Summary Information									
School: Alfreton Park Community Special School									
Academic Year	2022-2023	PP Budget Recovery Premium Budget	£59,000 £45,216	Date of Review					
Total pupils	125	Eligible Pupils	57	Date of next Review					

## **School Context**

Alfreton Park Community Special School is a specialist school in the heart of Derbyshire, providing high-quality education for pupils aged 2 to 19. The pupils who attend our school have varying degrees of learning difficulties, including Moderate Learning Difficulties (MLD), Severe Learning Difficulties (SLD) and Profound and Multiple Learning Difficulties (PMLD). We cater for pupils who are affected by a very wide range of specific medical and physical conditions, including but not limited to; Autism, Down Syndrome, Epilepsy, Sensory Impairment, and Physical Disabilities.

Beyond their learning difficulties and disabilities, many of our pupils face additional challenges in their lives. The school receives Pupil Premium funding to spend on interventions and initiatives to support disadvantaged pupils, in order to ensure they are able to achieve at the same level as their peers. Our Pupil Premium spending is therefore designed to address the specific challenges faced by these pupils. The issues listed below represent some of the barriers to development that may be present, and the objectives identified in this strategy document are directly linked to these challenges;

- The area of the curriculum where challenges and difficulties may be most likely for these pupils is Social, Emotional and Mental Health. They may find it hard to feel secure in themselves and with their peers, and they may lack confidence or independence.
- Many families are stretched by the pressures of caring for children with complex needs, and can find it difficult to access the support they need and are entitled to from the relevant services and authorities.
- Pupils may develop communication skills more slowly where the right support and resources are less available, and this can lead to a negative impact on other areas of learning and behaviour.
- The physical health and wellbeing of pupils may suffer if they do not have enough opportunities for exercise and full access to a balanced and nutritious diet.
- As a result of the factors described here, it may be more likely for these pupils to fall behind in all areas of their learning, and not just those that are most directly impacted by their disadvantages.
- The objectives and activities listed here apply for the 2022-23 academic year. The impact of these interventions will be evaluated in Summer 2023, informed by the success criteria outlined in this document.
- School leaders and governors will be guided by the insights gained from this review as they begin to develop a Pupil Premium spending strategy for the following year.

Intent:	Implementation:	Evidence base	Pupils supported	Proportionate cost	Staff leading	
Objectives	How the intervention addresses barriers to learning & intended impact		capportou		localing	
To develop pupils' physical health and emotional wellbeing by allowing them to change position regularly. To support pupils to access a range of activities, expanding their educational opportunities.	<ul> <li>Purchasing an additional Acheeva bed for Blossom class so that we have one in primary (Apple class) and two in secondary (Blossom class &amp; Juniper class)</li> <li>Meeting the physical needs of our pupils and expanding opportunities for them, both educationally and socially.</li> <li>Purchasing 2 power-assisted wheelchairs to support pupils across school.</li> </ul>	Pupil, parent and staff feedback Implementation of physio plans Evidence through Earwig MOVE progression	All pupils, particularly those in receipt of PP funding.	£6000	Marie McCuaig Emma Durham	tl

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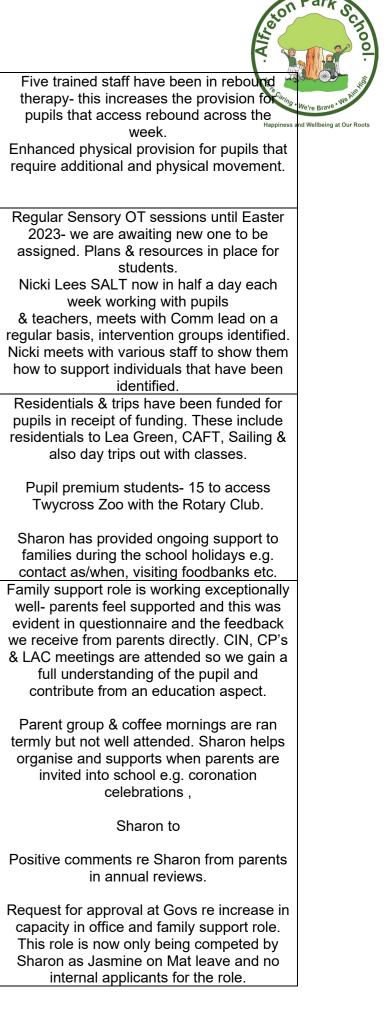
## Impact

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Acheeva bed is going to be purchased in the Summer term- demand issue so that we have enough equipment to meet the range of physical needs of pupils in school (% of which receive PP funding) Correct implementation of physio programmes/MOVE programmes too.

