

Pupil Premium Spending 2014-15

Narrowing the gap between the progress and attainment of our more vulnerable pupils and the rest of the cohort is a high priority at Turton High School. We recognise the need to provide learning and cultural opportunities as well as high quality pastoral support for all pupils, especially for those who are disadvantaged in some way. We acknowledge that there are still some areas to focus on and we are addressing them wholeheartedly in the current academic year.

The impact of additional teachers in English and maths is proving to be beneficial for all pupils and impacting on those who are disadvantaged in both KS3 and 4. A keen focus on maths will continue to be a high priority so that all pupils achieve their potential in this key subject area. We will continue to address the issue of boys' achievement and ensure those who need extra support in terms of intervention, mentoring or equipment.

Turton's ethos is based on a holistic approach to the education of our pupils. We believe it is the duty of schools, in partnership with parents, to develop well rounded individuals who can make a positive impact on society. With this in mind, we will continue to provide cultural experiences that will allow pupils to understand the wider implications of their beliefs and actions. Pupil Premium funding will therefore support curriculum visits such as the Year 7 Faith and Philosophy trip to places of worship and the Year 8 Theatre Trip. Other opportunities to visit universities as well as trips working on personal development will also be supported to help pupils realise their full potential.

We have taken into account the impact of some of the interventions we implemented last year when deciding the way we spend our Pupil Premium allocation this academic year. We will also continue to provide vocational opportunities for pupils where necessary.

We believe that attendance and engagement in school life are key factors in success. Academic mentors and pastoral support staff are aware of our disadvantaged students and, along with the appointment of an Attendance Officer to support our Pastoral Secretary, we aim to ensure that closer links with parents will further improve the attendance of all pupils.

Finally, we have taken steps to supplement the provision for those on free school meals by adding extra funds at break time to make sure all pupils have had a nutritious breakfast or snack in the middle of the day. This not only supports their ability to learn throughout the day but addresses the social implications of disadvantage.

If you have any questions about the Pupil Premium funding please contact.

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Intervention	Academic year 2015/16	Basis of costing
Additional maths and english specialists have been employed to impact on all year groups, to reduce class sizes and provide interventions at both KS3 and 4.	£82,235	2 FTE Teacher (M6)
A number of Learning Mentors specifically work with targeted PP students providing support in and out of lessons.	£46,704	2 x mentors x 0.8 FTE
Leadership time to develop the role of Pupil Premium Champions in each department	£354	5 hours of AHT
Mentor training in CBT to support pupils with mental health issues.	£1,800	Cost
A specialist mentor supports pupils who access an alternative curriculum so they are adequately supported supported through their college and work placements	£14,595	1 x mentors x 0.5 FTE
	£5,000	5x college placements
An extra £1.20 per day added to the accounts of pupils who receive FSM o allow purchase of food and drink at break time.	£12,690	Based on previous year
English and maths specialists deliver interventions within Applied Learning to address lack of progress. Supported by teaching assistants, pupil receive personalised interventions	£14,863	2 periods a week all year of PA, AJ, MJ, UN
Literacy scheme purchased to encourage love of reading in years 7 and 8 with the aim of impacting on boys' reading in particular. Fiction books will be provided to encourage reading at home.	£4,000	Contribution to Accelerated Reading scheme costs
	£200	Fiction books 40 books at £5 each
Opportunities were provided for pupils to engage fully in all aspects of school life including raising aspirations for future study and employment as well as experiencing cultural activities.	£5,000	Based on previous year's spend
Revision sessions for Years 10 and 11 with incentives aimed at underachieving pupils after	£1,050	1 hour RB after school from Feb half term.

school aiming to target revision techniques, as well as confidence, self-esteem and motivation.	£2,000	Revision materials, revision books, stationery, etc
Pastoral Secretary to work with Pastoral Leaders targeting attendance issues and providing feedback to those parents who struggle to attend Parents' Evenings	£22,077	0.5 FTE Admin Support + 0.2 FTE Mentor Support+ 1 hr every other week Pastoral Leaders x 5
Contribution to extra-curricular activities to ensure pupils are engaged until the end of studies and exam timetable	£3,000	Based on previous year's spend
Professional poet/motivational speaker to promote boys' literacy	£2,000	Cost
Personalised timetables	£10,454	AJ/BD to cover 5 period each a fortnight
	£217,567	

Money received

PPG - Free meals 2015/16 £203,830

LAC - upfront payment 2015/16 £10,800

PPG -Service children £600

£215,230

Money spent less money received

-£2,337