

# Early Years Pupil premium strategy statement 2022-23

This statement details our school's use of EY pupil premium to help improve the attainment of our disadvantaged pupils.

It outlines our EYPP strategy, how we intend to spend the funding in this academic year and the effect that last year's spending of EYPP had within our school.

## School overview

Detail	Data
School name	The Wharf Nursery School
Number of pupils in school	85
Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils	12.9% of total pupils 17.2% of 3&4 year olds (+FEET & FSM = 27.1%)
Academic year that our current pupil premium strategy plan covers	2022-23 – awaiting long term funding plans
Date this statement was published	September 2022
Date on which it will be reviewed	September 2023
Statement authorised by	C. Willmott HT
Chair of Governors	L. Seeley

## Funding overview

Detail	Amount
<b>Estimated</b> EYPP funding allocation this academic year	£4,428 tbc
Pupil premium funding carried forward from previous years (enter £0 if not applicable)	£0

# Part A: Pupil premium strategy plan

## Statement of intent

### Challenges

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

Challenge number	Detail of challenge
1	<i>SEN needs</i>
2	Challenges at home - family support needed
3	Last year, all EYPP children are working slightly below age appropriate levels in all areas (except Moving & Handling in the summer term).
4	Well-being and confidence post-Covid
5	Maths came up slightly lower in last year's tracking up for EYPP children

### 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
<i>Family support</i>	Parent engagement and positive feedback from families Parent workshops/ groups set up and well-attended.
Closing the gaps	All children in this group to be working in Level 5 by the end of July (unless they have SEN) Robust tracking highlights progress and achievement
Small group work for these children (and others with similar needs)	Groups to run with suitable resources available

### Activities in this academic year

This details how we intend to spend our EYPP funding this academic year to address the challenges listed above.

## Teaching

Budgeted cost: £ 1,136 (Nurture group staffing costs, Forest School and After School subsidised costs)

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
<i>Nurture groups</i>	Well documented evidence to support this approach, which aims to develop confidence and raise self-esteem	1 & 4
<i>Free places offered for After School Costs (Yoga &amp; Softplay) to allow these children to attend</i>	Children who have joined these programmes in the past have shown enjoyment, and improved physical skills and well-being	2, 3 & 4
<i>Parents groups/ workshops</i>	Parents attend the sessions and give positive feedback	2

## Targeted academic support (for example, tutoring, one-to-one support structured interventions)

Budgeted cost: £ 487 (*Visual Aids plus Let's Talk training resources & fees*)

*£2,805 (EAL/ SEN– contribution towards resources, support and staffing)*

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
<i>Extra resources for in-house support</i>	Allows all children to access the resources best suited to their needs e.g. new visual aids, some of which may be shared with families Extra support for parents	1, 3 & 5 4
<i>More activities for children with EAL or SEN e.g. Language groups, Yoga, Forest School</i>	End of year data and observations show good progress has been made	1

**Total budgeted cost: £ 4,428**

## Part B: Review of outcomes in the previous academic year

### Pupil premium strategy outcomes

This details the impact that our pupil premium activity had on pupils in the 2021-2022 academic year.

Good progress and achievement was shown by all children in this group. Of the 17 children who received EYPP at some point in the year, 0% and 43% were working in age appropriate bands when Baselined. Between 50% and 82% were working in age appropriate bands at the end of the year. There were 5 EYPP children in the summer term, who were 2022 leavers.

### Externally provided programmes

Programme	Provider
Yoga	Trained member of staff
Softplay	Member of staff
'Let's Talk'/ Elklan	Speech and Language Therapists

### Further information

