

#### Pupil premium strategy statement 2018-2019

1. Summary Information							
School St Alphege CE Infant School							
Academic Year	2018-2019	18-2019Total PP Budget£38,015.00Date of most recent PP Review17.7.2018					
	Total Budget Spent £45,725.67						
Total number of pupils	164	Number of pupils eligible for PP	33	Date for next PP Strategy Review	July 2019		

2. Current Attainment - Data from July 2018			
Key Stage 1	Pupils eligible for PP	Pupils eligible for PP	Pupils not eligible for PP
	(St Alphege)	Nationally 2017-18	National Average
% achieving expected standard or above in reading	89%	79%	75%
% achieving expected standard or above in writing	89%	74%	70%
% achieving expected standard or above in maths	79%	79%	76%
% achieving expected standard or above in Science	100%	86%	83%
% achieving expected standard in Phonics – Year 1	50%	70%	81%
% achieving expected standard in Phonics – Year 2 re-screen	98%	NA	NA
Att	ainment for 2016-17 Year R		
% achieving a Good Level of Development GLD	55%	70%	71%

#### 3. Barriers to future attainment (for pupils eligible for PP)

In-school barriers (issues to be addressed in school)

A Readiness for School - behaviours are identified on Baseline assessments as lower for PP children. Only 10% of PP children in year R (September 2018) entered at expected levels for all 17 areas of the EYFS, bar Physical Development and Understanding the World, which were at 20%. This impacts upon pupil's readiness to learn therefore impacting upon future progress levels and social and emotional development. 18% of current YR pupils (September 2018) are in receipt of Pupil Premium and of those pupils 70% also have identified SEND.



В	A higher percentage of pupils eligible for PP in KS1 have associated emotional, social and mental health needs. They have lower levels of wellbeing and involvement, evidenced in Leuven data and Provision maps. Currently 95% have received high level intervention to address this.
C	Historically pupil attainment in writing is lower than in reading and maths. We understand that this is attributed to barriers with speaking and listening, moving and handling, limited life experiences beyond school and school readiness.
D	Pupils lack access and opportunities outside school for age appropriate learning and enrichment e.g. interactive play and life experiences.
E	Pupils with higher abilities who are entitled to PP, require access to enrichment opportunities to enable more pupils to achieve greater depth in their learning. In 2016-17 there were low numbers of pupils achieving greater depth in all subjects, especially Maths. This increased in 2017-18, but was still below National expectations.
Extern	hal barriers (issues which also require action outside school, for some pupils)
F	Historically attendance rates for PP children are lower than for non-disadvantaged children and the number of persistent absentees was higher for this group. This reduces their access to quality first teaching and support.
G	Some parents experience difficulty in developing parenting skills e.g. lack of boundaries, routine, expectations, parental attitudes to school, their own mental health, financial and housing issues. We have experienced an increase in this in the 2018 cohort entering Reception.

4.	Desired Outcomes	Impact
Α	Robust transition programme which identifies barriers early and enables the	Staff have a really clear picture of the children and families prior to entry to
	school to build trusting relationships with families. Improved joint working with	enable planning to be tailored to pupil needs.
	preschools will enable sharing of information and best practice.	
		PP children adapt quickly to their new environment and begin to develop skills
	Design of the EYFS curriculum to ensure the environment nurtures resilience and	of independence.
	early learning behaviours	
		Improved quality of relationships, behaviour and attitudes enable identified
	School drive on Growth Mindset to enable children to build resilience in	children to be school ready and access learning independently.
	learning. Staff training delivered by Educational Psychology Service in the summer term 2017and follow up training delivered in school. Parent workshops	Staff will have a greater understanding of Crowth Mindest and will be able to
	planned for terms 2 and 3 to ensure a full understanding of the research behind	Staff will have a greater understanding of Growth Mindset and will be able to inspire children to become resilient learners who relish challenge, take risks and
	Growth Mindset and how they can support this at home.	inspire children to become resilient learners who relish challenge, take fisks and



