



# Learning Opportunities

## Pupil Premium Allocation

### 2024-2025

#### PUPIL PREMIUM INCOME

Pupil Premium is extra funding given by the government to schools in England to improve the education outcomes of disadvantaged pupils, specifically those who are eligible for free school meals, have been in care, or are from service families. The funding helps address the additional challenges these students face, enabling them to reach their full potential by supporting the school in providing resources, interventions, and staffing to meet their needs.

As a school, we have responsibility to use this funding to 'narrow the gap' for this specific cohort of learners. Because we are an independent school some local authorities include Pupil Premium within the funding allocation for the educational placement.

#### Principles for supporting socially disadvantaged children. All students have an EHCP.

- At Learning Opportunities we ensure that teaching and learning opportunities meet the needs of all pupils.
- Pupil premium funding has been allocated to provide additional training opportunities for staff to further improve pupils' educational attainment and long term well-being and provide additional enrichment and engagement opportunities.

**The amount of pupil premium grant in 2024-25 was £2,050.**

#### How was this grant spent and the outcome.

Resource	Cost	Intended Outcomes
Targeted Pastoral Support	£1,600	To help mitigate the breakdown of care placement and the associated challenges linked to educational engagement.
Staff Training	£975	Support for staff to undertake Trauma Informed Training.