key focus on reading skills for Covid recovery. WCR will continue to be embedded. This approach has supported children to improve their comprehension skills especially around clarifying new vocabulary. More children are working at a masterly level in Reading than other subjects reflecting the key focus on reading skills for Covid recovery. We have purchased (with support from a grant from Richard Reeves foundation) individual copies of all WCR texts. This enables WCR to continue fully in event of remote learning. | £33,400 (AHT 50%) £2750 (Early Years LA support) £24,000 (Additional TA support) £ 500 (coaching training) |
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| D) Increase in % of PP children working at ARE in the Prime areas on entry to Reception | Employment of an Early Years AHT with 50% teaching commitment. EYFS/KS1 Co-ordinator with 10% release time to focus on raising standards. | Many of the planned strategies were negatively impacted by COVID 19 including school closures, delayed starting of new nursery children after Christmas, extended | These strategies will be continued in 21-22. EYFS phase leader will be nonclass based after Christmas. Kitchen Club will re-start in September. | |



- Screening of language skills of all children on entry to EYFS and provision of language groups to those with identified needs.
- Targeted language interventions – Nuffield Intervention and Box intervention.
- Review of physical development opportunities including use of LA advisory team to audit provision, completion of HEYL award, provision of "Kitchen Club" to promote healthy eating to families.
- Use of LA advisory team to provide training on quality interactions.
- Additional TA support in EYFS to support
- EYFS AHT to attend coaching training in order to support staff development

absence of senior leaders and other staff. There was also an intake in Reception and Nursery with exceptionally high needs which meant TA support had to be focused on supporting these children. Language groups have been delivered consistently across nursery and reception when school has been open and to children attending in lockdown. Staff have accessed training and worked with the Early Years SALT. Due to financial impact of COVID the additional SALT support could not be continued after April 21 which also had a negative impact on provision of targeted support. Kitchen Club could not run due to COVID restrictions. Coaching training was cancelled due to COVID. LA support was more limited and was delivered remotely. Prime Areas



| E) Widen children's cultural opportunities to close the experience gap between disadvantaged children and other children | Provision of subsidised clubs, residential trips and curriculum linked trips and visits to support our Learning for Life vision Provision of workshops and trips linked to the arts A programme of activities to raise aspiration including Dreamcatcher assemblies Provision of Forest School activities for all children. | End of Rec: End of Nursery: We have managed to continue to provide wider opportunities and a broad curriculum based in first hand experiences. This has had to be adapted due to Covid e.g. more online museum workshops. All children have been out on trips in the Autumn and Summer terms including Y6 attending their week residential at PGL. Dreamcatcher assemblies were unable to take place. However, children had weekly inspirational people assemblies. All classes received a block of Forest School Sessions and during lockdown children in school took part in Forest School wellbeing sessions. All classes had workshops with the Garden classroom in the Autumn | The school's curriculum is built around these principles and these opportunities will continue to be at the heart of learning. We will provide other Y3 and 4 classes with day residential experiences. | £18,000(subsidised residentials) £2500 (trips incl. transport) £1000 (forest school resources) Forest school teacher 1.5 days a week (£17,000) |
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| F) Support children's mental health and build their resilience | Continue to employ a pastoral support officer | Term. Pastoral Support officer has provided interventions (1:1 and small group) | Continue to provide reflective practice groups | £ 19,500 (50%pastoral support officer costs) |



| to provide intervention throughout the year. Some and extend this to more f1026 (additional CAN groups and 1:1 support children with more staff. | ИHS |
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| for children with SEMH challenging behaviour have There is a need for a clear £1,400 – Well-being book | |
| needs seen a reduction in and consistent delivery tool £ 2,000 – ITIPS Programn | ne |
| Provide a nurture class incidents and have been for teaching emotional | |
| with additional Teacher successfully linked into early literacy. The school will | |
| and TA support for the help services such as introduce the RULER | |
| children with the Targeted Youth Support, programme in September | |
| highest level of need Chance UK and Family which complements ITIPS | |
| Deliver the ITIPS training Support. but offers a more | |
| programme so all staff ITIPS programme has been streamlined and structured | |
| have a trauma informed delivered to all staff and approach. | |
| approach to their work continued throughout the | |
| Work in partnership year including providing | |
| with a behaviour staff reflection groups with | |
| consultant to provide link ITIPS EP, ITIPS working | |
| workshops to parents, group, focused INSET | |
| work with SLT on (including covid recovery). | |
| reviewing policy and Staff have reported better | |
| procedure and to coach understanding of how to | |
| teachers support children through a | |
| Purchase additional trauma informed approach | |
| CAMHS time in Autumn and there has been a | |
| term to support children reduction in behaviour | |
| returning to school incidences being referred to | |
| following lockdown. SLT. There is a cohesive and | |
| Introduce reflective consistent approach to | |
| supervision groups for supporting children with | |
| Teachers and TA's to challenging behaviour. | |
| enable staff to better Additional CAMHS time was | |
| purchased. | |



