



PUPIL PREMIUM INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Altrincham Grammar School for Boys aims to be a school of opportunity and success for all pupils, including, and especially, those who are in receipt of Pupil Premium.

Pupil Premium is funding for publicly funded schools in England to raise the attainment of disadvantaged pupils and close the gap between them and their peers.

Schools receive funding for each child identifying as Pupil Premium.

A child identifying as Pupil Premium will fall within one of the criteria listed below:

Free School Meal Award

- A child who has been registered as eligible for free school meals at any point in the last 6 years. A Free School Meal Award is an award you apply for that is approved by your Local Authority for your child only. This is not a Universal Infant Free School Meal Allowance which is given to all children between Reception and Year 2.

Service Premium Child

- Service Premium children who have a parent serving in the regular armed forces either currently or within the last 3 years; and children who are in receipt of a pension under the Armed Forces Compensation Scheme and the War Pensions Scheme because their parent(s) died on active service with the UK armed forces.

A 'Looked After' or Previously 'Looked After' Child

- A looked after child is a child who is (a) in the care of a local authority, or (b) being provided with accommodation by a local authority, in the exercise of their social services functions (as defined in Section 22 (1) of the Children Act 1989). Previously 'Looked After Children' are children who were looked after but ceased to be so because they were adopted or became subject to a child arrangements order or special guardianship order. Section 14A of the Children Act 1989 defines a 'special guardianship order' as an order appointing one or more individuals to be a child's guardian (or special guardians).
- This category includes children who have been in state care outside of England and ceased to be in state care as a result of being adopted. A child is regarded as having been in state care in a place outside of England if they were accommodated by a public authority, a religious organisation or any other provider of care whose sole purpose is to benefit society.

Should you wish to apply for Pupil Premium or check your child's eligibility for Pupil Premium, please refer to our School website at <https://www.agsb.co.uk/about-us/pupil-premium/>