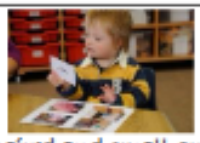
LET'S TALK PUPIL PREMIUM

Pupil premium is **funding to improve education outcomes for disadvantaged pupils in schools in England.** The following information tells you what we are spending our pupil premium money on at Curnow this year and why....

The what...	The why...
  We have increased our Family Liaison worker role and this is part-funded by our Pupil Premium funds this year.	Research tells us that parental engagement in their child's learning has a direct impact on how well they do in school. Our parent survey feedback tells us how important Claire' and Mels support is to help us work well in partnership with our families and support transitions.
 Physical activity – daily physical activity including yoga sessions provided by a qualified yoga teacher. A combination of individual and group sessions.	Research tells us that daily, appropriate physical activity supporting social and emotional skills for our pupils improves not only outcomes in school but also later in life. Pupil wellbeing is at the heart of what we do at Curnow, physical activity such as Yoga helps us support our pupils to thrive and upskills all staff to use techniques taught throughout the school day.
 Individual, paired and small group teaching sessions, on a range of activities from learning to use symbols to practising writing/learning phonics or develop independent living skills.	We track individual progress for all pupils and we want to ensure that we are able to offer additional time and resources to ensure all pupils reach their potential, in whatever area is needed. Evidence shows that high quality teaching interventions can help pupils progress.
 We will be continuing to strengthen our parental engagement and evidencing the impact of the Parent Carer Engagement Framework.	Research shows that for all age groups, well-designed school communications with parents can be effective for improving progress and a range of other outcomes, such as attendance. We also want to continue to increase parent voice and find out the best ways we can help our families to support their child and sign post/support them to increase participation within their community and society
 We are funding additional training for staff and sessions for pupils with an Occupational Therapist, linked to our SIT offer to ensure sustainability	Services, such as Occupational Therapy continue to be reduced and as a school we want to make sure our pupils can still access good quality support and that we also upskill our staff so that they can support the physical and mental health of all learners and help them to be ready to enjoy and engage in their learning.