		learn from their mistakes. Parents will also have a greater understanding of the
		power of these initiatives and how they can support at home.
		power of these initiatives and now they can support at nome.
		Children will have a greater understanding of positive learning behaviours
		through the introduction of the learning dinosaurs.
В	Strategic deployment of Wellbeing team to ensure both children and families	Impact can be clearly seen through Leuven screenings, Boxhall profiles and entry
	receive early identification and intervention which is monitored by Leadership	and exit data gathered from interventions and Strengths and Difficulties
	team to evidence impact.	Questionnaires. Impact can also be seen in an improvement in behaviour for
		learning and through pupil, parent and teacher voice.
	Commissioned hours purchased from Educational Psychology to allow	
	assessment and strategies to be suggested for PP children with complex needs	Access to Educational Psychology Service for those requiring external
		assessment and for high quality whole school training on specific issues such as
		attachment/ mental health etc.
С	Continuation and embedding of vocabulary rich curriculum and talk for writing	Monitored by English Leader and SLT through triangulation.
	strategies to improve quality first teaching. Embedding and development of Jane	
	Considine method for teaching writing across the school.	All PP children make accelerated in year progress in writing and are diminishing
	Focus on spelling in all phases to raise the quality of pupils writing. Training	the differences compared to non-disadvantaged pupils.
	delivered to staff and parents on spelling strategies.	During phase meetings and pupil progress meetings, there is a relentless focus
		on identified children in receipt of PP and the progress that they are making.
	Educational Psychology Service delivered whole staff training on supporting low	Children with the ability to move into expected levels or greater depth are
	level boys writing with a focus on PP and vulnerable pupils.	closely targeted and monitored.
D	Annual review of whole school curriculum to ensure a blended and experience	Increasing numbers of PP children reaching expected standards at the end of
	rich approach to learning which is fundamental to good child development.	EYFS and KS1. Increasing numbers of PP children identified as working at Greater
	Reviewing this annually ensures that the curriculum meets the specific needs of	Depth. Specific breakdown in percentages of pupils for each phase can be found
	the cohort and is influenced by the knowledge of the children. Opportunities for	on the School Development Plan.
	regular community visits and experiences to aid learning.	Staff at all phases delivering a rich engaging and blanded surrigely as with
		Staff at all phases delivering a rich, engaging and blended curriculum with weekly opportunities for outdoor learning.
	Consistent use of outside environments, including the Urban Forest School to	weekly opportunities for outdoor learning.
	enable access to rich, engaging and purposeful experiences. Current School	Increased numbers of Pupil Premium children developing independent learning
	Development Plan focus on Outdoor Learning in all aspects of the curriculum.	behaviours, increased levels of engagement and a thirst for knowledge.
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	Training delivered by Juliet Robertson to all staff on the use of outdoor learning	
	to motivate and inspire children.	
E	School makes effective use of community links and expertise within the local	Increased opportunities for PP children to reach Greater Depth.
	area.	During phases meetings and pupil progress meetings, there is a relentless focus
	PP children have been specifically targeted to participate in Arts Award as part of	on identified children in receipt of PP and the progress that they are making.
	the school's Arts Mark Platinum Award.	Children with the ability to move into greater depth are closely targeted and
		monitored. This is a focus at all SLT meetings.
	Opportunities for enrichment within the school to enable a deepening of	
	learning for targeted children.	Increased participation within the local community to access opportunities and
		facilities such as the Art Gallery, Theatre, Beach, Urban Forest School
	Effective use of outdoor environments and the Urban Forest School to enrich	
	and deepen learning.	Increased number of PP children achieving Arts Award accreditation and
		accessing Performing Arts Club.
	Implementation of a Mastery curriculum in Maths to enable increased numbers	Increased access to outdoor learning and at least weekly access to the Urban
	of pupils to demonstrate Greater Depth learning.	Forest School.
		Maths Leader has delivered training in Maths Mastery curriculum and this is being consistently delivered and monitored in all phases
F	Attendance figures for PP children will improve.	Attendance figures for PP children will be at least in line with the rest of the
		cohort and in line with National expectations 96%
	Numbers of PP persistent absentees will decrease.	
		Numbers of PP children regarded as persistent absentees will significantly
		reduce to within National expectations (2.1%)
		Attainment for PP pupils is above national for PP pupils and above national for non PP children.
G	Wellbeing team provide consistent, high quality support to families to identify	Parents understand the importance of regular attendance at school.
	areas where parents need support.	



The team provide counselling, mentoring and support for identified children and families. The impact of this support on children's attendance, wellbeing and learning is closely monitored.	Parenting workshops are attended by identified parents and support is given using Solihull training approaches.
Weekly triage meetings with Head of School/DSL, Wellbeing team, attendance officer and Inclusion lead ensure support is allocated where needed and referrals to external services are made in a timely manner.	Targeted families are signposted to external support through Early Help referrals or referrals to other agencies. Foodbank is accessed for families requiring support over school holidays.
	Parents are able to develop better routines and behaviour management at home enabling consistency between home and school.