No longer the need for the power assisted chairs, this was discussed at SLT.

To ensure that pupils EHCPs outcomes are met.	Success criteria: Pupils are using the Acheeva bed throughout the day, accessing education and social opportunities. Pupils are accessing the community regularly, using the power-assisted chair.			£7000		
Support pupils to have their needs accurately identified by external professionals, thus supporting staff to ensure that all pupils needs are met at all times.	Fund assessments for pupils in need including SALT, Sensory OT, OT and anything else deemed appropriate. Success criteria: Pupils needs are accurately identified, allowing staff to implement plans successfully.	Pupil, parent and staff feedback Implementation of intervention plans Evidence through Earwig	All pupils, particularly those in receipt of PP funding.	£1500	Marie McCuaig Clare Charlesworth Katy Morley Emma Durham	1
To ensure that all pupils are able to access a range of extra-curricular activities including visits and residentials – supporting their emotional wellbeing.	<ul> <li>Pupils who are in receipt of PP and are identified as being at risk of not accessing the community / holidays.</li> <li>Success criteria: Pupils access a wide range of activities that support their emotional wellbeing. No pupils miss out on opportunities due to financial difficulties.</li> </ul>	Zones of regulation Pupil, parent and staff feedback Evidence through Earwig	All pupils, particularly those in receipt of PP funding.	£3500	Katie Turner Sharon Walker Emma Durham	
To maintain and develop supportive relationships between school and families, and engage parents and carers in school life and the education of their children.	<ul> <li>Maintain Family Support Worker roles with DSL and parent liaison</li> <li>responsibility. Senior Family Support Practitioner is a vital role as school lead on safeguarding, child protection, children in need, and looked after children.</li> <li>Where appropriate SFSP will act as an advocate and support PP families with; accessing free school meals, accessing social care provision, transition to adult services, benefits including PIP and DLA and other areas where families may need support.</li> <li>SFSP will also support parents through our parent group and line manage the FSW.</li> <li>FSW to coordinate coffee mornings and parent workshops for PP pupils, and act as the school point of contact for the Friends of Alfreton Park parent group.</li> <li>Senior leaders and governors will work alongside the family connected and parent workshops for parents and parent work alongside the family connected a</li></ul>	Parent questionnaires School diaries SDP Phone logs Parent events Parent panel minutes Annual reviews Recruitment records	All pupils, particularly those in receipt of PP funding.	£15,000	Sharon Walker Josie O'Donnell Emma Durham Jasmine Allen	
	support team to develop other strategies for increasing engagement with families and the support we offer as a school.					



	Increase the capacity of the family support team, continuing the role of a FSW into the next year. Success Criteria: Parents and carers, including those of PP pupils, have positive feelings about the school and feel well supported. They know who they can contact for help and feel that their contributions and concerns are valued.				
To promote the Social, Emotional and Mental Health and well-being of pupils in receipt of PP funding.	Provide pp pupils with access to Forest Schools. Marie McCuaig, Sam Butlin, Wendy Toft, Lesley Burton and Richard Simpson to lead sessions across the school. Sessions should provide pupils with the opportunity to develop a relationship with nature and the outdoors, and learn practical and craft skills in a supportive group setting. Pupils should be provided with space to explore and discuss their feelings. An emphasis should be placed on developing confidence, security, friendships and independence.	SEMH data Parent feedback Thrive assessments School budget Lesson observations Learning walks	All pupils, particularly those in receipt of PP funding.	£3000	Marie McCuaig Wendy Toft Sam Butlin Lesley Burton Richard Simpson
	Identify pp pupils through assessment process to receive weekly Thrive sessions, designed to meet their SEMH needs and support them through anything additional happening in their lives that could be impacting on this – room to be replenished as needed to ensure the environment is. Success Criteria: Pupils have high levels of emotional well-being and self- esteem, facilitating their ability to learn. Pupils in receipt of PP funding access and benefit from a range of opportunities for learning outside the classroom to support their social and emotional development.			£2500	Josie O'Donnell Emma Durham All staff
					Lynne Radlett, Rebecca Dallman
To increase pupil independence through developing communication skills.	Maintain Communication TA role to enable specific communication programmes to be implemented in school. Communication TA will work alongside curriculum area lead for Communication and Interaction and SALT to develop use of Alternative and Augmentative Communication aids and strategies across the school with pp pupils. Success Criteria:	Pupil, parent and staff feedback C&I data SALT assessments and records	All pupils, particularly those in receipt of PP funding	£8,000	Clare Charlesworth Tracy Cross

Across the year Forest schools has been delivered to all pupils that are in receipt of PP funding as all classes access a half a term within a cycle. There have been additional opportunities for FS as one off sessions/enrichment.

