



University Academy Holbeach

Pupil Premium Report to Parents 2016-2017

The Pupil Premium was introduced in April 2011, and paid by means of a specific grant based on school census figures for pupils registered as eligible for Free School Meals (FSM) in Reception to Year 11. This eligibility lasts for up to six years after registration has ceased. For Looked After Children the Pupil Premium is calculated using the Children Looked After Data returns (SSDA 903). A premium has also been introduced for children whose parents are currently serving in the armed forces. This service premium is designed to address the emotional and social well-being of these pupils.

The Pupil Premium is additional to main school funding and it is being used by the school to address any underlying inequalities between children eligible by ensuring that funding reaches the pupils who need it most. It is designed to enable schools to raise the attainment, achievement and progress of the most disadvantaged pupils by supporting their educational development throughout their period of entitlement.

School Policy

The School Policy for Pupil Premium is available on the Academy website. It has been drawn up according to the latest guidance from Ofsted and best practice in ensuring that the Pupil Premium funding is used for the benefit of the pupils for whom it is intended.

Attainment and achievement

During the period 2016-2017 the Academy received a Pupil Premium allocation of £229,629. Pupils in receipt of funding make increasingly good progress at the Academy which shows a rising trend against national progress over the last five years from 2013-2017. In 2016-2017 there were 38 pupils in Year 11 eligible for the Pupil Premium upon which data drawn from www.compare-school-performance.service.gov.uk below is based (22% of cohort).

2016-2017 Pupil Premium Funding

Pupil Premium Funding Allocation	£229,629
Number of Pupils eligible in Year 11	38
Percentage of Year 11 cohort (173 pupils)	22%
Pupils on roll	1257

Year 7 Catch-up Pupil Premium Funding Allocation	£18,275
Number of Pupils eligible in Year 7	106
Below expected in English on entry	86
Below expected in Maths on entry	72



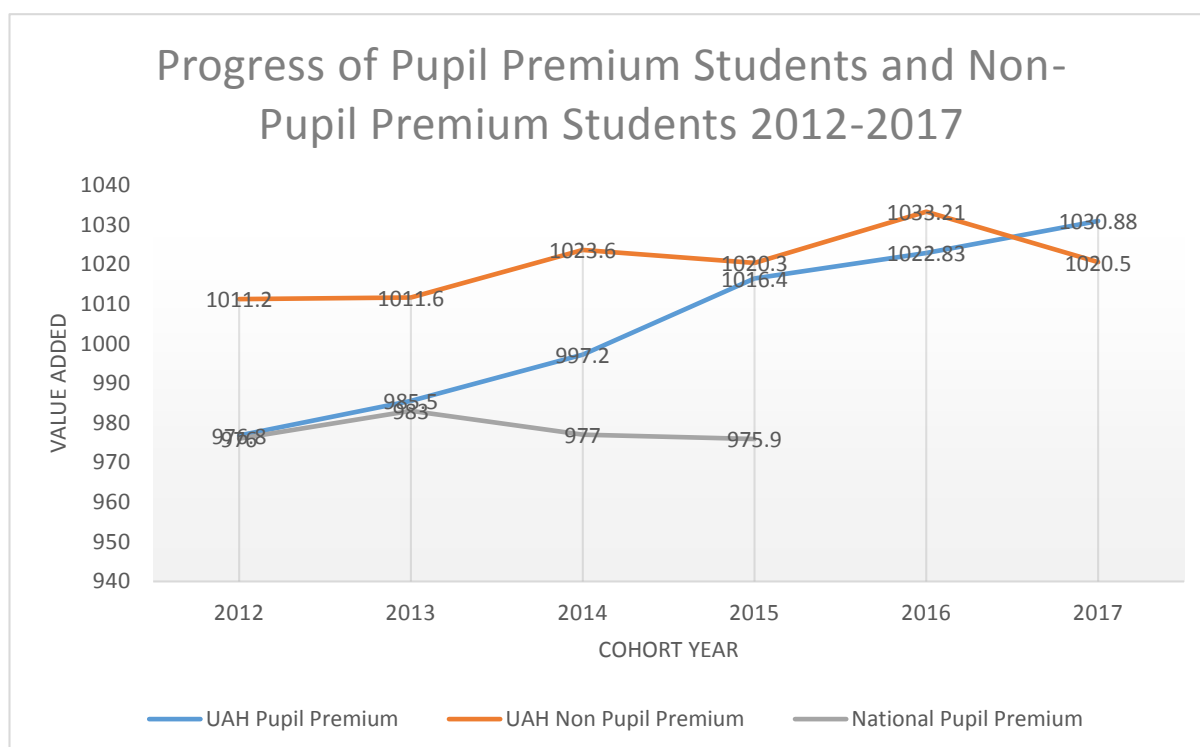
2016-2017 Progress and Attainment

KS4 Progress and Attainment (New Measures)

Year 11	Progress 8	Attainment 8
All Pupils UAH	+0.27	41.9
All Pupils National	-0.03	44.6
Disadvantaged Pupils UAH	+0.15	35.7
Disadvantage Pupils National	+0.11	49.8

KS4 Progress (old measures)

KS4 Progress 2013-17	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
UAH Pupil Premium	976.8	985.5	997.2	1016.4	1022.83	1030.88 (4Matrix Data)
UAH Non Pupil Premium	1011.2	1011.6	1023.6	1020.3	1033.21	1020.5 (4Matrix Data)
National Pupil Premium	976	983	977	975.9	-	-





KS4 Pupil Attainment at Grade 4 or above in English and Maths 2016-2017

KS4 Attainment	UAH Grade 4 or above in Eng/Ma	National state-funded Grade 4 or above in Ma/Eng
All Pupils	53%	63.90%
Pupil Premium	37%	71.2%

Year 7 Catch-up Progress 2016-2017

End of Year 7	Below Expected	At Expected	Above Expected
English (86 pupils)	14%	83%	3%
Maths (72 pupils)	24%	64%	12%

Key points of analysis

- Disadvantaged pupils at the University Academy Holbeach made better progress than similar pupils nationally in 2016-2017.
- Disadvantaged pupils at the University Academy Holbeach continue to make upward progress over a five-year trend from 2013-2017.
- Over 75% of pupils who attained less than expected progress on entry in English or Maths made at least expected progress during Year 7.

Supporting the Progress of Disadvantaged Pupils

- A special timetable of one extra hour a week teaching by a specialist English or Maths teacher for pupil premium students who are also higher ability on entry.
- Additional intervention lessons in English, Mathematics and Science held after school
- Additional lessons in non-core subjects held after school
- One-to-one teaching by specialist staff in English during the normal school day
- Intensive tracking of these pupils by senior staff, Learning Co-ordinators, Head of Departments and subject teachers
- Fresh Start Literacy for pupils in KS3 who are struggling to read on entry into Year 7
- Regular Saturday Schools in all subjects for KS4 students
- A comprehensive Easter School for KS4 pupils preparing for examinations
- Individual learning mentor support for pupils to monitor and improve their academic progress
- A daily Homework Club in our Learning Resource Centre that meets after school
- Targeted support from the Special Education Needs Department for those pupils with additional needs
- Pupil premium students have been awarded discretionary grants towards extra-curricular activities such as the PGL trip



- Support with the provision of uniform and additional materials for use in subject learning
- Subsidies towards the payment of iPads/Chromebooks for Looked After Children using Pupil Premium Plus funding.