

Pupil Premium at Killigrew Primary and Nursery School

What is Pupil Premium?

Schools are given additional funding each year to support them in improving the attainment of children in low income families. This is because research shows that children from low income families can perform less well in school than their peers.

Which pupils are entitled to Pupil Premium?

The Pupil Premium Grant (PPG) is provided to all schools to support pupils within the following categories:

- Pupils who are currently registered for Free School Meals.
- Pupils who have been registered for Free School Meals at any point during the last six years;
- Pupils in the care of a Local Authority;
- Pupils who have been adopted but have been looked after for one day or more, or were adopted from care on or after 30th December 2005 and left care under:
 - A Special Guardianship Order on or after 30th December 2005
 - A Residence Order on or after 14th October 1991
- Pupils whose parents are serving with the UK Armed Forces

Why it is important to register your child's eligibility?

The decision about how schools use their Pupil Premium is left to each school, but with the expectation that they will close the gap in attainment and progress between those eligible and other children nationally.

When we receive Pupil Premium funding for your child, we use this money to successfully enrich our provision in many different ways. Full details of how we use the funding is available in our Pupil Premium Strategy, but just a few examples are as follows:

Twice weekly sessions are provided for small groups of pupils who need additional social and emotional support through the school Nurture Support Programme (Hub).

We provide small group intervention sessions for pupils. These are personalised to ensure that any areas for development are specifically targeted.

We provide priority places for eligible children in clubs such as band club, sports clubs and other extra-curricular events.

How do you register for the funding?

If you think that your child could be eligible then please register using this link. If you would like any help with the process, please come and ask at the school office. No one will know you have registered and it will not affect any other benefits you are claiming.

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>