



## Pupil Premium

Coal Clough Academy is an 11 – 16 Alternative Provision for young people, many of whom have found it difficult to be successful in a mainstream school.

The Local Authority commissions the school for up to 150 pupils although numbers fluctuate throughout the school year.

- Pupils who qualify for pupil premium include:
- Those pupils entitled to free school meals (FSM)
- Those pupils who have at any point over the last six years been eligible for Free School Meals (Ever 6FSM)
- Looked after children (LAC)
- Children adopted from care in England (under the Adoption and Children Act 2002) – where parents have informed the school
- Armed forces children

### **Funding Pupil Premium**

In the financial year April 2019 to March 2020 the school pupil premium funding received was £66,850.00

### **Pupil Premium Plus**

This relates to children looked after and is provided to schools to facilitate the support identified in the Personal Education Plan (PEP). The funds received will differ subject to the needs of the individual pupil.

## **Using the Pupil Premium Funding**

In making decisions on the use of Pupil Premium we will

- Ensure that funding allocated to our school is used solely for its intended purpose
- Use the latest evidence based research on proven strategies which work to narrow the attainment gap and adapt these as necessary to meet the needs of our pupils
- Be transparent in our reporting of how we have used the Pupil Premium funding and ensure that there is robust monitoring and evaluation in place for its use by the school and the Governing Body
- Encourage take up of FSM by working proactively with our parents and carers in a sensitive and supportive manner to remove any potential barriers whilst recognising the vital role parents and carers play.
- Understand that FSM pupils may have a wide range of needs and use strategies which will raise attainment and meet individual and group needs.
- Ensure high quality teaching and learning

## **How we will do this**

- Individual and small group interventions: targeted support and direct intervention in Literacy and Numeracy
- Key Stage 4 pupils: GCSE preparation support
- Social, emotional and engagement support for pupils via: counselling options, school holiday support, school uniform.
- The Link - Target interventions identified through SEND
- BFC in the community

PP breakdown

Pupil Premium Strategy statement

### 1. Summary

<b>School</b>	Coal Clough Academy		
<b>Academic Year</b>	20/21	Total PP budget	£64,450.00
<b>Total Number of Pupils</b>	121	Total number of students eligible for PP	70

<b>Barriers to future attainment (for pupils eligible for PP)</b>	
<b>In School barriers</b>	
	Behaviours of learners - Resilience
	Mental Health difficulties and anxiety of pupils
	Literacy and Numeracy skills
<b>External Barriers</b>	
	Attendance of students
	Social and Emotional Issues
	Low Parental Support/ Positive Role Models

<b>Desired outcomes</b>	<b>Actions Undertaken</b>	<b>Impact</b>	<b>Cost</b>
Solihull Parenting Course to be delivered to families	Groups identified	Parental support will increase and students will feel valued	
Targeted SEMH interventions	Additional Support from SEND Team	Progress though academic reports and non academic staff	
Targeted rewards for PP students with 100% for the week	Weekly attendance data submitted and tracked	Increase in attendance for PP students	