



# St Columba's Catholic Primary School

### **Pupil Premium Strategy Statement 20/21**

#### **Pupil premium funding:**

| Academic Year | <u>Allocation</u> | Total Number of Pupils | Number of Pupils Eligible for PP | <u>Disadvantaged pupils as</u><br><u>% of school roll</u> |
|---------------|-------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| 2017-2018     | £154000           | 194 (+15 Nurs)         | 116                              | 60%   |
| 2018-2019     | £149000           | 199 ( +25 Nurs)        | 119                              | 52%   |
| 2019-2020     | £163,000          | 202 (+17 Nurs)         | 120                              | 60%   |
| 2020-2021     | £176,186          | 199 ( +24) Nursery     | 125                              | 63.2%   |

|                       | <u>Nursery</u> | Reception | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | <u>Year 6</u> |
|-----------------------|----------------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------------|
| N.O.R.                | 34             | 27        | 28     | 29     | 27     | 30     | 28     | 30            |
| Disadvantaged         | 18             | 14        | 19     | 21     | 18     | 16     | 21     | 17            |
| % of disadvantaged in | 53%            | 52%       | 68%    | 72%    | 67%    | 53%    | 75%    | 57%           |
| year                  |                |           |        |        |        |        |        |               |

- 60% of pupils are eligible for FSM (National 23%) placing St Columba's in the 5<sup>th</sup> quintile
- School deprivation index places St Columba's in the 5<sup>th</sup> quintile

#### 1. Current Attainment

#### No formal test results for 20/21. However TA throughout the year demonstrate that:

- Reading is a subject that appears to have been impacted on the most. Skills such as stamina and pace seem to have significantly been reduced. A love of reading does not appear to have been fostered throughout the periods of lockdown.
- The gap in Reading for PP children in Year 2 and Reception was significant.
- Writing is another area which has been detrimentally impacted upon. General feedback from pupils seems to be that some
  have not written much at all throughout the first lockdown. The gap for PP in Writing is significant in all year groups.
- Basic Maths is another priority area. The gap for PP in Maths is significant in all year groups.
- Emotional Well- Being of the children is a further priority. Learning behaviour and skills associated with effective learning appear to have diminished.
- Problem solving is a further area that has been impacted upon. Skill such as resilience and confidence to 'have a go' need to be redeveloped.

| End of Key Stage 2 2019                       | School all pupils<br>(26) | National<br>Average | School<br>Disadvantaged<br>Pupils (15) |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------|--|
| % at ARE or above in RWM                      | 62%                       | 63%                 | 40%                                    |
| % at Greater Depth Standard in RWM            | 7%                        | 10%                 | 7%                                     |
| % Achieving Expected Standard in Reading      | 73%                       | 73%                 | 53%                                    |
| % Achieving Greater Depth Standard in Reading | 19%                       | 27%                 | 13%                                    |
| Average scale score in Reading                | 104.0                     | 100                 | 101.2                                  |
| % Achieving Expected Standard in Writing      | 73%                       | 77%                 | 60%                                    |
| % Achieving Greater Depth Standard in Writing | 7%                        | 19%                 | 7%                                     |
| % Achieving Expected Standard Maths           | 88.5%                     | 76%                 | 80%                                    |
| % Achieving Greater Depth Standard in Maths   | 19%                       | 25%                 | 7%                                     |
| Average scale score in Maths                  | 105.2                     | 100                 | 102.7                                  |

| End of Key Stage 1 2019                       | School all pupils (30) | National Average | School Disadvantaged(15) |
|---|------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
| % at ARE or above in RWM                      | 63%                    | 65.3%            | 60%                      |
| % at Greater Depth Standard in RWM            | 13%                    |                  |                          |
| % Achieving Expected Standard in Reading      | 77%                    | 75%              | 60%                      |
| % Achieving Greater Depth Standard in Reading | 27%                    | 26%              |                          |
| % Achieving Expected Standard in Writing      | 66%                    | 70%              | 60%                      |
| % Achieving Greater Depth Standard in Writing | 13%                    | 16%              |                          |
| % Achieving Expected Standard Maths           | 80%                    | 74%              | 67%                      |
| % Achieving Greater Depth Standard in Maths   | 30%                    | 22%              |                          |

