#### **Report on Projected Spending of the Pupil Premium Grant**

### **Academic Year 2017-18**

At The Castle School, we are committed to accelerating the achievement, progress and personal development of all disadvantaged students and diminishing the differences between their outcomes and those of their peers. The Pupil Premium is a fund, which comes directly into school from the government to help us achieve this aim. Funding is targeted at students who have received free school meals at any time in the last 6 years; been continuously looked after for at least 6 months; been adopted from care and children who have one or more parents in the British Armed Forces.

**At The Castle School** we work closely with our feeder Primary schools to ensure that every child transitions well to secondary school and continues to make good progress.

At The Castle School our aim is that Every Child Achieves, Belongs and Participates – these three values direct all that we do. We believe in educating the whole child through high quality teaching (Achieve) and high quality pastoral care (Belong and Participate). Our school priority is always to deliver the highest quality teaching by personalising our approach for every student, every lesson, everyday. We invest significantly in staff training both internally and externally to enhance our practice to secure the best outcomes for all students. We tailor our curriculum, our teaching and our approach to meet the needs of all students with clear targeting and funding allocated to those who come from disadvantaged backgrounds and those who need to catch up quickly when they join The Castle School.

PUPIL PREMIUM 2017-18							
Number of pupils eligible	190 (TBC)						
Amount received per pupil	£935 (Ever6) + £300 (Services) + £1900 (LAC/adopted)						
TOTAL PP available (includes additional funding for service children & children adopted from care)	£170,000 (TBC)						

Date of most recent external review	November 2017
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#### 1. Current Achievement of PP students 2018

Performance	School Group	2015	2016	2017	2018	Others Nationally	2015	2016	2017
Measure	·				(expected)				
5 A*- CEM	PP all	82%	65%						
5A*-C	PP all	89%	74%						
	PP High Ability		0.04	-1.01	-1.01	High Ability		0.07	
Progress 8	PP Middle Ability		0.37	-0.74	-0.35	Middle Ability		0.14	
	PP Low Ability		0.04	0.47	-1.25	Low Ability		0.19	
	PP All		0.17	-0.66	-0.84	Other All		0.43	
Progress 8 in English	PP High Ability		-0.13	-0.7	-1.15	High Ability		0.05	
(English Element)	PP Middle Ability		0.29	-0.77	-0.82	Middle Ability		0.11	
	PP Low Ability		-0.28	0.36	-1.59	Low Ability		0.16	
	PP All		0.01	-0.56	-1.12	Other All		0.46	
	PP High Ability		0.32	-1.05	-1.55	High Ability		0.06	
<b>Progress 8 in Maths</b>	PP Middle Ability		0.41	-0.71	-1.3	Middle Ability		0.12	
(Maths Element)	PP Low Ability		1.14	0.07	-0.82	Low Ability		0.19	
	PP All		0.51	-0.73	-1.33	Other All		0.50	
	PP High Ability		62.15	50.29	51.54	High Ability		65.12	
<b>Attainment 8</b>	PP Middle Ability		51.42	33.89	39.5	Middle Ability		50.77	
	PP Low Ability		28.08	27.64	12.4	Low Ability		31.32	
	PP All		51.44	39.98	40.48	Other All		52.72	
	PP High Ability		92%	53%	54%	High Ability		97	
Threshold (English	PP Middle Ability		58%	2%	0%	Middle Ability		68	
and Maths) 5+	PP Low Ability		17%	0%	0%	Low Ability		14	
	PP All		65%	25%	25%	Other All		70	
	PP High Ability		100%	50%	88%	High Ability		58	
% Achieved Ebacc (of	PP Middle Ability		67%	0%	0%	Middle Ability		17	
entries)	PP Low Ability		0%	0%	0%	Low Ability		1	
	PP All		88%	33%	58%	Other All		29	

## 2. Students Eligible for PP 2017-18

Year Group	Cohort size	Number of PP	High Ability	Middle Ability	Lower Ability	PP/SEND	No KS2 data	PP as % of
KS3		students						Year Group
7	245	47	22 (47%)	18 (38%)	6 (13%)	8	1 (2%)	19.1%
8	235	43	17 (40%)	16 (37%)	10 (23%)	9	0	18.3%
9	236	28	13 (46%)	13 (46%)	2 (7%)	8	0	11.8%
Total	716	118	52	47	18	25	1	16.5%

