

**CARDINAL POLE
SECONDARY SCHOOL**



PUPIL PREMIUM 2020/21

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 £509015.

As you will be aware, the school had a plan in place to retain the narrowing of the gap secured in previous years and the spending was allocated as follows:

FOCUS	COST	Intended outcome
Targeted support through mentoring/ PSM/behaviour management and inclusion	£170,000	To assist in retaining low exclusions and high engagement.
Learning Mentor and targeted support, Young Black Men achievement and external counsellors	£30,000	To target progress of BC PPG students where a gap remains unclosed. To target ppg students transitioning from Primary school who are not secondary ready.
Classes of targeted support in Yr. 7 and reading recovery.	£13,015	To target students who are not yet at the reading ages needed to access secondary provision.
Targeted support, nurture groups	£40,000	To support identified students who have found the organisation of secondary schools a challenge so that an amended curriculum delivery style and support is made available to support engagement and access.
Targeted support for access to laptops for PPG students to assist with remote learning and additional out of school classes	£140,000	To ensure that PPG students are not disadvantaged during the on-going pandemic where households have limited access to IT and wifi so that they are able to have access to the range of resources available to assist in extending and reinforcing learning.
Targeted support for additional resources including text books and on line conferences to support learning for the recovery curriculum not funded elsewhere	£30,000	To provide additional resources for home access in anticipation of the need for remote learning and for the development of independent learning.
Targeted support: revision classes and Extended school October, February, May half terms, Easter and Saturday school Year 10/12	£80,000	Although a recovery curriculum is in place, there is a need to close the gap for some students, which has grown wider during the period of disruption to learning and in particular of PPG students.
Uniform provision	£3,000	To ensure that no student is disadvantaged by not being able to access uniform to support engagement and wellbeing.
Refreshments for students on targeted support in post school sessions.	£3,000	To ensure, in operating and extended day to 5pm, that students are provided with refreshment to encourage and support engagement.
TOTAL VALUE OF PPG FUNDING	£509015	

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