Witton Park Pupil Premium Grant Expenditure 2019-20

The government allocates an amount of money to each school that is in addition to main school funding. This money is called the Pupil Premium Grant (PPG). Schools are free to spend the PPG as they see fit. They are, however, accountable for how they have used the funding to support students eligible for pupil premium funding.

At Witton Park we have allocated expenditure based on evidence from the Sutton Trust who produced a report that compares the effectiveness of variety of school activities compared to the cost of the activity.

Overview of the school allocation 2019-20

Number of students and pupil premium grant received		
Total number of students on roll Sept 2019	1142	
Total number of students eligible for PPG	416	
Amount of PPG per pupil	£935	
Total amount of PPG received	£388960	

Summary of PPG Spending 2019-20

Objectives in spending PPG have continued from 2018-19:-

- Narrow the gap between PP students and non-PP students who achieve a grade 4 in both English and Maths, and progress score from KS2 in English and Maths.
- Ensure that overall attendance remains high for PP students with a focus on reducing persistent absence.
- Ensure that all PP students have access to enrichment activities.
- Ensure that PP students receive intervention to reduce the frequency of behaviour points.
- To improve the proportion of PP students taking the EBACC route.
- To ensure that PP students are not disadvantaged by new specification GCSE's.
- To improve performance of PP students at 7+ across the school

New objectives for 2018-19 are:-

• To provide suitable alternative curriculum for students at risk of moving to external AP

Action	Rationale	Success criteria	Cost
Reduce class sizes across English, Maths and Science by employing one more colleague in each of these areas To ensure that focused small group support for PP students is effective	The smaller classes contain a higher proportion of pupil premium students. These students receive a greater degree of individualised support from their class teacher and also a greater amount of student to student collaboration.	Reduce gap between PP/Non PP students in all measures to zero by Sept 2019 Increased proportion of PP students obtain grade 4/5 in English and Maths	£51,212.50
Provision of specialist teaching within Alternative provision	We have identified that pupil premium students who are most at risk of being placed within external AP. Internal AP will decrease the number of pupils referred to AP and give them better qualifications.	Reduction in need for external AP	£60714.50

Action	Rationale	Success criteria	Cost
To secure the attendance of those	It has been proven that attendance	Attendance for pupil premium students is	£43,509
students who are eligible for the	at school has a direct influence on	above 96%	
Pupil Premium so that attendance	achievement. Nationally pupil		
exceeds the national average. This	premium students attendance is		
includes the subsidies given to pupil	below non pupil premium students		
premium students for a bus service.			
To support pupil premium pupils	Sutton Trust identify lack of ICT	Review uptake of Chromebooks by PP Dec	£28,085
with the purchase of 1:1	access as a barrier to PP	2019	
Chromebooks	performance	Evaluate use of Chromebooks June 2019	
To develop a whole school strategy	Summer schools, transition and	Parental voice shows favourable response to	£46,200
to support transition from primary to	parental involvement have all	transition	
secondary school so that barriers to	demonstrated high effect sizes for	Effective provision map in place for all groups	
learning can be identified early and	medium cost	of students on entry to Witton Park	
gaps addressed			
To ensure that all pupil premium	Early intervention has been shown	All PP in year 7/8 to make expected progress	£38,275
students who start Witton Park in	to have significant effect although it	with 30% making more than expected	
the range 90 to 100 receive catch up	is high cost	progress	
provision to ensure they make good			
progress			

Action	Rationale	Success criteria	Cost
To provide a school mental health	Behaviour interventions and social &	All students referred to	£34,164
support for all pupil premium	emotional aspects have high effect	mentoring/coaching have detailed	
students to access if necessary	sizes	intervention plan with success criteria	
		Behaviour incidents of students referred to	
		counsellor show a significant reduction	
To ensure all pupil premium	Outdoor education, sports and arts	Revision classes for year 11 attended by 30%	£20,000
students have access to enrichment	education all have positive effect	of PP	
activities through DofE, peripatetic	sizes for little cost	All PP pupils in year 7 attend outdoor	
music and sport activities		education opportunity	
		Peripatetic tuition evaluated for PP	
		participation	
To provide a Summer school for all	Smooth transition is essential in	Attendance at Summer School	£20,000
PP students transitioning from year	ensuring there is no dip in	Attendance at summer sensor	120,000
6 to 7	,	Behaviour of PP students exemplary at the	
	1 -	start of year 7	
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To provide subsidised transport for	Attendance of vulnerable students	Bus take up tracked throughout the year	£46,800
students so that they can achieve	is key to their success		
high attendance			