Year Group	<b>Cohort Size</b>	Number of PP	High Ability	Middle Ability	Lower	PP/SEND	No KS2 data	PP as % of
KS4		students			Ability			Year Group
10	235	28	17 (61%)	5 (18%)	5 (18 %)	5	1 (4%)	11.9%
11	240	44	19 (43%)	17 (39%)	7 (16%)	11	1 (2%)	18.3%
Total	475	72	36	22	12	16	2 (%)	15.2%

NB- percentages have been rounded

### 3. Barriers to learning that current PP students face at The Castle School

Identified	Objective	2017 leavers actuals	Assessment2 July2017	Success criteria	Impact
Barrier			Data, 2018 leavers		
Some Disadvantaged students don't attend as well as others. PA trend: 2015 (16.3%), 2016 (20.28%), 2017 (28.4%)	To secure good attendance of all PP students to close rapidly towards 'others' nationally	PA Disadvantaged 28.4 54/190 pupils	Disadvantaged Persistent absence Others 11.9 % 144/1202 pupils Persistent absence Disadvantaged 28.4 % 54/190 pupils PA has increased for Disadvantaged since 2015	Reduction in PA over the 5 years for individual students rather than the increase for individuals. Reduction in PA overall especially for disadvantaged.  Milestones PA 26% this year, PA 21%% next, PA 18% 2021, PA 15% 2022 PA 12% 2023	18.7.18 PA 22.9% (33/144)
Disadvantaged students are not achieving well P8 -0.66 (44 students) English -0.56 Maths -0.73 EBac -0.82 Other -0.54	To improve outcomes for Disadvantaged students so the gaps begin to close rapidly towards 'others' nationally	P8 -0.66 (44 students) English -0.56 Maths -0.73 EBac -0.82 Other -0.54	P8 -0.85 (28 students) English -1.33 Maths -0.97 EBAC -0.27 Open -1.01	Disadvantaged students outcomes improve rapidly towards 'others' nationally  Milestones English P8 0.0 Maths P8 -0.2 EBAC P8 +0.2 Open P8 0.0	Jan Year 11 March P8 P8 -0.89 P8 -0.73  English P8 -1 English -0.64 Maths -1.28 Maths -0.99 EBAC -0.56 EBAC -0.65 Open -0.67 Open -0.69  Threshold Threshold 4+ 48%, 5+ 24% 4+ 52%, 5+34%  Nov 2 English P8 -1.17 Maths -1.35 EBAC -0.43 Open -0.77  Threshold 4+ 50%, 5+25%

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Disadvantaged HAPS are not achieving well. P8 - 1.01 (19 students) English -0.7 Maths - 1.05 EBac -1.31 Other - 0.91	To improve outcomes for Disadvantaged students so the gaps begin to close rapidly towards 'others' nationally	P8 -1.01 (19 students) English -0.7 Maths -1.05 EBac -1.31 Other -0.91	P8 -1.2 (13 students) English -2.02 Maths -1.11 EBC -0.72 Other -1.2	Disadvantaged students outcomes improve rapidly towards 'others' nationally Milestones English P8 0.0 Maths P8 -0.2 EBAC P8 +0.2 Open P8 0.0 Milestones PA 26% this year, PA 21%% next, PA 18% 2021, PA 15% 2022 PA 12% 2023	Jan Year 11(13) March P8 P8  -0.98(13) -0.75 English P8 -1.11 English -0.41 Maths P8 -1.49 Maths -0.87 EBAC P8 -0.87 EBAC -1.18 Open -0.65 Open -0.46  Threshold Threshold 4+77%,5+54% 4+89%, 5+69%  Nov English P8 -1.18 Maths P8 -1.56 EBAC P8 -0.84 Open -0.78  Threshold 4+85%, 5+54%
Disadvantaged boys are not achieving well P8 -0.5 (26 students) English - 0.42 Maths - 0.49 EBac - 0.66 Other - 0.4	To improve outcomes for Disadvantaged students so the gaps begin to close rapidly towards 'others' nationally	P8 -0.5 (26 students) English -0.42 Maths -0.49 EBac -0.66 Other -0.4	P8 -1.23 (14 students) English -1.8 Maths -1.33 EBac -0.43 Other -1.58	Disadvantaged students outcomes improve rapidly towards 'others' nationally Milestones English P8 0.0 Maths P8 -0.2 EBAC P8 +0.2 Open P8 0.0	Year 11 Jan (16)

