



Pupil Premium can support music education *Information for parents*



Does your child love music?

Are they eligible for free school meals? If so, they may be entitled to Pupil Premium support.

The Pupil Premium is a sum of money given to schools each year by the Government to improve the attainment of disadvantaged children.

Research shows that the Pupil Premium helps to narrow gaps between disadvantaged children and their peers.

Schools can choose how to spend their Pupil Premium money, as they are best placed to identify what would be of most benefit to the children who are eligible.

Providing music lessons for children whose families would be unable to pay for them is one of the ways in which schools can spend their Pupil Premium fund.

Your child's school will be able to tell you what you need to do to register your child as eligible for Pupil Premium.

- ✓ Music Boosts Attainment Levels
- ✓ Music Improves Learning Skills
- ✓ Music Fosters Team Working
- ✓ Music Enhances Social Skills
- ✓ Music Underpins Better Behaviour
- ✓ Music Encourages Creativity
- ✓ Music is for Life
- ✓ Music is an Educational Building Block
- ✓ Music is Fun
- ✓ **Music is for everyone**

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