

Chipping Norton School: Pupil Premium Strategy Statement

School overview (Executive Summary) [Click Here to access full version.](#)

Detail	Data
School name	Chipping Norton School
Number of pupils in school	1002
Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils	16%
Academic year/years that our current pupil premium strategy plan covers (3-year plans are recommended)	2021-2022 2022-2023 2023-2024
Date this statement was published	December 2023
Date on which it will be reviewed	December 2024
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Funding overview

Detail	Amount
Pupil premium funding allocation this academic year	£141,794
Recovery premium funding allocation this academic year	£39,744
School-led Tutoring Funding	£9,992.50
Pupil premium funding carried forward from previous years (enter £0 if not applicable)	£0
Total budget for this academic year If your school is an academy in a trust that pools this funding, state the amount available to your school this academic year	£191,460.50

Part A: Pupil premium strategy plan

Statement of intent

At the heart of our pupil premium strategy lies our “pupil premium promise” – that all students will experience quality first teaching, will have access to bespoke pastoral support where every child is known, understood, and cared for, and be provided with rich opportunity. Our primary goal for our disadvantaged students is to prepare them “to be the best they can be” by providing them with a knowledge rich curriculum which fuels their curiosity and affirms a compassionate, inclusive, and hopeful outlook on humanity and the future.

Challenges

This details the key challenges that we have identified among our disadvantaged pupils.

Challenge number	Detail of challenge
1	SIDP1 -Achieving: To reduce the attainment and progress gap between DA and non-DA students
2	SIDP1-Achieving: To increase enjoyment and engagement of the curriculum for DA students
3	SIDP2- Belonging: To improve attendance and punctuality of DA students
4	SIDP2 -Belonging: To improve the sense of belonging through consistency of experience of DA students in the classroom and within the wider school community
5	SIDP3 -Reading: To improve literacy skills of disadvantaged students

Intended outcomes

This explains the outcomes we are aiming for **by the end of our current strategy plan**, and how we will measure whether they have been achieved.

Intended outcome	Success criteria
SIDP1-Achieving: More students achieve a standard pass in core GCSE exams	Reduction in the gap between DA and Non-DA students achieving grade 4+ in English, maths and two or more sciences
SIDP1-Achieving: Increased access to the curriculum for DA students	Quality first teaching and learning strategies (TEMP) are adapted by all staff to meet the specific needs of DA students.
SIDP2-Belonging: Improve attendance of DA students	Increase in % attendance of DA students in line with national average (95%). Reduction in % PA figure of DA students.
SIDP2-Belonging: Improve engagement in wider school enrichment activities	Increase in attendance and engagement of DA students in extra-curricular activities and enrichment opportunities
SIDP3-Reading: Improve literacy skills	Increase in reading ages of DA students.

Activity in this academic year - This details how we intend to spend our pupil premium (and recovery premium funding) **this academic year** to address the challenges listed above.

Teaching (for example, CPD, recruitment and retention)

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Provide high quality professional development for all staff	EEF "Effective Professional Development"	1,2,3,4,5
Improve the progress and attainment of DA students compared with non-DA students through universally high expectations and providing quality first teaching and learning	EEF "Effective Professional Development" DfE report "Supporting the attainment of disadvantaged pupils: articulating success and good practice"	1,2,3,4,5

Improve reading and oracy skills of disadvantaged learners	EEF “Oral Language Interventions” EEF “Reading Comprehension Strategies” “Improving Literacy in Secondary Schools”	1,2,3,4,5
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Targeted academic support (for example, tutoring, one-to-one support structured interventions)

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Improve the progress of SENDA students in English and Science -small group or 1:1 tuition	“Small Group Tuition”	1, 5
Targeted LSA support in core subjects	“Teaching Assistant Interventions”	1,2,3,4,5
Improve progress of SENDA students in Maths – small group teaching	“Small Group Tuition”	1.5

Wider strategies (for example, related to attendance, behaviour, wellbeing)