Each half term pupils that attend Thrive sessions is reviewed as per demand. Approximately 75% of the pupils that attend Thrive are in receipt of PP funding compared to 25% of those that don't.

Classes continue to have Thrive time & resources purchased for these sessions with pupils.

Most classes have accessed forest school slots this year- there has been a much broader range of activities including use of fire pits and tools now staff are competently trained and we have adequate space for these activities. Evidence on Earwig.

Pupils still access Thrive with Lynne (3 days) and Treg supports where possible. She is currently completing her Adolescent Thrive Practitioner training in the summer term. Pupils have the opportunity to access Thrive as and when in some circumstances or if the opportunity arises. LAC accesses 1:1 every week and there is an open Thrive club on a Friday afternoon for all pupils that want to attend.

All staff attending cyber bullying in training in June 2023.

A plan is now in place to identify key pupils and how they can be supported in class. This is recorded on a spreadsheet and Nicki/Clare/Rest of the communications team have a specific plan with timely interventions in for those in receipt of PP.

Using PP funding with have bought two AAC devices for students as well as

	PP pupils receive effective targeted support from Communication TA and Communication Lead to develop their communication skills.					
To promote the physical wellbeing and health of all pupils.	Ensure pp pupils are provided with a healthy and balanced diet at school. 'Magic Breakfast' will be bought and made available for pupils in receipt of PP. Family Support team will support families to apply for Free School Meals where possible. Healthy snack options and cooking activities will sometimes be provided or subsidised by the school. Work towards attaining the gold level Food for Life award. Snack options and other regular activities involving food should all be healthier. Maintain Physio Support TA role for focused work with specific individuals including those in receipt of pp, including MOVE Programme. Success Criteria: Food provided to pupils for snack, special occasions, parties, rewards, and community visits are all much healthier and clear guidelines are in place.	FSM register Class timetables Work files Physio records FfL MOVE records	All pupils, particularly those in receipt of PP funding	£3,000 £6,000	Rebecca Dallman Josie O'Donnell Emma Durham Sharon Walker Katie Turner Donna Speight	
To ensure that pupils in receipt of PP funding do not fall behind their peers in terms of overall progress and attainment.	Deputy Head Teacher and Assistant Head Teachers will monitor and analyse pupil attainment and progress data to identify 'focus pupils' at risk of falling behind. Interventions and support measures will be designed with class teachers in Pupil Progress Meetings. Key data measures will be B Squared assessments and ILP outcomes in the Social, Emotional and Mental Health area of the curriculum. Designated lead for Looked After Children (Headteacher) will monitor educational progress and emotional wellbeing of LAC and ensure pupils are supported by suitable interventions.	Pupil progress data and reports Focus pupil analysis School budget	All pupils, particularly those in receipt of PP funding	DHT £1,000 AHT & Curriculum Leads £1,000	Emma Durham, Charlotte Young, Marie McCuaig	

communication programmes to be used or the iPad.

Communication and interaction was the third area of the curriculum to achieve the most ILP's. We will continue to work on this now we have Nicki in school consistently (she started in Autumn) Ongoing deliveries of Magic Breakfast and pupils can access the food each morning before lesson times to ensure they are ready to learn. All pupils access this regardless of PP. We encourage parents to apply for FSM where possible.

The therapy link worker continues to coordinate all of the agencies in school and support classes with moving and handling to ensure all pupils physical needs are met. She also carries out rebound therapy- 65% of pupils that access rebound therapy receive PP. The pupils that receive the funding that don't access rebound is varied in reasoning e.g. not physically able, or not needed as part of their physical diet or timetable (and has access to outdoor trampolines)

During the holidays, Sharon continued to support families that were in need, including delivering food from foodbanks.

Evidence from previous round of ILP's-70% of pupils that received PP achieved their ILP's copmpared to 69% of their peers. This was up 12% from the previous cycle in Autumn 2022.