5. Planned Ex	penditure				
Academic Year		2018-2019			
How St Alphege (	CE Infant School are using F	Pupil Premium to improve classroom	pedagogy, provide targeted sup	port and wh	ole school
support strategies	S.				
Quality of Teachir	ng For All				
Desired	Chosen action/approach	What is the evidence and	How will we ensure it is	Staff	Review of
outcome		rationale for our choice?	implemented effectively?	lead	implementation
To deliver a	During Pupil Progress	Our triangulated monitoring shows that	Strategic deployment of Teaching	Inclusion	Ongoing review in
structured	meetings, children are	high quality early intervention improves	Assistants across the school to	Leader	line with Assessment
programme of	identified and appropriate	the progress of all children form their	ensure needs identified on		Cycle.
targeted intervention, both	intervention is agreed;	starting points, effectively diminishing	provision mapping are met and	SLT	
	<ul> <li>Teaching Assistants</li> </ul>	the difference for pupils in receipt of PPG	entry and exit data demonstrates		Full analysis of data
in English and	including Speech and	in line with their peers or pupils	accelerated progress.	Link	– June 2019
Maths skills across	Language TA and Reading	Nationally. This enables more children to	Ongoing monitoring of	Governors/	
the school for children at risk of	TA will withdraw children to	achieve GLD. This is supported by the	interventions through data analysis,	Governing	
underachieving	follow a SMART structured	evidence on the Education Endowment	planning, work scrutiny,	Body	
anderdenieving	programme.		observations of teaching and		



	<ul> <li>Class teachers plan appropriate activities to ensure rapid progress and high quality first teaching for all pupils.</li> <li>Staff take children for pre and post teaching</li> </ul>	Fund (EEF) Toolkit (EYFS intervention=5+ months). Our Speech and Language Teaching Assistant delivers high quality intervention to support children's acquisition and comprehension of language (EEF= 5+ months). Our monitoring demonstrates that targeted	learning, pupil progress meetings and provision map meetings. Governor link visits Cross school moderation through the Coastal Alliance and with our sister school Herne Infant of Reading, Writing, Maths and		
	<ul> <li>opportunities when required.</li> <li>Developmental marking and high quality feedback which is appropriate to the age and stage of the child enable children to edit and improve their work</li> <li>Educational Psychology Service have delivered high quality training in supporting low attaining boys writing from EYFS to Year 2.</li> </ul>	intervention, both in small groups and 1:1 has a positive impact on progress. Programmes such as BRP, delivered by our Reading TA have enabled children to make accelerated progress (EEF=5+ months) Work scrutiny demonstrates the positive impact focussed feedback and high quality marking has on pupil attainment for low additional cost (EEF= 8+ months)	Science. Targeted training to ensure TAs delivering interventions are highly skilled in the most current initiatives. Inclusion leader ensures that any intervention implemented comes from a research base, ensuring only high quality interventions with proven impact are used. Speech and Language TA attends regular network meetings and is highly trained to deliver programmes of support.		
To enable all children to access a range of high quality curriculum enrichment activities in and out of school such as	Phase leaders, subject leaders and class teachers to identify enrichment activities that will benefit all children. Clubs and enrichment	Research has shown that children's writing is improved if they write with a purpose and from their own experiences. Reading comprehension is also improved through a rich and deepened	Phase Leaders and SLT will ensure there is a variety of activities and a rich blended curriculum on offer for all year groups and all pupils. Extracurricular activities will be	SLT Phase and Subject Leaders	June 2019
access to the Urban Forest School, local trips and visits (beach, theatre	activities to be arranged for children to participate in both during and after school.	understanding of the world around them. By providing a range of first hand experiences, children have opportunities to write with a purpose and from	planned through the year by subject leaders and evidence of impact will be measured.	Link Governors/	



