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Dear Parents / Carers

Pupil Premium Funding (formerly Free School Meals)

You may be aware that the Government is currently allocating additional funding to schools in the form of the 'Pupil Premium Grant'. In order to be eligible for the Pupil Premium Grant a parent or carer must be receiving one of the following benefits:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseekers Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- the guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit

If you qualify for this allowance your child will be eligible for the following additional benefits here at Trafalgar –

- No charge for school trips and visitors to school
- No charge for before or after school club (one a term)
- Free school uniform (up to the value of £50.00 - for each academic year)

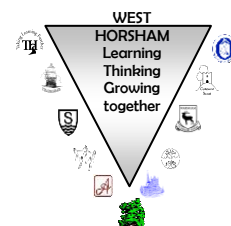
We also use the Pupil Premium Grant to fund a wide range of additional support in school. This may involve either small group work or one-to-one tuition and is one aspect of our drive to continually raise standards.

The Pupil Premium Grant can be used to support children regardless of their ability. If you claim this funding then we can allocate Pupil Premium Funding to provide additional opportunities and challenges for your child with the aim of enriching their educational experience at school in ways that best meet their individual needs.

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Even if your circumstances change, and you are no longer receiving one of the benefits listed, your child's school continues to receive additional funding each year for the following six years.

No one will know you have registered and it will not affect any other benefits you are claiming.

If you would like to apply or require any further information, please contact the School Office in confidence. **We encourage you to apply for this grant as soon as possible as the cost for any uniform purchased when your child starts school in September cannot be refunded.**

Yours sincerely

Miss Kat Green
Headteacher