Pupil premium strategy statement: Acorn Secondary Alternative Provision (Free School)

This statement details our school's use of pupil premium (and recovery premium) funding to help improve the attainment of our disadvantaged pupils.

It outlines our pupil premium strategy, how we intend to spend the funding in this academic year and the outcomes for disadvantaged pupils last academic year.

School overview

Detail	Data
Number of pupils in school	2
Proportion (%) of pupil premium eligible pupils	4.5%
Academic year/years that our current pupil premium strategy plan covers (3 year plans are recommended)	2022-2023
Date this statement was published	12 June 2023
Date on which it will be reviewed	1 st June 2024
Statement authorised by	Board of Governors
Pupil premium lead	Mrs A Dawson
Governor / Trustee lead	Dr S Cordell

Funding overview

Detail	Amount
Pupil premium funding allocation this academic year	£ 2,109
Recovery premium funding allocation this academic year	£6,000
Pupil premium (and recovery premium*) funding carried forward from previous years (enter £0 if not applicable)	£0
*Recovery premium received in academic year 2021 to 2022 can be carried forward to academic year 2022 to 2023. Recovery premium received in academic year 2022 to 2023 cannot be carried forward to 2023 to 2024.	
Total budget for this academic year	£8,109
If your school is an academy in a trust that pools this funding, state the amount available to your school this academic year	

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	Eligible students are all Looked After Children and their challenges relate to that context.
2	Lack of Enrichment Opportunities
3	Need for daily Therapeutic and Wellbeing Interventions

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
Students will have accessed Enrichment Opportunities	Students will have been able to select an experience programme that will enhance their educational experience.
Students will have access to quality Therapeutic and Wellbeing Care	Engagement Team as well as external counsellors are available to students when required,
Students will have their uniform needs met.	Students will be provided with uniform of good quality, allowing them to feel a shared identity as part of the school community.

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)

Budgeted cost: £ 120

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Engagement Team training	Training sourced by <i>Care2Learn</i> , tailored to Looked After Students via Lincolnshire County Council	1 and 2

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

Budgeted cost: £ 1,200

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Enrichment Opportunities	Abbey Access Construction placement	1 and 2

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

Budgeted cost: £ 9,120

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed
Specific time allocated to recovery premium and pupil premium children by Acorn Engagement Team	One to one wellbeing and behaviour sessions	1 and 3

Total budgeted cost: £ 10,440

Part B: Review of the previous academic year

Outcomes for disadvantaged pupils

For the Academic Year 2021-22, Acorn Free School did not have any single-registered students who were eligible for Pupil Premium.

Externally provided programmes

Please include the names of any non-DfE programmes that you used your pupil premium (or recovery premium) to fund in the previous academic year.

Programme	Provider
Construction Employment and Training	Abbey Access