

## **Pupil Premium 2019-2020**

### **Raising Attainment and Closing the Gap**

At Hampstead School we have the highest expectations for all of our students and will support every student to ensure that they reach their full potential, both academically and socially.

In order to do this, we engage in a range of strategies to provide challenge at an appropriate level and support to overcome barriers to learning. We provide a rich and applied curriculum, and individualised learning, so that children are engaged and can achieve now, at the next stage of their education and in adult life.

In 2011-12, the Government launched its Pupil Premium funding, to help schools to support vulnerable pupils at risk of under achievement and address the current underlying inequalities between children eligible for free school meals (FSM) and their peers, by ensuring that funding to tackle disadvantage reaches the pupils who need it most.

The amount we receive is based upon the number pupils who have been registered for free school meals at any point in the last six years (known as 'Ever 6 FSM') children who have been looked after continuously for more than six months and children of service personnel.

In the financial year 2019-20, the school will receive £935 per Ever 6 FSM child. The funding of £2,300 per looked after child goes through the appropriate Virtual School.

### **Plans for spending the Pupil Premium in 2019-20**

The implementation of any intervention relating to Pupil Premium students, is a cyclical process and is under constant scrutiny. This ensures that we continue with interventions which are highly effective, improve current interventions and introduce further new interventions to deal with emerging issues. Therefore, the areas noted below represent a combination of the continuation of work already started with the use of Pupil Premium money and new initiatives.

