Pupil premium strategy statement

School overview

Metric	Data
School name	Salford City Academy
Pupils in school	707 [October Census 2020] 797 [Current]
Proportion of disadvantaged pupils	54.5% [October Census 2020] 51% [Current]
Pupil premium allocation this academic year	£364,810
Academic year or years covered by statement	2020 - 2021
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Governor lead	Mrs J Andrews

Disadvantaged pupil performance overview for last academic year [2018-19 provided due to CAGS in 2019-20]

Progress 8	-0.06
Ebacc entry	32%
Attainment 8	39.92
Percentage of Grade 5+ in English and maths	27%

Strategy aims for disadvantaged pupils (2020-21)

Aim	Target	Target date
Progress 8	To achieve P8 of 0.05	July 2021
Attainment 8	40.00	July 2021
Percentage of Grade 5+ in English and maths	26%	July 2021
Other	Attendance for PP students to be at National Average	July 2021
Ebacc entry	30%	July 2021

Teaching priorities for current academic year (2020-21)

Measure	Activity
Priority 1	To improve attainment for PP students in English and Humanities at Key Stage Four.
Priority 2	To accelerate progress of PP & SEND Students at both KS3 & KS4
Barriers to learning these priorities address	Attendance of Pupil Premium Students
Projected spending	£167,712.00

Targeted academic support for current academic year (2020-21)

Measure	Activity
Priority 1	To improve reading ages and Tier 2 Vocabulary
Priority 2	To accelerate progress of Year 11 PP students
Barriers to learning these priorities address	Legacy of poor performance from primary and low reading and numerical scores.
Projected spending	£93,108.00

Wider strategies for current academic year (2020-21)

Measure	Activity
Priority 1	To improve attendance of all PP students
Priority 2	To reduce FTE and PEX for all PP students
Barriers to learning these priorities address	Low level of parental support and engagement with challenging home background.
Projected spending	£79,215.00

Monitoring and implementation (2020-21)

Area	Challenge	Mitigating action
	To implement the academy Teaching and Learning plan to inspire, support and challenge PP students to achieve their best.	To ensure that CPD and professional development are designed to impact on the progress of all disadvantaged students.
Teaching	To focus on boys MPA in English and EBACC subjects.	Teaching and learning strategies, Rosenshine and literacy support through intervention and Lexia
	Low levels of literacy with PP students especially boys MPA and LPA.	PP Teacher Champions using small scale action research to share good practice.
	Stretch and challenge of HPA PP students.	To provide subject specialist support and intervention for HPA students.
	To reduce the size of classes for English and Maths	The introduction and implementation of Tuition for students who are not making progress in all years due to the impact of COVID
Targeted support	Target Intervention English & Maths support using QLA data	To improve reading ages of PP Boys
		Use of assertive mentoring to support PP progress
	Engaging the most challenging families	Working with external agencies for support. Early Help Assessments
Wider strategies		
Ŭ		The appointment of an Intervention Transition Leader for Year 6/7

Review: last year's (2019-20) aims and outcomes

Aim	Outcome
To accelerate Year 11 Student Progress	Achieved. This is based on the evidence of PP students' assessments, work scrutiny and mock examinations.
To accelerate progress in reading for disadvantaged students.	Achieved. The use of reading intervention and the Lexia Reading programme, evidence shows that PP students at KS3 have made accelerated progress with reading.
	Due to the impact of COVID, the reading ages of a cohort of year 8 PP students regressed, this is being addressed through intervention on their return.
To continue to improve the progress of year eight students who are PP (48% of the year group)	Achieved: The percentage of PP students who have achieved ARE 4+ in maths has improved from 38% to 55%. The percentage of PP students who have achieved ARE 4+ in English has improved from 41% to 49%
To improve the quality of education for disadvantaged SEND students.	Achieved: Evidence from the academy's QA systems show that there has been improvement in progress for all SEND students.