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Improve the sense of belonging amongst disadvantaged students within the school community. For example through student voice, involvement in the house system, sixth form mentoring	Institute of Education at UCL EEF “Peer Tutoring” EEF “Parental Engagement”	1,2,3,4,5
Improve attendance of DA students in line with non-DA students	DfE ‘Working together to improve school attendance’	1,2,3,4,5
Increase attendance of DA students at KS3 and KS4 Homework club	EEF report “Homework”	1,2,3,4,5
Increase number of DA students receiving breakfast support	DfE (2017)	1,2,3,4,5
Delivery of the B Week Tutor Programme – Wellbeing Wednesday	Healthy Minds	1,2,3,4,5
Provision for equipment and enrichment activities	Social Mobility Commission “An unequal playing field”	1,2,3,5
Improve the technical support available to DA students:	EEF using digital technology to improve learning guide	1,2,3,4,5

Total budgeted cost: £194,396 (Pupil Premium £131,990; School-led tutoring £23,490; Recovery funding £38,916)

Part B: Review of outcomes in the previous academic year

This details the impact that our pupil premium activity had on pupils in 2022 to 2023.

<i>Intended Outcome 1: SIDP1-Achieving: More students achieve a standard pass in core GCSE exams.</i>				
<i>Performance Measure</i>	2018	2019	2022	2023
<i>All Progress 8</i>	+0.07	-0.09	+0.25	+0.71
<i>DA Progress 8</i>	-0.98	-0.58	-0.15	+0.13
<i>All Attainment 8</i>	48.5	48.4	55.6	55.9
<i>DA Attainment 8</i>	26.9	35.6	44.9	38
<i>All % Grades 4 to 9 English</i>	74%	83%	92%	95%
<i>DA % Grades 4 to 9 English</i>	38%	53%	79%	70%
<i>All % Grades 4 to 9 in Mathematics</i>	73%	82%	87%	88%
<i>DA % Grades 4 to 9 in Mathematics</i>	29%	53%	76%	70%
<i>All % Grades 4 to 9 in English and Mathematics</i>	69%	77%	82%	86%
<i>DA % Grades 4 to 9 in English and Mathematics</i>	24%	53%	76%	65%

Impact and reflection: GCSE outcomes in 2023 were incredibly strong in terms of the progress students have made across their respective subjects. Our overall progress 8 value of +0.71 tells us that the progress made by all students is almost $\frac{3}{4}$ of a grade better than all students nationally. The progress made by DA students shows an improvement of +0.71 when compared to the 2019 cohort (even more marked when compared to the 2018 value +1.11). This means that DA students were making significantly more progress in 2023 than in previous years. They achieved on average $\frac{3}{4}$ of grade better in every subject when compared to 2019. This indicates that DA students at CNS have improved life chances and a brighter and more hopeful future ahead.

Intended Outcome 2: SIDP1-Achieving: Increased access to the curriculum for DA students

Impact and Reflection: Lesson observations and drop-ins recorded that high quality T&L (TEMP) was evident in a number of departments with a key focus on SENDA students. CPDL has focused on producing and refining high quality teaching and learning activities such high value tasks which will be of benefit to DA students.

Intended Outcome 3: SIDP2-Belonging -Improve attendance and punctuality of disadvantaged students.

Impact and Reflection: At CNS, overall attendance in the academic year 2022-2023 remained above national average but continued to fall short of pre-pandemic levels (+95%) in a number of year groups.

Intended Outcome 4: SIDP2-Belonging -Improve engagement in wider school enrichment activities

Impact and Reflection: DA students experienced quality first teaching and learning in all lessons. Priority first checks for DA and SENDA students. Attendance in wider school enrichment activities remained variable.

Intended Outcome 5: SIDP3-Reading: Improve literacy skills of disadvantaged students

Impact and Reflection: Literacy catch-up and acceleration programmes: Year 7 DA students made good progress on the Read Write Inc. 'Fresh Start', Inference Programmes. Accelerator reading programme: 72% (63/88) of KS3 students eligible for PP regularly engaged with the programme and made progress.

Externally provided programmes

Programme	Provider
Accelerator Reading Programme	Renaissance
Fresh Start	Read, Write, Inc