

## Foxdell Junior School COVID-19 Catch-up Premium Spending: Summary

Summary Information			
Total number of pupils:	333 pupils	Amount of catch-up premium received per pupil:	£80.00
Total catch-up premium budget:	£26,638.00	Estimated cost of catch-up Strategy:	£34,100.00

## **Strategy Statement**

The DfE will be providing all primary schools in England with an additional funding stream to support pupils in catching-up on aspects of the curriculum that they will have missed due to the Covid-19 lockdown.

This funding will be released in three phases: Autumn / Spring total = £46.67 per pupil x 333 pupils = £15, 540.00

Summer total = £33.33 per pupil x 630 pupils = £11, 098.00

The school is on a journey towards 'Good' following two Ofsted inspections resulting in a 'Requires Improvement' grading (July 2017, December 2019) and a monitoring visit in March 2021. The whole school action plan lays out the detailed approach to improving teaching and learning across the school. Below is a summary of the ways in which the funding is being allocated in order to raise the attainment of all pupils to close the gap exacerbated by COVID-19 school closures.

The EEF has identified three areas where schools may consider allocating spending:

- Small group tuition
- Additional teaching capacity
- Summer schools

As a school we have identified that during these challenging times, strengthening the leadership team is crucial to ensure the effective outcome of plans and feed into the three identified areas above.

Identified Impact	of Lockdown and School Closure
Maths	<ul> <li>Missed coverage leading to gaps in learning and stalled sequencing of journeys</li> <li>Recall of basic skills has suffered – children are not able to recall addition facts, times tables and have forgotten previously taught calculation strategies</li> </ul>
Reading	<ul> <li>Children are less fluent in their reading and the gap between those children that read widely and those children who don't is now increasing</li> <li>Phonics still required for a number of children throughout KS2 (Year 3: 11 pupils, Year 4: 14 pupils, Year 5: 5 pupils, Year 6: 11 pupils)</li> </ul>
Writing	<ul> <li>Missed opportunities and practice of writing - particularly Year 3 (having missed Summer in Year 2 where children apply their knowledge to longer writing tasks) and Year 4</li> <li>Limited opportunities to apply any skills they had previously learnt</li> <li>SPaG specific knowledge has suffered, leading to lack of fluency in writing</li> <li>Greater depth numbers have dipped significantly across the school</li> </ul>
Non Academic	<ul> <li>Stamina and concentration levels</li> <li>Whole units of work have not been taught meaning that children are less able to access pre-requisite knowledge when learning something new and they are less likely to make connections between concepts and themes throughout the curriculum</li> <li>Children have also missed out on the curriculum experiences e.g. trips, visitors and memorable curriculum moments</li> </ul>

## Planned Expenditure for Current Academic Year

Quality of Teac	Quality of Teaching for All			
EEF Strategy	EEF Rationale	Implementation at FJS	Cost	Expected Impact
Support great teaching	Expert teachers develop a broad array of teaching strategies that, combined with subject knowledge and knowledge of their pupils, positively impact upon learning  Improving the quality of teaching—both the planning and implementation—is almost always supported by high-quality professional development.	Long term planning put in place for all year groups with increasing accuracy alongside an expert.  Despite the limitations placed on schools in terms of use of physical resources and the sharing of them, manipulatives are accessed regularly in Maths to support understanding.  Spelling and Handwriting Training by Anna  Additional DHT to coach and support YGLs and class teachers; provide high quality professional development and monitor the impact.  Appraisal meeting (March) to identify training needs of both teachers and support staff - schedule to then be put in place.  Appraisal system put in place to rigorously ensure any previous CPD/areas for development are followed up and supported.  NQTs/staff who require support to receive in school mentoring.	Books for new cross curricular work. £2000  Purchase additional resources across the Maths curriculum £1000  Consultant DHT from Denbigh Primary School £15600 (2 days per wk x 2 terms)  AB New to Maths Y6 course £87  NQT induction AB FS £1500.00	Knowledge gaps will be identified and planning adapted to address these. This will ensure that attainment across the Curriculum is maintained and pupils attain inline with National Expectations.  A personalised approach to CPD will ensure quality first teaching for all children. All teaching will be at least good.