etc.), Maths, Writing	Targeted PP children to be	experience and have improved skills of		Governing	
and Reading	prioritised for inclusion in	reading comprehension.	Bought in professional services will	Body	
enrichment. The school will also	enrichment activities such as		be quality assured and monitored		
access visiting	Arts Leaders, Music,	Participation in Arts based activities such	so that value for money is		
experts, drama, art	Performing Arts Club,	as performing arts and music has proven	guaranteed.		
and musical	Additional Reading, Maths	impact on increasing confidence and			
experiences to	and Writing opportunities.	vocabulary. Children engaging in Arts	PP children will be targeted for		
further enhance children's academic	Blended curriculum	Award programmes gain leadership skills	access to Arts Award accreditation		
progress and life	specifically designed to	through the Arts and enable the ability to	which is externally moderated.		
experiences	enable access to experiences	engage with external arts based			
	that may not otherwise be	agencies.	Impact on English and Maths		
	available to children. The		progress and attainment will be		
	blended curriculum is	EEF toolkit evidences 2+ months gain	measured.		
	monitored termly by subject	through participation in the Arts at			
	leaders to evaluate impact in	moderate costs to the school and 3+			
	all phases.	months gain for Outdoor Learning.			
To enable increased	Maths Leader has	White Rose Mastery approach has a	Maths Leader monitors the impact	SLT	June 2019
numbers of PP	implemented the White Rose	sound research base and evidence of	of this approach and consistency of		
children to achieve	Mastery in Maths curriculum	impact in other settings.	delivery.	Maths	
Greater Depth in Maths.	based on action research and			Leader	
iviatiis.	impact seen in other settings.	EEF toolkit evidences Mastery learning as	Data analysis and pupil progress		
		5+ months gain, with good potential for	meetings demonstrate impact on	Phase	
	This Mastery curriculum	increased learning opportunities,	pupils and an increase in numbers	Leaders	
	enables pupils increased	especially for lower attaining pupils and	working at Greater Depth standard.		
	opportunity to have a secure	those with lower starting points.		Governors	
	understanding of		Alliance and Local Authority		
	Mathematical concepts and		network groups enable sharing of		
	the ability to use and apply		data outcomes and research.		
	these in real life situations.				



To enable children	Educational Psychology	Research has shown a huge impact on	Educational Psychology will deliver	SLT	June 2019
and parents to have	Service commissioned to	pupils learning through developing	the training to both teachers and		
an increased	deliver whole school training	"learning to learn" skills. Research from	TAs ensuring a consistent whole	Phase and	
understanding of meta-cognition,	on meta-cognition, resilience	the EEF Toolkit indicates that Meta-	school approach. This training is	subject	
resilience and	and Growth Mindset. This	cognition approaches have consistently	also going to be delivered to	leaders	
Growth Mindset	training will also be delivered	high levels of impact, with pupils making	parents to ensure strategies are		
	to parents in a separate	an average of eight months' additional	understood and supported in the	Governing	
	session to enable parents to	progress. The evidence indicates that	home environment.	body.	
	fully understand the	teaching these strategies can be			
	approach and support	particularly effective for low achieving	5 learning dinosaurs have been		
	Growth Mindset at home.	and vulnerable pupils.	introduced to the children. These		
		Parental support also has a positive	can be found on the school website.		
	Learning dinosaurs	impact EEF Toolkit suggests a 3+ months	Each dinosaur presents with a		
	introduced across the school	gain.	different learning behaviour and		
	to enable children to better		stickers are awarded to the children		
	understand and develop		as they demonstrate these in their		
	positive learning behaviours.		learning.		
			Total budgeted cost	£25,508.86	

Desired	Chosen action/approach	What is the evidence and	How will we ensure it is	Staff	Review of
outcome		rationale for our choice?	implemented effectively?	lead	implementation
To enable	Wellbeing and Learning	Leuven Screenings, Boxhall Profile and	Inclusion Leader closely monitors the	Inclusion	June 2019
identified children	Mentor supports	Strengths and Difficulties	impact of interventions through entry	Leader	
to access	individuals and small	Questionnaires (SDQs) demonstrate	and exit data.		
mentoring, play	groups of children with a	improved learning and social		Wellbeing	
therapy, drawing	range of identified needs	behaviours, raised self-esteem and self-	Pupil, parent and staff views are	Team	
and talking therapy	and vulnerabilities in order		captured before and after		



