

## How do we plan to use our Service Pupil Premium in 2025-26?

### Context

Total on roll (as of November 2025):	199
No. of Service Pupil Premium children (as of November 2025):	12
Service Pupil Premium Funding:	<b>£4,658</b>

At Princecroft Primary School, we currently have 12 children on roll who are in receipt of the service pupil premium. We are committed to providing an education that helps all children achieve the highest standards and prepares all pupils for the future. We aim to encourage and develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full, and strong consideration is given to the allocation of resources to support this vision. We recognise that the experience of children in the Armed Forces can be different from that experienced by many other children.

The Service Pupil Premium (SSP) was introduced by the Department of Education as part of the commitment to delivering the Armed Forces Covenant. This premium enables schools to provide extra, mainly pastoral, support for children with parents in the Armed Forces. The school receives £350 per service child.

The table below shows the distribution of our children who are in receipt of pupil premium in September 2025:

Year Group	Number Service Children
Reception	1
Year 1	2
Year 2	2
Year 3	2
Year 4	3
Year 5	0
Year 6	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>

### Planned spending in 2025-26: £4,658

Item	Projected cost	Objectives/intended impact	Actual impact
Contribution towards employment of an Emotional Literacy Support Assistant (ELSA), who will provide additional support and stability to new and existing military children. We understand that, as a result of high mobility, and/or having one or both parents on active service or exercise for long periods of time, this may impact on	£2,000	<p>New children to Princecroft to be supported in settling quickly into school</p> <p>Removal of emotional barriers to allow learning to take place.</p> <p>Individual ELSA targets for children to be met.</p>	

general emotional wellbeing, a difficulty in making and maintaining new relationships with peers or supporting relationships at home with a changing familial dynamic.			
Contribution towards employment of a Thrive practitioner to provide support for children who may be experiencing trauma as a result of their parent serving and/or their move to Warminster. This may be as a result of a high level of mobility impacting on a child's identity in not being able to feel settled or trauma created by a perceived worry with a parent away on active service or if they have suffered from injury in the past.	£2,000	To provide support when families move to Warminster  To provide support when a serving family member is away from home	
Contribution to an enhanced 'No Questions Asked' offer for families in receipt of Pupil Premium funding, whereby they are given an allocation of money to spend on a choice of listed items deemed both necessities and luxuries in order to make the cost of the school day more affordable. Finances or access to everyday items may be impacted for our service families, and we want to support their integration and ability to feel settled as much as possible.	£658	For all children to have an equitable offer of both necessities and luxuries attributed to accessing the school's provision and not miss out on these due to financial constraints/missed opportunities because of mobility.	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£4,658</b>		