| Passed Phonic assessment 2019 | ALL (27)   | National Ave | Disadvantaged (19) |  |
|-------------------------------|--|--------------|--------------------|--|
|                               | 70.4%  | 81.9%        | 63% (12)           |  |
| Phonic 2020                   | Year 2 children were tested in Aut term 83% passed the test. |              |                    |  |

| EYS GLD 2019 | ALL (30) | National Ave | Disadvantaged (15) |
|--------------|----------|--------------|--------------------|
| GLD          | 63%      | 71.8%        | 53%(8)             |

#### 2. Barriers to future attainment for pupils eligible for PP

#### In school academic barriers

| A | Whole school Reading: Lockdown has had a significant impact on reading, particularly in terms of stamina and pace. The gap between PP and NPP children appears to have increased in all year groups.         |
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| В | Whole school Writing:  TA during Sept return suggests that children have not been writing as much as we would have liked them to during the first lockdown.  This is more evident in disadvantaged children. |
| С | Whole school Maths:  TA during Sept return suggests that children will need to review Basic Maths.  This is more evident in disadvantaged children.  |
| D | Phonics: There is a significant gap in the number of disadvantaged pupils passing the Phonics test, as compared to National. For 2020, Phonics needs to remain a key priority in addressing gaps.            |
| E | Emotional Well-Being of all children, but specifically the disadvantaged.  |
| F | EYFS Good Level of Development: The % of children achieving GLD is well below the national average; 18.8% gap. As well a the impact of lockdown, 2020 cohort is a significantly complex cohort.              |

#### **External barriers**

| F | Impact of the lockdown.  |
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| G | Limited life experiences. Enhanced by the lockdown.                            |
| Н | Parental capacity to support the curriculum, particularly during the lockdown/ |

#### 3. <u>Desired Outcomes</u>

| In school barriers | <u>Desired Outcomes</u>  | Success Criteria   |
|--------------------|--|--|
| Α                  | Outcomes for Reading will be back on track for disadvantaged children. | The number of disadvantaged working at the expected standard in Reading will increase. |
| В                  | Outcomes for Writing will increase for disadvantaged children.         | The number of disadvantaged working at the expected standard in Writing will increase. |
| С                  | Outcomes for Maths will increase for disadvantaged children.           | The number of disadvantaged working at the expected standard in Maths will increase.   |
| D                  | More disadvantaged children to pass the Phonics test                   | The number of disadvantaged children passing the phonics test will increase.           |
| Е                  | Behaviour for learning to improve.                                     | Children are confident learners with stamina and resilience.                           |

| F | In EYFS, the number of FSM children achieving a Good Level of Development will be closer to the national average. | The gap between school's FSM EYFS children achieving a Good level of Development will diminish and be closer to National. |
|---|---|---|
| G | The gap between the attainment of disadvantaged children to be the same/similar to other children.                | The gap between the attainment of disadvantaged children is the same/similar to other children.                           |
| Н | Ensure additional learning experiences address any culture capital issues.  | Additional in school experiences improve vocabulary, language and address any barriers to learning.                       |
| I | Parents will be more confident in supporting their child's online learning experience.                            | Homework is a meaningful experience, which enhances learning. Parents are more confident in on line learning resources.   |