Teaching assessment and feedback	Teachers have a very clear understanding of what gaps in learning remain and use this to inform assessments of learning that are aligned with standardised norms, giving a greater degree in confidence and accuracy of assessments.	Staff to receive high quality professional development on marking and feedback.  Subject leaders to revisit progression grids to adjust curriculum map accordingly. Frequent low-stakes testing to ensure all students, and in particular disadvantaged students, experience success and celebrate the acquisition of knowledge.  Assessment cycle to be revisited and PIRA/PUMA tests along with Target Tracker will be used to identify gaps and offer standardised score.  Analysis of PIRA/PUMA will inform the following term's planning. This will be monitored by the assessment lead.	Consultant DHT from Denbigh Primary School  Release time for teachers, subject leaders and YGLs to analyse assessment content and data. £480  Rising Stars Spelling Scheme 4.2.21 £360  Whole school Target Tracker training 4.1.21 £180	Ensuring effective feedback is given to pupils will enable them to identify areas for development and make improvements. Analyses of assessments will identify gaps and inform future planning. This approach will support in closing gaps in R/W/M - Data will evidence this.
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Total budgeted cost: £21207

Targeted Support	Targeted Support				
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1:1 and small group tuition	High quality teaching is supported by, and inextricably bound to, targeted academic support. Good assessment will reveal that some pupils have lost learning, misunderstood content, or made gains in their knowledge, during the extended period of Covid-19 partial	ZU catch up small group work - Wednesday and Thursday afternoons (4 hours total) with Lexia children across the whole school.	HLTA salary Oct 20 to July 21 4hrs pw £2966	By increasing targeted time spent reading/supporting maths 1:1, data analysis will indicate gaps in reading/maths progress will close.	

Intervention programmes	school closures. This may require targeted one to one or small group tuition to address gaps. There is extensive evidence supporting the impact of high-quality 1:1 and small group tuition as a catch-up strategy.'  Providing additional out-of-class support after lessons can help to close gaps and/or deepen understanding. It may again be useful to look back at previous years' steps to support this  Generally, the use of TAs to deliver high quality interventions, which complement the work of the teacher, is a 'best bet' and could be a powerful way of mitigating any impacts of time away from school and see positive gains for pupils. We suggest schools should adopt one or two well-chosen, and well implemented, TA-led interventions, judiciously used to complement and extend class-based teaching and learning.  In order to support pupils who have fallen the behind furthest, structured interventions, which may also be delivered one to one or in small groups, are likely to be necessary.  Sessions are often brief (15-45 mins), occur regularly (e.g. 3-5 times per week) and are maintained over a sustained period of time (e.g. 8-20 weeks). Staff receive extensive training from experienced trainers or teachers.	Fast Phonics training for all TAs and HLTAs by AK  Group phonics by Letters and Sounds Training by Vicky  Fast Phonics 3+ times a week for pupils from all classes (TA run)  Letters and Sounds taught three times a week to all pupils assessed below Phase 5  Additional 1:1 reading for children who are assessed below Phase 5  SALT (speech and language) targeted work for 12 children across the schools. 12 pupils x 30 mins sessions each week  Maths interventions one hour for each year group run by TAs each week.	EAL targeted support March 2021 by CP £60 (Release for planning and delivery)  Hounslow Language Services Resources £40  TA time allocated to SALT targets, Maths interventions £2280 (38wksx6hrsx£10 for 1 TA)	By providing maths and reading catch-up interventions for identified children in the afternoons, data analysis will indicate gaps in maths and reading to close and progress to accelerate.
Planning for pupils with Special	Creating a positive and supportive environment that promotes high standards and positive relationships can	Regular SEND Reviews ensures teachers are fully aware of pupils and their individual needs. Personalised	course for SENDCo £1980	By ensuring a personalised approach to interventions and support given to those