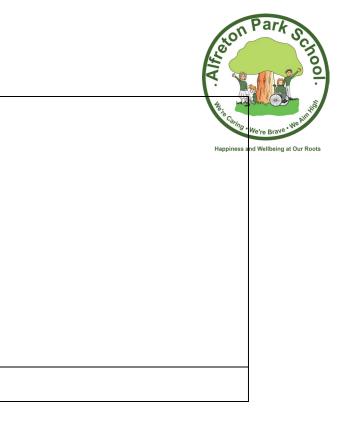
J' Donnell has completed the Designated lead for LAC training in Spring 23.

Interventions include music, art, thrive, physio, horticulture, maths- all depending on specific pupil demands. nd Wellbeing at Our Roots

r	ubsidise targeted interventions for pp pupils where specific needs are identified. This spending may be on resources such as communication aids, mobility equipment, music therapy, etc.		
g	Success Criteria: Outcomes for focus pupils and PP pupils are at least as ood as the school average. B Squared assessments and LP targets show this to be the case for SEMH curriculum area in particular, but also overall progress.		Josie O'Donnell
		£1500	Charlotte Young, Marie McCuaig
		Total spend: £59,000	

# Recovery premium: allocated budget: £45,216

Approach used	Intent: Objectives	Implementation: How the intervention addresses barriers to learning & intended impact	Evidence base	Pupils supported	Proportionate cost	Staff leading	
Wider strategies <ul> <li>Supporting <ul> <li>pupils emotional</li> <li>and behavioural</li> <li>needs</li> <li>Outdoor</li> <li>activities</li> <li>Professional</li> <li>development</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	To train 2 members of staff in Therapeutic Forest School, focussing on supporting pupils to recover from the impact of covid Staff who are trained to train	FS staff to use training in sessions FS staff to train staff across school in therapeutic FS to ensure strategies are consistent and are implemented across all sessions by all staff	Clinical psychology research Earwig Impact on pupils' wellbeing Feedback from staff and pupils	All pupils in school – pupils who have struggled to regulate since covid will be allocated additional sessions	£1400	Sam Butlin Wendy Toft	im ha op nc
Wider strategies <ul> <li>Supporting pupils emotional and behavioural needs</li> <li>Outdoor activities</li> <li>Professional development</li> </ul>	To train 1 additional member of staff with Therapeutic forest school, focussing on supporting pupils to recover from the impact of covid	FS staff to use training in sessions FS staff to train staff across school in therapeutic FS to ensure strategies are consistent and are implemented across all sessions by all staff	Clinical psychology research Earwig Impact on pupils wellbeing Feedback from staff and pupils	All pupils in school – pupils who have struggled to regulate since covid will be allocated additional sessions	£700	Lesley Burton	im ha op nc
High quality teaching <ul> <li>Professional</li> <li>development</li> </ul>	Staff to visit mainstream schools to observe outstanding practice including the teaching of phonics	Staff to learn from others and implement this in school Pupils to receive high quality lessons in line	Educational research shows observing high quality practice increases standards Quality of observations	All pupils in school – particularly those in the formal pathways	£1000	Charlotte Young Clare Charlesworth Katie Turner	*is A dif



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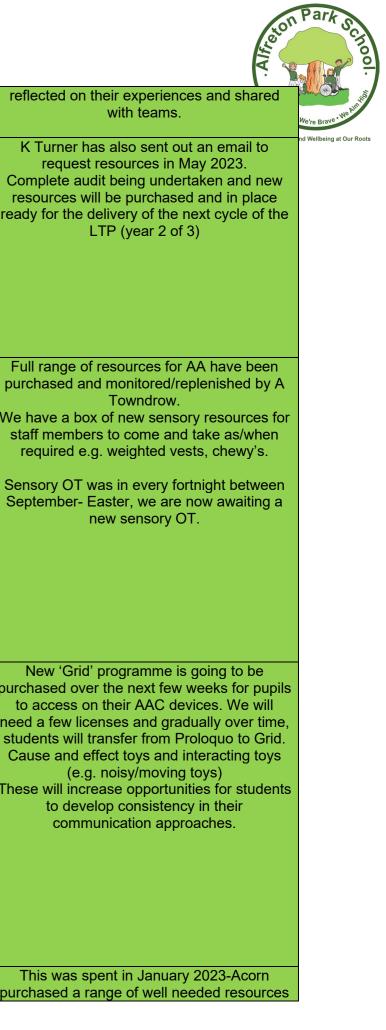
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 \*issue with staffing has reduced the number of opportunities we have for this.
 Approximately 8 staff have been to observe different settings this term. This will continue once staffing more consistent. They have