# 4. Expenditure of Pupil Premium Funding 2017-18

Chosen Approach	Reasons for this Approach	Cost of PP contribution	Lead Staff	Review Dates (Governors Monitoring)	How the impact will be measured	Impact
		Leadershi	p			
Deputy Head (BW) focussed work on PP	SLT PP champion is dedicated to planning provision, monitoring provision and assessing impact on academic and pastoral achievement. To explore and research best practice.	£15328	B Warrender	Jan 2017 April 2018 September 2017	GCSE school measures for PP vs 'others' nationally (P8, English, Maths)  Milestones Assessment 1 P8 -0.8 EM %+ 7/28 25% Assessment 2 P8 -0.4 5+ 10/28 36% September P8 -0.0 EM 5+ 15/28 54%	Key focus reducing PA 18.7.18 PA 22.9% (33/144) was 28.4% 2017 closed 5.5%. Well below the milestone for this year. Careful tracked by DHT. Students at risk of exceeding threshold reviewed by SLT and HOH.  Year 11 March P8 -0.73 from -0.89 imp +0.16, others  English -0.64 from -1 imp +0.36, Maths -0.99 from -1.28 +0.3, EBAC -0.65 decr from -0.56 -0.09, Open -0.69 dec from -0.67,  Threshold 4+ 52%, 5+34% slight improvement from 4+ 48%, 5+28%  Assessment 2 Jan 2018 Current grade based on Pixl Wave P8 -0.89 (29) others +0.11. English P8 -1 Maths -1.28 EBAC -0.56 Open -0.67

						18/29 Negative P8 was 23 3 outliers Non-attenders. 1 only entered Eng, Maths and Sci.  Maths limiting factor. Identify from PLC next steps. Tutors for English and Maths
						Year 7 14 % gap on entry meeting reading standard, gap 3% in terms of students meeting English targets. Maths 26% gap on entry now Disadvantaged 2% better than others in terms of meeting targets.  Year 8 30% gap on entry reading now 18% in terms of % of students meeting targets. Maths 15% gap, now gap is 2% in terms of students meeting targets.  Year 9 English gap on entry 14% now Disadvantaged students 3% better. Maths gap on entry 11% now 9% gap.
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Heads of House time working with PP students	On average, one day per week spent working with PP students and their families  Sutton Trust:  Parental engagement +3 months  Social and Emotional Learning +4 months  Mentoring +1 month	£71077	J Lamb and HOH (6)	Jan 2017 April 2018 September 2017	GCSE school measures for PP vs 'others' nationally (P8, English, Maths), behaviour points and attendance by House  Milestones Assessment 1 P8 -0.8 EM %+ 7/28 25%	18.7.18 PA 22.9% (33/144) was 28.4% 2017 closed 5.5%. Well below the milestone for this year. ]

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			Assessment 2 P8 -0.4 5+ 10/28	Caernarvon (4)
			36%	March compared to Jan
			September P8 -0.0 EM 5+ 15/28	
			54%	P8 -1.27 Threshold
				4+50%, 5+ 25%
				Was 25% and 0%
				English -1.29 was -1.54
				Maths -1.15 was -1.65
				EBAC-1.36 was -0.69
				Open-1.26 was -1.18
				Windsor(13)
				P8-0.76 was -0.78
				Threshold 4+46%, 5+ 23%
				English -1.03 was -1.11
				Maths-1.03 was -1.2
				EBAC -0.53 was -0.32
				Open-0.75 was -0.75
				Balmoral (3)
				P8 +0.14 was +0.02
				Threshold 4+ 33%, 5+ 33% no
				change
				English +0.64 was +0.3
				Maths -1.31 was -1.64
				EBAC +0.25 was +0.03
				Open +0.67 was +0.95
				Sandringham (4)
				P8 -0.5 was -0.78
				Threshold 4+ 75%, 5+75% was
				4+46%, 5+ 23%
				English -0.5 was -1.11
				Maths -0.01 was -1.2
				EBAC-0.71 was -0.32
				Open -0.73 was -0.75
				Lancastor D9 LO 11 was 0.43
				Lancaster P8+0.11 was -0.42