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Needs and	help ensure pupils can access the best possible teaching. Consistent routines	the SENDCo ensures provision is		analysis will evidence PIP
Disabilities	are important for behaviour in school and	implemented and needs met.	Payment for the	targets will be achieved.
(SEND)	this proactive approach to behaviour will support all pupils, including those with	Within SEND Reviews, weekly	student's salary to release VS 1 day	
	SEND.	inclusion meetings and pupil progress	per wk £5165	
		meetings, pupils and their needs are		
	An important principle for teachers in managing behaviour is to get to know	discussed. Targets are identified and strategies/support put in place to	SEND Courses VS	
	and understand each pupil, supporting	ensure the delivery is both efficient and	ELKLAN training	
	them in the self-regulation of their	effective. The provision map evidences	for SENCO, £202	
	behaviour. Self-regulated learners can see larger tasks as a series of smaller	pupils, their need, targets and the interventions/support planned. This	teacher + TA (10 week course) -	
	more manageable steps. Pupils will need	document is then shared with all staff	commences Sept	
	teachers, teaching assistants or tutors to scaffold self regulation to support them in	on a 'need to know basis.'	21	
	organising equipment, their time and	The deployment of teaching assistants		
	remembering routines.	are reviewed regularly and redeployed		
		on need. The deployment is reflective of need/provision map.		
		or need/provision map.		
		Any additional support given post		
		universal support is by adults who are familiar to the pupils and to ensure		
		consistency, programs/interventions		
		are delivered by the same adult. This allows relationships to be built up and		
		trust to be gained.		
		SEND training for staff provided by Vicky - 2 for teachers, 2 for TAs.		
		Thrive training for teachers		

Total budgeted cost: £12693

Other Approaches	Other Approaches			
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Supporting pupils' social, emotional and behavioural needs	A large and often unrecognised part of teachers' work has always involved providing support for pupils' social, emotional and behavioural needs. Understandably, the impact of Covid-19 closures means many schools are revisiting their approach, to secure support in readiness for this new school year.  As most children will change teachers in September, valuable transition information will need to be supplemented with a sustained focus on supporting and monitoring pupils' social, emotional and behavioural needs. Once more, meaningful and manageable assessment will be crucial.	Behaviour management training will be provided to all staff by an LBC specialist. (Hilborough Behaviour Provision)  Ongoing CPD and support for staff from skilled SLT ensures staff have support to embed changes in their practice.  Increased presence on gate – additional members of the Pastoral team will be on hand each morning to support any pupils with emotional need.  The use of Thrive, the teaching of the learning behaviours, daily PATHs and weekly Jigsaw lessons will support pupils SEMH throughout the academic year  INSET for RSE by LBC 13.4.21	Jigsaw renewal 2020-21 £100	Our approach will be holistic, supported by the physical environment which is aesthetically pleasing and calming to the eye.  Visual cues in the classroom, such as a worry box per class, values displays, growth mindset prompts and Thrive strategies offer handy reminders for pupils and staff. We are well placed to manage pupils' return to school in the coming academic year.  Data analysis will indicate pupils generally remain behaving positively and there will be a decrease in the number of red/yellow cards given out and behaviour plans implemented.
Supporting parents and carers	Parents have played a key role in supporting children to learn at home and it is essential that schools and families continue to work together as pupils return to school.  Providing additional books and educational resources to families, with support and guidance, may also be helpful – for example, offering advice about effective strategies for reading with children.	Parents have the opportunity to email all class-based teachers to communicate concerns.  In addition to offering pupil SEMH support, parents will also be offered support. Pastoral team will remain in close contact with vulnerable parents and offer any advice/signposting as/when needed. The weekly newsletter will be shared via Parentmail and family support	English conversation course run by Adult Family Learning LBC Summer 2 - online or in person £100 (FW time)	By promoting a meaningful relationship between home and school, parents as partners will be encouraged.  Parent questionnaires will indicate that parents will feel involved and more confident in being able to support their child's education.

packages given to identified families. The support packages will include school uniform and food hampers. The pastoral team will also host informal coffee mornings once restrictions are removed and parent workshops. In the interim, parents will be invited to	
attend online workshops delivered in house/by specialist support agencies.  We will ensure we invest in strong relationships with parents. This	
includes employing an Attendance Officer who maintain strong links between school and home.  The purchase/production of resources	
for those who choose not to access online resources.	

Total budgeted cost: £200