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Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Dear Parents/Carers of children eligible for Pupil Premium,

As you will be aware your child is eligible for Pupil Premium Funding which is additional funding received by our school.

The government give this funding to schools and we have to account for how it is spent to support eligible children in our school.

The guidance suggests that the funding must be used in the following ways:

- supporting high-quality teaching, such as staff professional development
- providing targeted academic support, such as tutoring, including through the National Tutoring Programme
- tackling non-academic barriers to academic success, such as difficulties in attendance, behaviour and social and emotional wellbeing

We are required to publish a strategy statement on our website to show our plans for how the money will be spent. Our strategy document can be found on our website ([www.pirtonschool.org.uk/key-information/pupil-premium](http://www.pirtonschool.org.uk/key-information/pupil-premium))

You will see from this document the ways that we have prioritised a range of approaches in addition to all the other ways we support all children.

One of the things that we intend to spend some of our funding on is resources for children to have at home. These are resources for you to keep at home to support your child.

Your child will receive one pack this term before the Summer holidays and another in the next academic year.

**Children in Reception will receive:**

A picture dictionary

Numicon (a Maths resource) with ideas of how it can be used to support your child

Colouring pencils, scissors, pad of coloured paper, pens etc.

Bug Club Phonics Parent Packs matched to their ability

**Children in Year One and Two will receive:**

An infant dictionary

Bug Club Phonics Parent Packs matched to their ability or their book band

Colouring pencils, scissors, pad of coloured paper, pens etc.

Take Home Manipulative Kit – a range of Maths resources (age 5-7)

**Children in Years Three and Four will receive:**

Take Home Manipulative Kit – a range of Maths resources (ages 8-10)

**In addition, children in Years Three, Four, Five and Six will receive:**

A junior dictionary (a different one in Year 3/4 to in Year 5/6)

A fiction book and a non fiction book matched to your child's ability and interests (we will speak to your child about their interests before ordering these)

Colouring pencils, scissors, pad of coloured paper, pens etc.

5 Scholastic Workbooks (different for each year group)

We hope that this pack will support your child to complete their home learning and also will provide some resources that your child will enjoy using. All of these resources are for your child to keep. However, if your child outgrows the resources, please feel free to return them to school.

If your child completes any additional learning using these resources, please do encourage them to bring this into school to show one of us. We would be delighted to see it!

Kind regards,

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