						Threshold 4+ 100%, 5+ 50 English +0.61 was -0.89 Maths +0.07 was -0.42 EBAC-0.09 was +0.08 Open 0 was -0.58  Buckingham (3)-1.58 was -1.71 Threshold 4+, 5+ 33% English -1.18 no change Maths -2.08 was -1.75 EBAC-1.69 was -2.14 Open -1.4 was -1.62
Chosen Approach	Reasons for this Approach	Cost of PP contribution	Lead Staff	Review Dates (Governors Monitoring)	How the impact will be measured	Impact
Pastoral support	15% of their time on PP children Sutton Trust: Social and Emotional Learning +4 months Behaviour Interventions +4 months	£8664	M Randall	Jan 2017 April 2018 September 2017	GCSE school measures for PP vs 'others' nationally (P8, English, Maths), behaviour points and attendance by House Milestones  Milestones PA 26% this year, PA 21% next, PA 18% 2021, PA 15% 2022 PA 12% 20	18.7.18 PA 22.9% (33/144) was 28.4% 2017 closed 5.5%. Well below the milestone for this year. Careful tracked by DHT. Students at risk of exceeding threshold reviewed by SLT and HOH.  Key actions next year. Appoint attendance officer Including: Phoning all absent Disadvantaged students Ensuring rapid response to students who are late to ensure it doesn't further escalate to impact attendance To ensure any students at risk of PA have immediate contact with parents and PSP completed To complete home visits to remove barriers to attendance Increase the frequency and quantity prosecutions if needed.

Chosen Approach	Reasons for this Approach	Cost of PP contribution	Lead Staff	Review Dates (Governors Monitoring)	How the impact will be measured	Impact
	Improve Literacy	and Numera	acy in Year	7 and KS3		
Breakfast club/morning intervention	Students focus on areas of need that specific to them, for example, reading, spelling, handwriting, resilience  Sutton Trust: Small group tuition +4months Reading strategies +6months	£36	C Owen	Dec 2017 March 2018 July 2018	Impact will measured against a baseline test appropriate to the intervention.	
Year 8 Accelerated Reader	Bespoke and targeted Literacy resource focusing on reading and comprehension – to support students achieve well in English and across the curriculum Sutton Trust: Feedback +8 months Digital technology +4 months	£237	N Whysall	Jan 2018 April 2018 September 2018	% of PP students at reading age vs Non PP % of PP students achieving target grades in English compared to Non PP	46 students accessing Accelerated Reader for 3 months 21 (47%)improved reading age by 4 months or more 2 (3%) improved by 1-2 months 23 (50%) have not improved
Corrective Reader	30 week programme for Year 7 students Corrective reading is used to find and close gaps in a student's reading skills. A ratio gain of 1.0 means that the child's skills are developing at a normal pace, but they will not be catching up with their peers. Brooks (2007) suggests that  Ratio gains of less than 1.4 are of 'doubtful educational significance', Between 1.4 and 2.0 of 'modest impact', Between 2.0 and 3.0 of 'useful impact',	£2554	C Owen	Jan 2017 April 2018 September 2018	Improvement in reading ages for PP students. Progress on the programme inline improvement for non PP students  Milestones Reading ages increase by Spring: 4 months on average Reading ages increase by Summer: at least 8 months on average  Summer: at least 75% of students will have made 'remarkable gains' in their reading	8 Disadvantaged students accessing Corrective reader  During 3 months December to January 1 improved by 12 months and 1 improved by 8 months, 1 improved by 3 months.  When tested using Star reading test on Accelerated reader 5 students (63%) had improved by 6 months or more, 25% had improved 4-5 months, 1(12%) improved by 3 months since September.

