

ASHURST CE AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL



Catch Up Funding

The government has announced £1 billion of funding to support children and young people to catch up. This includes a one-off universal £650 million catch-up premium for the 2020 to 2021 academic year to ensure that schools have the support they need to help all pupils make up for lost teaching time.

Schools' allocations will be calculated on a per pupil basis, providing each mainstream school with a total of £80 for each pupil in years reception through to 11.

Schools should use this funding for specific activities to support their pupils to catch up for lost teaching over the previous months, in line with the guidance on curriculum expectations for the next academic year.

Schools have the flexibility to spend their funding in the best way for their cohort and circumstances.

School Overview

Number of pupils in school YR – Y6	49
Catch-up Premium allocation (No. of pupils x £80)	£3820
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Context of the school and rationale for the strategy (With specific reference to the impact of COVID 19)

Ashurst CE Aided Primary School is located in Ashurst village; presently 6% children are in receipt of pupil premium funding. We strive to ensure that the individual needs of our pupils are met, including those of our most vulnerable pupils. We ensure that appropriate provision is made for pupils who belong to vulnerable groups, ensuring that the needs of such pupils are adequately assessed and addressed. All our work through the Catch-Up Premium Strategy will be aimed at accelerating progress and overcoming barriers, in order to address any regression in learning. The vast majority of our pupils engaged at some level with the home learning provided over the summer term. This involved work being set by teachers, Purple Mash, BBC bitesize, National Oak academy and Times Table Rock Stars. School re-opened to 100% of Reception and 100% of Year 1, along with key worker children following the June re-opening. This equated to over half of the school. Teachers are currently undertaking assessments as children return to school in order to determine if children's learning has regressed.