

## PUPIL PREMIUM 2019/20

The Pupil Premium Grant (PPG) is additional funding given to schools so that they can support their disadvantaged pupils and close the attainment gap between them and their peers. The school received additional PPG funding based on the number of students at our school who are eligible for Free School Meals (FSM). At Cardinal Pole this is close to 60% of students on roll. The total value of PPG funding is £520795.

In line with guidance from the Department of Education, Cardinal Pole School aims to support our disadvantaged students through a range of targeted support, intervention and whole school initiatives including pastoral and academic. Details of these interventions are listed and the associated costs are summarised below. Cardinal Pole Catholic School has demonstrated success in supporting the progress and attainment of its disadvantaged pupils to the extent where most students make more progress than the national average by the end of year 11. The attainment gap between PPG students and Non-PPG students continue to narrow as a result of the impact of our work with these students. The number of pupil premium students remains very high compared to both national and local statistics. As a school in a borough identified as having one of the highest levels of child poverty in the UK, many students suffer in some way from the effects of poverty and deprivation: potentially low levels of aspiration and expectations; poor prior literacy and numeracy; lack of cultural enrichment; lack of family experience of university and professional careers; mental health issues, poor diet and housing issues.

### **The next steps:**

The school has changed the approach to using funds to support quality first teaching and explicit targeting of groups. This has included specific targeting of middle prior attainment boy groups and a focus on the achievement of Young Black Men who are also predominantly PPG students.

<b>FOCUS</b>	<b>COST</b>
Targeted support PSM/behaviour management and inclusion	£160,000
Learning Mentor and targeted support, Young Black Men achievement and external counsellors	£80,000
Classes of targeted support in Yr. 7 (Yr. 7 catch up) and reading recovery.	£12,600
English, Maths, Science additional staff.	£141,000
Targeted support, nurture groups	£40,000
Targeted support: revision classes and Extended school October, February, May half terms, Easter and Saturday school	£80,000
Breakfast club	£2,500
Uniform provision	£2,000
Refreshments for students on targeted support	£2,695
<b>TOTAL VALUE OF PPG FUNDING</b>	<b>£520,795</b>