		with the programme –	Data				
		allowing sequential and					
		progressive learning					
High quality teaching	Resources to be	Resources to be stored	Educational research	All pupils in school	£2500	Charlotte	
High quality	purchased for cognition	centrally and shared	shows that it is			Young	
teaching that	& learning – this is an	across school, ensuring	imperative to have high			Marco	
responds to the	area that pupils really	that they are accessible	quality resources in			Echeverria	
needs of the	missed out on as many	to all classes	order for pupils to learn			Chanise	re
pupils	couldn't be taught face	Resources to be	successfully			Gregory	
<ul> <li>Resources</li> </ul>	to face	purchased in line with	Observations – good			Ceri-Anne	
	Pupils will be taught	the long-term plans to	and outstanding lessons			McCallum	
	high quality lessons with	support the	with clear use of good				
	a range of purposeful	implementation of a	resources				
	resources that support	broad and balanced	Earwig				
	their learning style and	curriculum over time	Pupil engagement				
	promote engagement						
High quality teaching	Purchase sensory	Resources to be stored	Educational research	All pupils in school	£1500	Annabelle	
<ul> <li>High quality</li> </ul>	resources to allow	centrally and shared	shows that it is			Towndrow	p
teaching that	pupils to regulate and	across school, ensuring	imperative to have high			Teresa Hosie	
responds to the	participate in activities	that they are accessible	quality resources in			Katy Morley	W
needs of the	that engage them and	to all classes	order for pupils to learn				
pupils	that they enjoy	Resources to be	successfully				
<ul> <li>Resources</li> </ul>		purchased in line with	Observations – good				
		the long-term plans to	and outstanding lessons				
		support the	with clear use of good				5
		implementation of a	resources				
		broad and balanced	Earwig				
		curriculum over time	Pupil engagement				
		Work to be completed	Pupils are able to				
		with the Sensory OT to	regulate				
		ensure that appropriate	Pupils are ready to learn				
		resources are sourced					
		and offered in school to					
	Durahasa	support pupils	Educational research	All numile in ealeral	04500	Clara	-
High quality teaching	Purchase	Resources to be stored	Educational research	All pupils in school	£1500	Clare	
High quality	communication	centrally and shared	shows that it is			Charlesworth	pu
teaching that	resources to allow	across school, ensuring	imperative to have high			Tracy Cross	
responds to the	pupils to communicate	that they are accessible	quality resources in				ne
needs of the	effectively, supporting	to all classes	order for pupils to learn				S
pupils	them to be heard, to	Resources to be	successfully Guidance from SALT				<sup>v</sup>
<ul> <li>Resources</li> </ul>	demonstrate their	purchased in line with	-				ть
	preferences and make	the long-term plans to	Observations – good				Th
	choices	support the	and outstanding lessons				
		implementation of a	with clear use of good				
		broad and balanced curriculum over time	resources				
			Earwig				
		Work to be completed	Pupil engagement				
		with the SALT to ensure	Pupils are able to				
		that appropriate	communicate effectively				
		resources are sourced	Pupils are ready to learn				
		and offered in school to					
High quality to achieve	Resources to be	support pupils Resources to be stored	Educational research	EVES pupile	£1000		
High quality teaching				EYFS pupils	21000	Lucy Powell	
	purchased for EYFS	in the EYFS area	shows that it is				pl



