


Pupil Premium 2020-2021

Expenditure	Cost	Comments
3BM Attendance Analysis Tool	£135.00	<p data-bbox="763 395 1951 564">Low attendance is a major barrier to achievement. Disadvantaged students are less likely to have good attendance and more likely to have time away from school. There is strong research to suggest that well-targeted support to improve attendance is an effective use of Pupil Premium funding and St John's have strategies in place to address these, such as the 3BM Analysis Tool.</p>  <p data-bbox="763 903 1816 1082">The 3BM SIMS Attendance reporting system enables schools to:</p> <ul data-bbox="763 938 1816 1082" style="list-style-type: none"> • Analyse attendance for the entire school, groups and individuals • Compare pastoral factors such as FSM, Pupil Premium, SEN, EAL and Ethnicity • Visualise the data with a variety of charts in a printable format • Filter the data into groups to compare with the overall cohort
School Uniform	£353.50	<p data-bbox="763 1123 1951 1257">At St John's, we know that wearing a school uniform has a major impact on pupils and their attitudes to learning. Most importantly, uniforms give pupils a sense of belonging. Wearing a uniform demonstrates that a pupil is part of the school community. This in turn creates an identity for the school within its local community.</p> <p data-bbox="763 1297 1951 1463">A school uniform teaches pupils how to dress smartly and take pride in their appearance, as well as the school they represent, when wearing it. School uniforms reduce clothing related peer pressure and helps create uniformity between socioeconomic classes. Uniforms can help to improve learning by reducing distraction and making the classroom a more focused environment.</p>

Laptops for Disadvantaged Pupils	£347.05	During the COVID pandemic, we have been conscious of the need for our pupils to have the right technology at home to participate in remote learning. Laptops have been reconditioned, new SSD cards provided and a Windows Operating System installed for any PPG children that required technology. The full cost of the laptop and tech time via JSPC was met by the school.
Learning Mentor	£15, 624.00	<p>At St John's, we understand the increasing needs of the children require specific support. In the current academic year, our full time Learning Mentor, who is no longer class based, provides support and guidance to children and young people who are experiencing difficulties in learning due to social, emotional or behavioural problems or other issues. Learning mentors help pupils overcome behavioural, social or emotional problems that are affecting their learning through various means, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1-1 counselling • Turtle time • Lego therapy • Play therapy • Bucket club • <p>Our Learning Mentor supports our pupils by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing a safe place in which to express thoughts and feelings • Supporting emotional growth • Facilitating the development of self-esteem, problem solving and coping skills helping pupils to regulate their own behavior • Developing independence and creative thinking • Improving social skills <p>The COVID-19 pandemic has highlighted further mental health issues and our Learning Mentor has provided essential support to the children and their families, whether in school or at home via telephone/ email contact throughout school closures.</p>



Mrs Karen Burke- Learning Mentor

CPOMS Safeguarding Software

£666.40

Investing in CPOMS Safeguarding Software has allowed St John's to have a rigorous process in which we track, monitor and review all safeguarding incidents, including mental health and home issues. This enables us to provide a robust recording system, permitting us to track patterns and themes and provide relevant intervention for all pupils in our care.