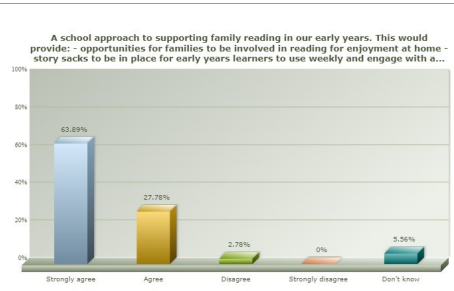


Our Reading Supports



92% of our parents and carers felt that reading supports for our early years would be appropriate. Similarly, 86% of our school team agreed with this.

Our Home School Practitioner and our PT will take a lead role in supporting with this.

Plans are already in place to support with the creation of story sacks for pupils coming to our school and pupils in our P1 classes, as well as planning for supports and sessions linked to early reading and rhyme. Further information will follow and this will be a feature (COVID permitting) of our transition plans for our next P1 cohort.

In addition to this, we will create a school reading and library space in our existing GP space. As a school we are aware of the void of the library moving from our school campus, and want to create a library space and reading rooms where our pupils and families can share reading experiences. Further information to follow.

As raising attainment in reading for our learners is a clear priority and focus for next session, this links in well.

Our budget funding for this area of PEF is approximately £10,000.

Therapeutic Supports for Learners

The remainder of our budget is being used to support staff training and resourcing of therapeutic supports. These include Lego therapy, Seasons for Growth and play therapy.

82% of our parents and carers, and 81% of our staff team supported these interventions and the associated resourcing.

As always, these details are correct at time of completion. With the uncertain times we are currently in, our plans may change to support our learners.

We hope that this information has proven useful to you.

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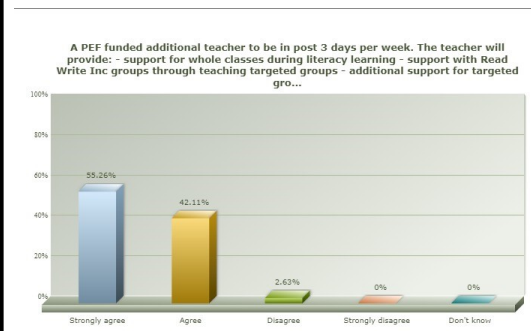
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Welcome to our first Pupil Equity Funding (PEF) newsletter for families. Thank you to all of our parents and carers who completed our survey and helped us with our decision making to support our funding for next session.

This newsletter provides an overview of the interventions we have planned for the coming session.

With a small carry forward following our reduced in school periods in this session, we have a PEF budget of £129,718 for next session.

Literacy Intervention and Support Teacher



Over 97% of our parents and carers agreed with our proposal of an intervention and support teacher for reading. Similarly 100% of our school staff team agreed with this.

From August 2021, our school will have a teacher to support with reading in targeted classes

across the school. The teacher will also provide support with Read, Write Inc and Fresh Start. This support will take place 3 days per week. Miss Hackett, an experienced teacher in our school will provide this support.

As a school team, we are delighted with this initiative and the support it will provide for our learners to ensure all learners continue to make progress in learning.

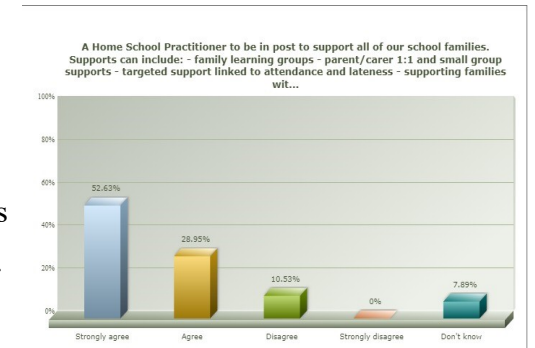
Learning Assistant

100% of our staff team and 97% of our parents and carers agreed with our proposal for a learning assistant to provide targeted support in literacy. A member of staff, currently in post, will provide this support for our learners from August 21. There will be a strong focus on supporting with reading interventions to ensure pupils make progress from their prior learning.

Home School Practitioner

Our recently appointed HSP Louise Bland will continue in post next session.

Over 81% of parents and carers were in favour of this role continuing and 96% of our staff team.



Louise will have a pivotal role as part of our funding for next session in supporting our school to increase attendance rates and reduce levels of lateness across the school. This is an urgent priority for our school.

Our Home School Practitioner will also support families with a range of wellbeing supports and interventions, as well as having a key role in our interventions to support raising attainment in reading.

Equity Officer

An Equity Officer will be in post from August 21 for 1.5 days per week to support with whole school interventions to raise attainment in reading, attendance and lateness and pupil wellbeing.

The Equity Officer will have a key role in supporting with administrative processes linked to this, supporting with fortnightly Achievement and Equity meetings in school and providing supports to families.

Principal Teacher

We are in the process of recruiting a Principal Teacher for our school. As part of their remit for Session 21.22 the Principal Teacher will have 1.5 days to support with PEF interventions. This will involve overseeing interventions and supporting with evidence gathering and impact and progress for learners.

Costings

To summarise the cost of these interventions, our staffing supports will cost just under £110,000 for the session.