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| | relationships. Children | | |
| | attending nurture class are | | |
| | now accessing more | | |
| | mainstream classroom | | |
| | activities. | | |
| To provide more | There has been an increase | We were unable to | £5,400 (Islington Library |
| opportunities to read for | in children reading for | implement some of the | Service) |
| pleasure at home and at | pleasure as evidenced by | planned strategies e.g. | £1320 (English co-ordinator |
| school including starting | the number of books from | wider use of the library, soft | release cover) |
| school 10 minutes | the Reading Passport and | start, reading open | £ 520.00 – Bug Club |
| earlier (soft start), | Islington Reading Roadmap | mornings due to COVID | _ |
| reading buddies, parent | that have been read. | restrictions. | |
| and child reading | Children are talking about | We will continue to | |
| | books more and teachers | implement whole school | |
| | report more enjoyment and | reading for pleasure | |
| lunch time with staff | | | |
| reading stories to | Reading has been prioritised | _ | |
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| | To continue subscribe to the Islington Library Service and visit the Islington library To subscribe to Bug Club an online reading programme. | expectation is also highest in reading in 70% of classes. Big Club enabled children to continue to read widely when at home during school closure periods. | | |
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| H) Support for families that are facing social and economic challenges | Continue to employ a full-time Pastoral Support Officer to develop and support pupil's emotional, social and behavioural needs. Targeted support for vulnerable families experiencing financial difficulties and parenting skills i.e. ensuring children come to school every day and on time. This support extends to promoting parent's early engagement with the school and their child's learning. High level focus on attendance including LA | See above for impact of Pastoral Support Officer. Throughout the school year including lockdown periods there has been considerable support for families including regular phone calls during lockdown periods for all families and up to daily contact for vulnerable families. The school has a high number of families on the pastoral care register and regular multi agency meetings are held to plan support for these families. The school engages well with external agencies and successfully refers and signposts parents to early help. During COVID a number of families have experienced financial and | These strategies are working well. However, the level of need in the school is exceptional and the structure of the pastoral team needs to be looked at to increase capacity in the future. | £ 3,500 (additional staff member for breakfast club) |



| | support, high profile activities linked to attendance e.g. assemblies, rewards, focus at parent meetings, newsletters • Provision of a heavily subsidised breakfast club open to all children (this is temporarily capped at 30 during covid 19 restrictions) | emotional hardship. The school has supported families through grant applications to community partners and accessing other support search Islington Covid support and local food banks. Breakfast club continued to operate on reduced numbers for children of low income working parents and identified vulnerable children at a heavily subsidised cost of £1 per day. There has been high expectations around attendance (where permitted) and this extended to remote learning where attendance was taken twice daily. | | |
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| I) Improve access to and uptake of remote learning amongst disadvantaged children. | Purchase of 60 Chrome books to be loaned to disadvantaged children during periods of remote learning. | The strategies for increasing engagement with remote learning have been highly successful. This area was well planned and resourced. All children and staff were given training on remote learning in | Continue to develop Google Classroom to enhance remote learning capabilities. | £ 2,500 Additional IT consultant time £ 3,500 Printing costs of paper remote learning home packs The school managed to receive enough donations of |



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| September in preparation | equipment to not need to |
| for another lockdown. | purchase any directly. |
| All children were provided | |
| with a paper pack, text | |
| books and stationary. Any | |
| child who did not have | |
| access to technology was | |
| loaned school equipment | |
| and teachers taught lessons | |
| online daily. Engagement | |
| with online lessons was very | |
| high- over 90% in all classes | |
| in KS1 and 2. As a result very | |
| few children failed to make | |
| progress during the Spring | |
| term lockdown. Any | |
| children who were | |
| identified as having | |
| difficulties with remote | |
| learning were given a school | |
| place and the school had | |
| 141 children attending. | |

