

Pupil Premium Review

2018-19



Introduction

Narrowing the gap between the achievement of disadvantaged pupils and their peers is a challenge faced by many school leaders. “Having the resources to target support at disadvantaged pupils is the first step to closing the attainment gap. But it is how those resources are spent that will really make the difference.” - Sir Kevan Collins

This review has been designed to provide personalised and bespoke educational support and advice to your school and setting. It will be a process undertaken with you to review the use of the Pupil Premium and to make it more effective in raising standards for all disadvantaged pupils. By using a clear framework school leaders will be helped to refine the strategies and work with staff and pupils using an evidence based approach for greater impact.

About the package



The review is designed to be a collaborative process and will consist of a one day visit to gather evidence and talk to stakeholders. Before the review, you will be asked to complete a brief self-evaluation and the Lead Reviewer will prepare by reviewing your school's context, published strategy, performance data, Ofsted report and your self-evaluation to establish the current position of your school. An initial discussion with the Headteacher will enable a timetable and priorities for the review to be agreed.

The review will be carried out by a School Effectiveness Partner with a proven record of school improvement. At the end of the review, verbal feedback will be given so that you should have a clear understanding of the effectiveness of existing strategies and an evaluation of impact with recommendations for an action plan and next steps that could deliver sustainable improvements to the achievement of disadvantaged pupils.

A written report will provide a summary of the review and will be available within ten working days of the review. A follow up visit to evaluate the school's implementation of the action plan and its effectiveness will ideally take place two terms after the school visit.

Cost: Up to 2 FE £900 3 FE £1100 4 FE £1300

Secondary less than 1200 pupils £1500
Secondary more than 1200 pupils £1800