

Pupil Premium Plan for Financial Year 2016/17

What is Pupil Premium?

Pupil Premium is funding given to schools to help to support disadvantaged students and to help to close the gap in attainment between these students and their peers. It is allocated to schools for every student who has been registered for free school meals at any point in the last six years as of the January Census, for Looked After Children and children of those in the armed services. Monies are received from the Government in addition to the main school funding grant. This is a ring fenced grant, which can only be used to support the progress and development of less well-off or disadvantaged students.

UTC Cambridge strives to ensure that finance is not a barrier to learning of all committed and eligible students. We recognise that students attend UTC Cambridge in order to obtain the best possible education in preparation for a successful career in the Science Industry. Therefore, it is vital that we provide full support for them to make swift progress in literacy, numeracy and other related skills and knowledge so that they can make the most of the opportunities afforded to them at UTCC to make the best possible progress. It is the decision of each individual school on how the money is spent and there is no requirement for the Pupil Premium to be spent on named individuals. The impact of such spending is usually measured by analysing the year 11 examination results to check that students who are disadvantaged have performed as well as those who are not.

Income

Number of pupils and Pupil Premium grant (PPG 2015/16)	
Number of pupils on Roll in KS4	118
Total number of pupils eligible for PPG	20
% of key stage 4 cohort eligible for PP funding	16.95%
Amount of PPG received per pupil	£ 935.00
Total amount of PPG received	£ 20,570.00

Proposed Expenditure 2016-17

- and group Mentoring where students are not making good progress
- Aspirational support programmes including Growth Mindset (metacognitive) interventions
- Supported revision sessions
- The provision of money towards text books and revision guides to ensure these learners can participate in lessons fully and independently
- Contribution towards essential trips to assist learners with their studies and revision of particular topics.
- Contribution towards the cost of transport to improve attendance and access lessons on time.
- Personal ICT provision to enable learners to work independently or part of a team on either learning or researching different topics.
- The provision of the breakfast club to ensure that all learners have access to breakfast each morning.