| 1. Planned expenditure  |                    |                  |                    |  |
|---|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|--|
| Academic year   | 2020-21            |                  |                    |  |
| Area of Spend   | Addressing Barrier | Total allocation | % of<br>allocation |  |
| Funding for Teaching assistants (T.A.'s) targeted interventions and 1:1 targeted support in Key Stage 1 & E.Y.F.S.            | A-F                | £23,000          | 13%                |  |
| Funding for T.A.'s targeted interventions and 1:1 targeted support in EYFS, including additional Phonics and reading support. | A-F                | £12,000          | 7%                 |  |
| Commission additional Education Psychology sessions.  | A-F                | £3000            | 1.7%               |  |
| Planning and evaluating additional interventions.   | A-F                | £5,000           | 2.8%               |  |
| Catch Up teacher to support gaps in learning and additional needs   | A-F                | £28,000          | 15.9%              |  |
| Funding for Parent Mentor. Social, educational and curricular support for families.   | A-I                | £25,000          | 14.3%              |  |
| Learning Mentor funding. Social support for children.   | A-I                | £31,000          | 17.6%              |  |
| Contribution towards the cost of Reading Plus Subscription  | A-F                | £3000            | 1.7%               |  |
| Whole school staff training on the teaching of Phonics, vocabulary and early reading  | A/D/F/G/I          | £3,000           | 1.7%               |  |
| Contribution to whole subscriptions ( Mathletics, Picture News, Spelling League etc)  | A/B/C/D/E/F/G      | £3,000           | 1.7%               |  |

| Breakfast Club   | A-F     | £12,000 | 6%   |
|--|---------|---------|------|
| Contribution to school uniform and shoes.                                  | A-F     | £5,000  | 2.8% |
| Contribution towards outdoor provision of the Foundation Stage             | F       | £6,000  | 3.4% |
| Contribution to the cost of Visitors and Visits ( Restrictions permitting) | A\B\G/H | £5000   | 2.8% |
| Contribution to additional IIT resources ( laptops and IPADS)              | A-I     | £12,000 | 6.8% |

After considering evidence from The Education Endowment Foundation (EEF) the DfE's Supporting the Attainment of Disadvantaged Pupils, Ofsted's The Pupil Premium: an Update and effective practice from local schools, expenditure has been planned to address the following:

a) Quality of Teaching for All

| Desired Outcome | Chosen   | Evidence and   | How we will ensure   | Staff lead | When will   |
|-----------------|--|--|--|------------|---|
|                 | Action/Approach  | Rationale  | this is implemented  |            | implementation be   |
|                 |  |  | well   |            | reviewed  |
| A               | Continue to I review reading approaches and outcomes, in order to ensure that the number of pupils achieving the expected standard edges closer to being | Reading is the key<br>school priority. Learn<br>to read, Read to<br>learn.<br>Impact of lockdown<br>has clearly impacted<br>upon reading | Time given to Eng<br>Lead to assess<br>impact and target key<br>groups.<br>Re-Launch Reading<br>Rainbow. | C Lewis    | Termly via reports to SLT and Governors. Termly via pupil views. At termly progress meetings. £6000 |
|                 | back on track.   |  |  |            |   |
| A to E          | Plan a further Whole<br>school review of<br>Phonic, in order to  | Phonics is key to the success of early reading.  | Phonics lead to address gaps and ensure consistency of approach.   | C Lewis    | Regular assessments and review of phonic data.  |

|                     | address gaps in<br>learning.                                    |   | Review and ensure<br>the structured<br>approach to the<br>teaching of phonics.                            |                       | Termly progress<br>meetings.<br>Report to Governors.<br>£23,000             |
|---------------------|---|---|---|-----------------------|---|
| A to E              | Recruit a Catch Up<br>CT to support release<br>of DHT and SENCO | Lockdown has had a significant impact on all children's learning and well-being | DHT to identify and address gaps in learning. SENCO to support increase in varying SEND need.             | C Lewis/<br>R Hitchen | Of Catch up Teacher £24000 to cover DHT and SENCO                           |
| A to E              | Review approach of Teaching Assistants                          | COVID restrictions impacting upon this  | HT to organise for<br>additional training for<br>class based TAs who<br>are to be kept in their<br>bubble | M Evans (HT)          | Regular virtual TA<br>meetings.<br>TA appraisals.<br>CPD for TAs<br>£11,000 |
| Total budgeted cost |   |   |   |                       |   |

