

Free milk



Nurture Room



Free Trips



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Pupil Premium Grant

Information for
Parents/Carers
at
Hartford Infant School



This leaflet will support you in understanding what the **Premium Grant** is and how it can help your child.

Bringing out the Best in Everyone

What is Pupil Premium?

- Pupil Premium was introduced in 2011.
- It is additional funding that schools receive to support children from low income and disadvantaged families.

Who receives the Pupil Premium?

- Low income families who are registered for FSM, or who have been registered for FSM at any point in the last six years.
- Children that have been in care continuously for 6 months or more.
- Adopted children who have been in care continuously for 6 months or more prior to adoption.
- Pupils of families who serve in the Forces.

How should schools spend the grant?

- Schools must spend the grant for the educational benefit of their eligible pupils to boost progress as reflected in English and Maths results. The grant can be spent on services that benefit pupils at the school or their families, in the locality in which the school is situated.

Pupil Premium at Hartford Infant School

If your child receives Pupil Premium funding, we will be able to offer you:

- A named **Pupil Premium Champion** – this is an adult within school who will support your child succeed and do their very best. They may support them academically or emotionally, depending on the needs of your child.
- **Free school trips** – previous examples include: day trip to Shuttleworth Museum, a bespoke Cambridge bus tours, train journeys linked to history to provide real life experiences.
- **Free extra-curricular club** – we offer a range of after school clubs such as gymnastics, multi-skills, yoga and cooking. Your child can have 1 free club per term.
- Access to our **Nurture Room** – a caring and supportive space for the children to work in small groups with 2 trained staff to develop their social, emotional and behavioural skills.
- **Free school meals and milk.**



How do I apply?

If you think your family may be eligible, please complete the '**Count Me In**' form which can be accessed from the school office. It is always worth applying, even if you are unsure!

You may qualify for **Pupil Premium** if you receive any of the following:

- Income support
- Income based job seekers allowance
- Income related employment and support allowance
- Child tax credit, provided you are not also entitled to working tax credit

Count me in!  Cambridgeshire County Council

Application for Free School Meals/
Pupil Premium Funding
Please complete all sections of this form using black ink and BLOCK CAPITALS

1. PARENT/GUARDIAN DETAILS				
Title				
Surname/Family name				
First name				
Date of birth				
National Insurance number				
National Asylum Seeker number				
Day time telephone number				
Parent/Guardian's current address				
Email address				
By providing an email address you are agreeing to receive the response by email				

2. CHILD/CHILDREN'S DETAILS				
(Please include all children who are aged 2-16, do not include children you are fostering)				
* Surname:	* First name:	* Date of birth:	* School:	Relationship to child
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3. FAMILY INCOME AND BENEFIT DETAILS	
* Please tick the corresponding benefit you are receiving	Universal Credits (no more than £7,400 take home pay) <input type="checkbox"/>
Income Support	Income Based Job Seekers allowance <input type="checkbox"/>
Income Related Employment Support Allowance	Occasional element of State Pension Credit <input type="checkbox"/>
Child Tax Credit with an annual income less than £16,100	Support under part VII of the Immigration & Asylum Act 1999 <input type="checkbox"/>

Families in receipt of Working Tax Credit are not eligible for Free School Meals and Pupil Premium. Education Welfare Benefit Service collect and use information about you so that we can provide your children with entitlement to education benefits under The Education Act 1996. The information you share will be held in accordance with the Data Protection Act and will be shared with other bodies administering public funds to determine the support available, to verify the initial and ongoing entitlement and also for the prevention and detection of fraud in connection with this claim. Full details about how we use this data and the rights you have around this can be found at www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/privacy. If you have any data protection queries, please contact the Data Protection Officer at data.protection@cambridgeshire.gov.uk.

By signing this form, I confirm I understand that data will be shared as appropriate to enable the Education Welfare Benefit Service to make periodic checks using the secure benefit checking system to confirm my entitlement to education benefits.

*Signed: _____ *Date: _____