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## **Pupil Premium Information**

*“A good education is the key to improving young people’s life chances”*

### **Pupil Premium at Hildenborough CE Primary School**

At Hildenborough CE Primary School, we strive for achievement for *all* our pupils. Our pastoral care, monitoring and tracking of all pupils helps us to identify any pupils who are at risk of not making sufficient progress and have helped us to plan and implement good intervention strategies. With smaller numbers of pupil premium eligible pupils, value for money is central to sustained improvements in both wellbeing and academic achievement.

The school has looked to use the funding in a targeted way to:

- Try and diminish the difference in relation to progress and attainment in the key subject areas of Reading, Writing and Mathematics;
- Ensure all pupils have access to a broad, stimulating curriculum, as well as educational opportunities that build on and enhance their experiences out of school;
- Ensure all pupils have access to a wide range of pre / during / post school opportunities that are not limited by potential income e.g. swimming, clubs, trips, residential;
- Enable pupils to develop high aspirations and understand the value of education in support of life aims and objectives; and
- To promote a young healthy mind and enhance general wellbeing.

### **How can parents and carers contribute to the success of the Pupil Premium scheme?**

Parent support and involvement is a key factor in raising standards and we actively encourage you, as parents, to have your say. If you would like help or advice in supporting your child we offer a twice yearly meeting (structured conversation), which provides a wonderful opportunity to celebrate your child’s achievements, as well as being an opportunity for us to listen to you and your child’s thoughts and views on current and future support. Alternatively, you can always ask your child’s class teacher or contact Ruth Ardrey (Headteacher) at [headteacher@hildenborough.kent.sch.uk](mailto:headteacher@hildenborough.kent.sch.uk) or Rachel Forward (SENCO) at [rachel.forward@hildenborough.kent.sch.uk](mailto:rachel.forward@hildenborough.kent.sch.uk) for more information.

If your child is eligible for Free School Meals or is an infant child and part of the Universal Free School Meals, it is worth registering them, even if they are not going to have a school lunch. It will have a direct impact on the funding the school receives and will enable us to maximise the support that we can provide for all pupils.

Parents can register their child for Free School Meals if they are in receipt of any of the following benefits:

- Income Support



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- Income-based Jobseeker’s Allowance
- Income-related Employment Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit, provided you are not entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual income, as assessed by HM Revenue and Customs, that does not exceed £16,190
- Guarantee element of State Pension Credit.

If eligible, parents should apply via

<http://www.kent.gov.uk/education-and-children/schools/free-school-meals>

Alternatively, you may contact the school office for guidance on 01732 833394 or [office@hildenborough.kent.sch.uk](mailto:office@hildenborough.kent.sch.uk)