Pupil Premium Information

What is Pupil Premium funding?

Pupil Premium is additional funding allocated to school by the government to help address barriers to learning and close the gap in attainment for disadvantaged pupils.

Should I still apply for Pupil Premium funding even though my school gets free school meals in Reception and **KS1?**

Yes! At Weddington Primary we miss out on lots of additional funding which we could use to support your child in lots of different ways. This includes help with the cost of trips, extra opportunities to work with sports coaches, pastoral support (where needed), free school meals for those in KS2.

How could Pupil Premium funding support my child?

We can use the funding in a wide variety of ways to help your child become a curious, confident and courageous Weddy Graduate. This could include educational trips and experiences, after school clubs and pastoral support.

Is my child eligible?

Pupil Premium funding is allocated to schools based on the number of pupils who are:

- o In receipt of Free School Meals or have received Free School Meals in the last 6 years
- o In care
- Children of the British Armed Services
- Pupils adopted from care

How do I know if my child is eligible for Free **School Meals?**

If you are in receipt of one of the following benefits, you can apply for Pupil Premium funding:

- Universal Credit with an annual net earned income of no more than £7400
- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- o The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (with no Working Tax Credit) with an annual income of no more than £16,190

How to apply:

Please apply online at

https://admissions.warwickshire.gov.uk/Synergy/Enquiries/Citizen/FreeSchoolMeals.aspx

TEL: 01926 742543

If you want any help completing the application please come into the school office.

