

Dear Parents/Carers of Reception Children,

Pupil Premium

Please have a look at the attached information and see whether you are, as a family, entitled to register for Pupil Premium. There are benefits to your child being registered if you meet the criteria. As a school we are aware that there are many fewer families registered in our Early Years than any other year group.

If children who enroll with us are registered, our school receives an additional amount of money to provide help and support to your child. In reception we use this money to employ an additional TA to do additional phonics and number work to ensure all pupil premium children have the best foundation they can in their learning. From Y1 your child will be able to attend High Five Club after school if you would like them to, extra TAs are employed throughout the school to provide more learning intervention programmes and we offer half price camps in Y2, Y4 and Y6. We would need to check the eligibility status again at the start of Reception for the funding to continue but if agreed in Reception this continues for 6 years.

Your child may be able to get pupil premium/free school meals if you get any of the following:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseekers Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit

This information is from www.gov.uk.

You are able to apply using the attached paper form and then returning it to school, we will do the rest. Please fill in the attached form & return this along with the school admission/contact form when you attend the induction evening.

Yours faithfully,



Lisa Craig
Head of School