- year 11s tutorial 2018 P8 -0.4 Assessment 2 improvement Sutton Trust: P8 0.0 September 2018 improvement Small group tuition +4months	Chosen Approach	Between 3.0 and 4.0 of 'substantial impact' and     Above 4.0 of 'remarkable impact' (Brooks. 2007, p. 289).  Sutton Trust:  Reading strategies +6months  Small group tuition +4months  Reasons for this Approach	Cost of PP contribution	Lead Staff	Review Dates (Governors Monitoring)	How the impact will be measured	Impact
Maths intervention - year 11s  11 receive additional teaching in tutorial Sutton Trust: Small group tuition +4months  Year 11 Study group  1.5 hours after school of revision PP students who require support in school with revision.  Sutton Trust: Extended school time +2months  September 2018  September 2018  September 2018  PR -0.4 Assessment 2		Improve E	inglish and I	<u> Maths in</u> K	<b>S4</b>		
PP students who require support in school with revision.  March 2018 August 2018  Sutton Trust: Extended school time +2months  March 2018 August 2018  March 2018 August 2018  Suggest 2018  August 2018 August 2018  Assessment 1 P8 -0.8 Assessment 2 P8 -0.4		11 receive additional teaching in tutorial Sutton Trust:	£146	B Gee	September	against 'others' nationally P8 -0.4 Assessment 2	Maths -0.99 from -1.28 +0.3
	Year 11 Study group	PP students who require support in school with revision.  Sutton Trust:	£12001	J Thomson	March 2018	English and Maths compared to 'others' nationally Milestones Assessment 1 P8 -0.8 Assessment 2 P8 -0.4	4 students are Disadvantaged

1:1 emotional literacy support	ELSA  Sutton Trust: Behaviour Interventions +4 months Social and Emotional Learning +4 months	£104	Clair Owen	Dec 2017 March 2018 July 2018	Impact will measured against a baseline test with 6 key areas around kind behaviour, social behaviour, concentration, behavioural difficulties, emotional distress and overall stress	Review at Easter
Individualised Emotional Literacy Intervention	Students are supported using the Individualised Emotional Literacy Intervention (ILI) Sutton Trust: Behaviour Interventions +4 months Social and Emotional Learning +4 months	f81	Clair Owen	Dec 2017 March 2018 July 2018	Impact will measured against a baseline test appropriate to the intervention	Review at Easter
Chosen Approach	Reasons for this Approach	Cost of PP contribution	Lead Staff	Review Dates (Governors Monitoring)	How the impact will be measured	Impact
RTL year 11 students	Targeted mentoring/intervention of Disadvantaged students and their parents to improve attendance, behaviour for learning and achievement 14 students, 5 Disadvantaged (35.71%) Currently 14 students 6 Disadvantaged 43% Sutton Trust: Reduced class size +3 months Behaviour Interventions +4 months Meta cognition and self-regulation +8 months Social and Emotional Learning +4 months Mentoring +1 month	£9704	S Marney S Thomas	Dec 2017 March 2018 July 2018	PP absence, persistent absence and FTE compared to non PP and PP nationally Individual case studies monitoring individual students	6 students 2 students improved attendance 4 students all below 16 behaviour points or significant reduction in points.

RTL year 10 students	Targeted mentoring/intervention of Disadvantaged students and their parents to improve attendance, behaviour for learning and achievement 9 students 5 Disadvantaged, 4 others (55%) 9 students currently 6 Disadvantaged 66%  Sutton Trust: Reduced class size +3 months Behaviour Interventions +4 months Meta cognition and self-regulation +8 months Social and Emotional Learning +4 months Mentoring +1 month	£9704	S Marney S Thomas	Dec 2017 March 2018 July 2018	PP absence, persistent absence and FTE compared to non PP and PP nationally	(see case studies) 6 students Attendance of 2 students stayed the same, 1 student 90.5 another improved by 12.6% 2 significantly reduced behaviour points or 0/1 behaviour points.
Chosen Approach	Reasons for this Approach	Cost of PP contribution	Lead Staff	Review Dates (Governors Monitoring)	How the impact will be measured	Impact
RTL year 9 students	Targeted mentoring/intervention of Disadvantaged students and their parents to improve attendance, behaviour for learning and achievement 6 students, 4 Disadvantaged, 2 others (66%) Sutton Trust: Reduced class size +3 months Behaviour Interventions +4 months Meta cognition and self-regulation +8 months Social and Emotional Learning +4 months Mentoring +1 month	£7764	S Marney S Thomas	Dec 2017 March 2018 July 2018	PP absence, persistent absence and FTE compared to non PP and PP nationally	(see case studies) 6 students 1 now off roll 5 students attendance stayed the same, 1 improved to 97% from 95%