and social and	to improve their	confidence from all children who have	interventions to see impact and	SLT	
emotional support.	behaviours and attitudes to	received pastoral intervention.	ascertain effectiveness of the strategy.		
	learning.			Link	
For wellbeing team to deliver tailored programmes of therapeutic or nurturing support to individuals or small groups of children.	<ul> <li>Wellbeing and Learning mentor to lead nurture groups for identified groups of children to raise self-esteem, social communication and wellbeing and involvement.</li> <li>Access to Play Therapy for identified children</li> <li>All staff have been trained in attachment theory by our Educational Psychologist. Two staff members are attending Attachment Lead training to enable us to be an</li> </ul>	EEF Toolkit indicates 4+ months progress for pupils accessing social and emotional learning and 4+ months progress for behavioural interventions.	Staff delivering interventions have access to high quality training and have proven expertise in their fields. Staff member delivering Play Therapy is qualified and registered and has access to professional supervision. Attachment Leads will disseminate learning to all staff once their training is complete.	Link Governors/ Governing Body	
	Attachment Lead School.				
For Wellbeing and	Our Wellbeing team provide	In delivering outstanding support, the	Ongoing monitoring by Inclusion	Inclusion	Ongoing monitoring
Learning Mentor	support through:	work of our Wellbeing Team has always	Leader and SLT.	Leader	in line with school
and Inclusion	<ul> <li>Discussion of identified</li> </ul>	had proven impact on our children and			assessment cycle.
Leader to offer	pupils at weekly triage	families. Impact of their work can be	Impact of triage meetings and related	Wellbeing	
support to targeted	meeting.	clearly seen through parent and pupil	attendance data.	Team	Full review June
identified families.	<ul> <li>Targeting pupils with poor</li> </ul>	feedback, triage meeting notes,			2019
	attendance and offering	feedback from external agencies as well	Parental engagement at school	SLT	
For families to be	levels of support	as improved attendance and parental	events.		
signposted to		engagement.		Link	
				Governors/	



external agency	dependant on the family		Parent surveys and evaluations	Governing	
support where	need.	EEF toolkit identifies Parental		Body	
required.	<ul> <li>Delivering and signposting</li> </ul>	Involvement as having 3+ months			
	to parenting support such	impact in relation to moderate cost.			
For parents to	as managing behaviour,				
receive support to	incredible years				
effectively deal with issues that	programme, parent drop				
may be causing	ins, school nurse, Early				
barriers to learning	Help				
such as housing,	<ul> <li>Supporting parents</li> </ul>				
mental health,	through the Solihull				
finances, behaviour at home, parenting	parenting programme.				
skills etc.					
For specific needs	Two days Educational	Our ongoing monitoring has	Ongoing monitoring by Inclusion	Inclusion	Ongoing monitoring
of PP children to be	Psychology time has been	demonstrated high impact on pupils	Leader and SLT.	Leader	in line with school
identified and	commissioned specifically for	who have been formally assessed by			assessment cycle.
strategies put in	the support of PP children.	the Educational Psychology Service with	Feedback from teachers, parents and	SLT	
place to effectively	This service will enable the	strategies recommended to support	pupils.		Full review June
support	early identification of	progress. The school facilitates the		Link	2019
accelerated	complex needs and	delivery of any suggested strategies		Governors/	
progress.	strategies to support	and EP service will oversee and monitor		Governing	
	progress and learning.	the delivery of this and the impact on		Body	
		pupil progress alongside the schools			
		on-going monitoring and assessment			
		cycle.			
	Total Budgeted Cost				



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#### 6. Additional Detail

In addition to Free School Meals for all pupils, PP children can access funded places at breakfast clubs, after school clubs and fully funded school trips and visits. For some pupils we also offer school uniform vouchers, PE kits and book bags. Some money is set aside for this purpose as well as supporting any other individual barriers for families, which may be affecting the child's access to education.

7. Review of Expenditure						
Previous Academic Year	2017-2018					
Desired Action	Chosen Action/ Approach	Impact	Lessons Learned and whether this approach will continue	Cost		
To improve language skills for EYFS pupils and for those with identified speech and language needs.	To deliver a structured programme of targeted speech and language intervention for pupils with identified speech and language needs. To deliver social communication groups and pre and post teaching opportunities to enrich vocabulary and semantic links	20 children were highlighted on speech and language link screenings at the start of Reception. 17 of these children made accelerated progress and are now no longer in need of further intervention. 3 pupils were referred for further assessment and are now open to Speech and Language Therapy team and are receiving 1:1 support from our Speech and Language TA. All pupils met or exceeded targets on provision mapping.	This is a highly effective intervention and demonstrates very good value for money. The Speech and Language TA has accessed training this year to ensure she is working at technical instructor levels. This area of concern is still key at St Alphege so this intervention will continue.	Proportion of salary linked to PP £5494.28		
To enable identified children to access mentoring, play therapy, drawing and talking therapy and social and emotional support.	• Wellbeing and Learning Mentor supports individuals and small groups of children with a range of identified needs and vulnerabilities in order to improve their	6 children in receipt of PP have accessed Play Therapy in this academic year. 8 PP pupils have accessed Nurture Groups, 3 have received Drawing and talking therapy and 8 have received social	This is a highly effective intervention and demonstrates very good value for money. This will continue into next academic year.	Play therapy £3,800 Nurture Group £600 Wellbeing and Learning Mentor –		
For wellbeing team to deliver tailored programmes of	behaviours and attitudes to learning.	and emotional support or mentoring.		proportion of salar linked to PP - £8,00		