## b) Targeted Support

| Desired Outcome | Chosen<br>Action/Approach        | Evidence and Rationale   | How we will ensure<br>this is implemented<br>well | Staff lead | When will implementation be reviewed             |
|-----------------|----------------------------------|--|---|------------|--|
| A to F          | Teaching assistant intervention. | TA to support gaps in learning within their individual classrooms.   | DHT and SENCO will oversee impact                 | M Evans    | Progress Meetings<br>TA feedback<br>£11,000      |
| A to F          | Review of interventions.         | SENS register and targeted support register to be fluid, impact to be monitored regularly and reviewed if necessary. | Whole school review of interventions.             | R Hitchen  | SEN report to Govs.<br>Review of IEPS<br>£15,000 |

| G                   | Learning Mentor | Improved well-being and mental health, attendance, punctuality and achievement , following the lockdown(ST+6) Behaviour intervention (ST+4) | Review the role of the Learning Mentor. Target specific groups who appear to have been significantly impacted upon by the lockdown. Undertake preventative rather than reactive work in the form of seedlings. | Learning Mentor<br>Richard Murphy<br>HT M Evans<br>SENCO R Hitchen | At termly attendance meetings and governors' meetings Learning mentor to report to head teacher and SENCO £16000 |
|---------------------|-----------------|---|--|--|--|
| A to G              | Parent Mentor   | Parental Involvement (ST+3)   | PM to target specific families to support with attendance, behaviour and any issues which may have been impacted by lockdown.  | M Evans  | Termly Governor meeting Termly reports to HT/SENCO £23000  |
| Total budgeted cost | <u> </u>        | ·   |  | <u> </u>   |  |

### c) Other approaches

| Desired Outcome | Chosen<br>Action/Approach  | Evidence and<br>Rationale  | How we will ensure this is implemented well                   | Staff lead | When will implementation be reviewed   |
|-----------------|--|--|---|------------|--|
| A to E          | When appropriate ,Educational visitors and Visits in order to address limited life experiences and cultural capital. | Cultural capital must<br>be addressed in<br>order to close gaps<br>on learning<br>experiences. | Each class to be allocated an amount for visits and visitors. | M Evans    | Review number of visits and visitors each term. Pupil feedback on residential and the benefit to them. £11,000 |
| A to E          | Cost of staff to run<br>Breakfast Club   | Ensure pupils start the day well for   | Target specific PP pupils that will benefit.                  | R Murphy   | Review number of PP pupils accessing BC each term.   |

|                     | better learning outcomes. | Identify poor attenders and offer the service. | £10,000 |
|---------------------|---------------------------|--|---------|
| Total budgeted cost |                           |  |         |

### **Review of Expenditure from Previous Academic Year 2019-2020**

|   | <u>Barrier</u>  | <u>Impact</u>  | Lessons learned   |
|---|---|--|---|
| A | At the end of KS2 attainment in Reading will rise for disadvantaged pupils so that more children are achieving the national standard. (SDP Key priority 2)  | Due to the pandemic and lockdown, there was no formal data. However Reading will remain a key priority | Look at further online reading resources.                               |
| В | At the end of KS2 attainment in Writing will rise for disadvantaged pupils so that more children are achieving the national standard. (SDP Key priority 2   | Due to the pandemic and lockdown, there was no formal data. However Writing will remain a key priority | How can we incorporate and assist with more meaningful writing at home? |
| С | In Key stage 1, the number of disadvantaged children achieving the expected standard in Reading will be closer to the national average. (SDP Key priority 2 | Due to the pandemic and lockdown, there was no formal data. However Reading will remain a key priority | A secure phonetic knowledge is integral to further increase.            |

| D | The number of disadvantaged pupils passing   | The Phonics resit in Sept did  | A tight, structured whole                                   |
|---|--|--|---|
|   | the phonics tests will be closer to national   | demonstrate that Phonics remains a   | school approach has a                                       |
|   | average. (SDP Key priority 1)  | strong area.   | significant impact.   |
| E | In EYFS, the number of FSM children achieving a Good Level of Development will be closer to the national average. (SDP Key priority 8) | The younger children seem to be more detrimentally impacted upon by the pandemic and it was more difficult to get them to engage with online learning. | Rethink online learning opportunities for younger children. |

Next review date Sept 2021