

Pupil Premium Grant (PPG)

	2013/14	2014/15
Total number of pupils on roll	572	571.5
Total number of pupils eligible for PPG	155	153.5
PPG funding per pupil	900	935
Total of PPG funding received	£139,500.00	£143,522.00

School aims

With reference to the **School's Pupil Premium School Improvement Action Plan**, we have three strategic aims. These being:

- 1) Progressively narrow the gap between the attainment of pupil premium pupils to non-pupil premium pupils. By 2015 to reduce the pupil premium gap by at least 50%.
- 2) Fixed term exclusion rates amongst pupil premium pupils to decline. PPP exclusions to be reduced by at least 50% in 2016.
- 3) Progressively narrow the gap between the attendance of pupil premium pupils to non-pupil premium pupils. Gap between PPP and non PPP to be reduced by 25% in 2015.

Provision in place

Southborough High School has a number of new interventions put in place to support those students that are eligible to benefit from the PPG during 2013/14. PPPs will have benefited from one or more of the interventions funded or part funded through the PPG:

- Smaller class sizes in all lessons in KS3 and KS4 to focus on intensive support and feedback to all PPPs
- Purchase of devices to support PPPs' learning
- Designated CPD trained mentors
- Additional PPPs' group work in literacy with HOD and 2i/c
- Additional TA small group work with underachieving PPP's in numeracy

Measuring the impact of PPG funding in 2012-13

The interventions put in place to support Year 11 were inconsistent in 2012/13. The results from English were disappointing with the following:

- 38% of KS2 level 4 English PPP made 3 levels progress compared with 77% of non PPP. A disappointing gap of 39%

In Maths the results were a lot more pleasing with positive levels of progress being made with the following:

- 86% of KS2 level 4 Maths PPP made 3 levels progress compared with 96% of non PPP. A gap of 10%.

The whole School's 5 A-C including English and Maths for non PPP was 66% compared to 40% PPP, creating a gap of 26%. This will be reduced by over 50% by 2015.