therapeutic or nurturing support to individuals or small groups of children.	<ul> <li>Wellbeing and Learning mentor to lead nurture groups for identified groups of children to raise self- esteem, social communication and wellbeing and involvement.</li> <li>Access to Play Therapy for identified children</li> </ul>	This holistic approach has impacted greatly on all pupils. Both teacher and parents indicate a significant improvement in pupils following intervention. Behaviour for learning has also significantly improved enabling better access to learning in class.		
To support Reading skills for PP children who may not be accessing reading support at home.	BRP is used on a 1:1 basis. Each pupil receives 1:1 support 3 times per week over a ten-week period. These children are identified through provision mapping and pupil progress meetings and entry and exit data is tracked and monitored.	BRP was started in January 2016. 10 PP children accessed this programme and all made above 10 months progress in their reading abilities in 10 weeks.	This approach has been highly successful and enabled the school to significantly diminish the differences for pupils entitled to PP. This approach will continue next year with a dedicated TA delivering BRP and direct reading skills work to pupils across the school.	Proportion of salary linked to PP - £7,000
To enable all children to access a range of high quality curriculum enrichment activities in and out of school	Enrichment through music and performing arts. The school commissions a peripatetic specialist music teacher for one day per week. She delivers enrichment activities through music and PP children are targeted to participate in these additional opportunities. Performing Arts Club is run by school based staff alongside the music specialist.	21 children participated in Performing Arts Club last year. 8 of these pupils were entitled to PP. The specialist music teacher delivered a drumming group specifically for PP children enabling team work, communication and listening skills. 12 PP children accessed the school choir. All children showed marked improvements in self- confidence and self-esteem as well as improvements in vocabulary and oral skills which impacted on Reading and Writing standards in Year 2. 11 PP children received Arts Award in June for leadership skills within the Arts.	This is an embedded approach which has very high impact on all pupils and enables pupils entitled to PP to develop confidence, self-awareness and self-esteem as well as having notable impact on reading and writing levels. This approach will continue. The school will be looking to increase the number of pupils achieving Arts Award Discover and look to introduce the next level of Arts Award Explore. An extra staff member will be accredited as an Art Award facilitator in order that this award can be more widely spread.	£1,800



To enable opportunities for daily pre and post teaching delivered by teachers	Daily teacher led pre and post teaching has been timetabled in all year groups between 1:00 and 1:30 each day. During this time the HLTA covers the classes to allow teachers to be released.	All classes across the school trialled this approach from January. All PP children had access to this initiative.	For some children this approach was highly effective and enabled accelerated progress through high quality feedback and opportunities for revisiting concepts and vocabulary. This was not effective for all pupils and therefore this is an approach that we will maintain for targeted children but not for all pupils.	£6,510
To enable quality training for whole school development and individual support for targeted pupils.	Working with outside agencies to bring in additional expertise. The school commissioned the Educational Psychology Service to deliver bespoke training linked to analysis of staff CPD needs, the targets outlined on the School Development Plan and the needs of the pupils across the school. They also undertook direct assessment of PP pupils to enable evaluation of current needs and setting of targets and strategies to support progress.	This training was accessed by all staff leading to an increased awareness of strategies to support pupils in school. This has enabled a more collaborative and consistent approach to meeting the needs of our most vulnerable pupils. Direct work was highly successful in diminishing the difference for targeted PP children with identified needs.	This training was accessed by all staff leading to an increased awareness of strategies to support pupils in school. This has enabled a more collaborative and consistent approach to meeting the needs of our most vulnerable pupils. Direct work was highly successful in diminishing the difference for targeted PP children with identified needs. This approach will continue next academic year with a different training focus linked to the School Development Plan priorities.	Training £2,645 Direct work £1,500
Total Received 2017-2018	£38,840.00	Total Spent 2017-2018	£46,745.67	