

1. What is P.E.F. and what is it for?

Pupil Equity Funding is a sum of money designed to support disadvantaged learners

Every learner who lives in an **SIMD 1 or 2** area, as well as children with a **Free Meal Entitlement** are eligible for this funding

The school received **£41,650** for eligible learners this session

There are currently around **72 eligible learners** in our school and ELC

Our tracking and monitoring clearly shows that in general learners entitled to PEF have **lower attainment than their peers**

We are required to use the PEF to close the '**Poverty Related Attainment Gap**'

2. What does this mean for class teachers?

Our teachers know their children very well and recognise **who is eligible for P.E.F.** in their class

Our teachers know where the **gaps** are for identified learners and will plan for **next steps** and **progress in learning** through **appropriate interventions**

Opportunities for increased **pace and challenge** will be facilitated for identified learners on or ahead of track

If you have any concerns about your child's **lateness or attendance**, please pass them on quickly so that the Senior Leadership Team can support you



3. How will we use P.E.F. to close the gap?

Our Literacy Pedagogy Officer will work with us in Literacy, writing, reading and listening and talking

Targeted Interventions in Literacy and Numeracy and Health & Wellbeing

After-schools Clubs can be readily accessed

Support for Learning Teacher to support children with appropriate interventions

Participatory Budgeting will be utilised and will ensure all children's voices are heard in decision making

Cost Of the School Day strategies will be created and utilised

4. How will we track the impact of P.E.F?

Tracking and Monitoring procedures will allow us to see how much progress learners are making as a result of interventions

Results from **Standardised Assessments** will provide more evidence of attainment

Attendance and Lateness Data will be used to assess the impact of Inclusion and Support interventions

Pupil / Parent surveys will be used to assess impact in different areas