RTL year 8 students	Targeted mentoring/intervention of Disadvantaged students and their parents to improve attendance, behaviour for learning and achievement 8 students 4 Disadvantaged, 4 others (50%) Currently 1 student 100%  Sutton Trust: Reduced class size +3 months Behaviour Interventions +4 months Meta cognition and self-regulation +8 months Social and Emotional Learning +4 months Mentoring +1 month	£104	S Marney S Thomas	Dec 2017 March 2018 July 2018	PP absence, persistent absence and FTE compared to non PP and PP nationally	(see case studies) 2 students 1 student 16.3% improvement in attendance, 2 students significant reduction in behaviour points
RTL year 7 students	Targeted mentoring/intervention of Disadvantaged students and their parents to improve attendance, behaviour for learning and achievement 1 student only who was Disadvantaged (100%) Sutton Trust: Reduced class size +3 months Behaviour Interventions +4 months Meta cognition and self-regulation +8 months Social and Emotional Learning +4 months Mentoring +1 month	£81	S Marney S Thomas	Dec 2017 March 2018 July 2018	PP absence, persistent absence and FTE compared to non PP and PP nationally	(see case studies)  1 student attendance improved from 97.5% to 99.10%, minimal behaviour points

Counselling service	Providing support for PP students in difficult circumstances Sutton Trust: Social & emotional learning +4 months	£9704	Jo Arnold	January 2018 April 2018 July 2018	Individual anonymous case studies. Impact on improved attendance and behaviour points	
Careers adviser	All Disadvantaged students have a Careers appointment Sutton Trust: Mentoring +1 month	£1387	J Whatley	January 2018	0% of NEETS that are PP 2018	All students have had a careers interview in Year 11 and have college applications completed
Chosen Approach	Reasons for this Approach	Cost of PP contribution	Lead Staff	Review Dates (Governors Monitoring)	How the impact will be measured	Impact
REACH	11/17 students accessed alternative provision via REACH were Disadvantaged students Sutton Trust: Behaviour Interventions +4 months	£22254	J Lamb/M Randall	January 2018 April 2018 July 2018	Improvement in attendance and behaviour	See separate case studies
Books and revision guides	To provide textbooks, revision guides and resources for students	£450	B Warrender	January 2018 April 2018 July 2017	Ensure all FSM students are supported with books and revision guides for GCSE courses.	All students full access to resources they need
Resources	To resources for students to access lessons such as ingredients for food lessons	£950	B Warrender	January 2018 April 2018 July 2018		All students full access to resources they need
Extracurricular support funding	To provide financial support to enable students to benefit from educational activities and experiences. Motivational support to attend events such as the prom.  Sutton Trust:  Arts Participation +2 months  Sports + 2 months  Outdoor adventure learning +3 months	£5500	B Warrender	December 2017 April 2018 July 2018	PP Attendance, FTE compared to non PP and PP nationally	Example of impact from 1 major trip 5 students 4/5(80%) had no behaviour points since the trip None of the students have more than 9 behaviour points since September All students have 94% attendance or above (4 have attendance inline with or improved since last year, 1 is in Year 7 so no attendance figures)
Musical tuition	To provide financial support to enable students to benefit from musical tuition	£3,000	B Warrender	January 2018 April 2018 July 2018	PP Attendance, FTE compared to non PP and PP nationally	9 students

	Sutton Trust: Arts Participation +2 months					78% had 3 behaviour points or less or significant drop in behaviour points for that year.
Uniform	To provide support for families with school uniform needs to ensure they 'Belong' and have a sense of pride in the school	£300	B Warrender	December 2017 April 2018 July 2018	PP Attendance, FTE compared to non PP and PP nationally	2 students provided with uniform.