<ul> <li>High quality</li> </ul>	Pupils will be taught	Resources to be	imperative to have high			Marie	to
teaching that	high quality lessons with	purchased in line with	quality resources in			McCuaig	
responds to the	a range of purposeful	the long-term plans to	order for pupils to learn				Ev
needs of the	resources that support	support the	successfully				
pupils • Resources	their learning style and	implementation of a broad and balanced	The EYFS Guidance from SALT				Re
• Resources	promote engagement Pupils will be able to	curriculum over time	Observations – good				
	access all areas of the	Resources to be	and outstanding lessons				
	EYFS curriculum	purchased based on the	with clear use of good				
		EYFS curriculum,	resources				
		supporting continuous	Earwig				
		provision and play based	Pupil engagement				
		activities	Pupils are able to				
		Having ample resources	communicate effectively				
		supports pupils to remain	Pupils are ready to learn				
		excited and engaged while learning					
Wider strategies	Pop-up festival for	Inspiring and	Levels of engagement	All pupils that are on	£1500 (price	Ed Acons	Ad
<ul> <li>High quality</li> </ul>	formal learners	participatory workshops	and evidence from the	the formal pathway will	based per	Charlotte	on
teaching that	Promote a love of	delivered by authors of	festival (including	access the pop-	pupil, includes	Young	atta
responds to the	literacy in school for	the books chosen. Fully	recordings and progress	up festival and each	workshops	X3 formal	abi
needs of the	both pupils and staff -	interactive and engaging	on B Squared). Promote	receive a book of the	and free book)	pathway	Off
pupils	inspire, promote and	workshops to invigorate	a love of literacy in	production created.		teachers	ex
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Targeted academic	Resources to be	Resources to be stored	Educational research	All pupils in school	£300	Charlotte	W
support	purchased for Read	centrally and shared	shows that it is			Young	n
<ul> <li>Interventions to</li> </ul>	Write Inc resources to	across school, ensuring	imperative to have high			Clare	C
support Literacy	develop reading and	that they are accessible	quality resources in			Charlesworth	ne
and the	phonics – this is an area	to all classes	order for pupils to learn			Katie Turner	pro
purchasing of	that is part of our SDP	Resources to be	successfully				bc
resources to	and many pupils need	purchased in line with	Observations – good				
support high quality teaching	support with Pupils will be taught	the long-term plans and Read Write Inc	and outstanding lessons with clear use of good				
quality teaching	high quality lessons with	programme to support	resources				
	a range of purposeful	the implementation of a	Earwig				
	resources that support	broad and balanced	Pupil engagement				
	their learning style and	curriculum over time	Data				
	promote engagement		Pupils' reading				
			progression				

to provide a continuous provision and safe and stimulating learning environment. vidence through achievement and progress in Small Steps Assessment for R aged pupils.

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Resources linked to areas of the curriculum that are being taught.

Additional curriculum opportunities for pupils on formal pathway. Improved level of ittainment in areas of curriculum, supporting ibility to meet pupils ECHP's.

Offering 'wow' moments and a breadth of experiences for pupils in line with curriculum. Ed Acon- Aesop's Theatre company offered all pupils the opportunity to see a live performance of a play in school and also for pupils on the formal curriculum to have drama essons delivered by professional actors, nrough performance workshops. The pupils were shown how to structure ideas into a hort play and perform it to their peers, which was an incredibly valuable experience for nem.

Ve have also hosted a recording day where upils in classes each recorded their own ong to create a school CD. This provided ifferent and varied opportunities for our earners that lots had not experienced before. Writing books have been purchased and are now being used for pupils once they have completed Ditty books and move onto the ext scheme. There has been a good level of progress recorded for using the RWI reading books and writing books for a small number of pupils that access sessions that it is appropriate for.

Wider strategies	Resources to be	Resources to be stored	Pupil engagement in	All pupils who attend	£1000	Jasmine	TI
• Extra-curricular activities – After school club	purchased support pupils to access a variety of activities during after school club Pupils will be able to access a wide range of activities that are stimulating, meaningful and are clearly different to school	centrally but clearly labelled for ASC. Activities to be planned based on needs of pupils and resources available.	activities Feedback from pupils, parents and staff	ASC		Allen	Lo
Targeted academic support Interventions to support Literacy and the purchasing of resources to support high quality teaching	A staff member to begin 30-minute daily interventions – phonics and reading Pupils will progress within phonics and will become confident readers	A staff member to support pupils with interventions each day 11.30-12 Pupils will receive high quality support on a 1:1 or very small group basis Pupils will become more confident and will progress well	Data Earwig and reading records Feedback from staff and pupils	All pupils in school	£2000	Charlotte Young – a member of staff to be allocated	D cc in
<ul> <li>Wider strategies <ul> <li>High quality</li> <li>teaching that</li> <li>responds to the</li> <li>needs of the</li> <li>pupils</li> <li>Resources</li> <li>Culture</li> <li>Music</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Purchase some new musical instruments to support the teaching of music and promote pupil engagement Expand school orchestra to allow more pupils to join	Instruments to be purchased and stored in the music room Pupils will access high quality music lessons where they are able to develop their musical skills and knowledge Pupils will be able to express themselves through music in a safe environment	There is a huge amount of evidence that reports on the links between music and wellbeing Pupil engagement Earwig Feedback from staff and pupils	All pupils in school	£2000	Ed Acons Ruth Woodhouse	Ed imp and bee prin in a Als oth orc cul cla mu Mo cel ena exp bod gro wh
<ul> <li>High quality teaching</li> <li>Teaching that responds to the needs of the pupils</li> <li>Professional development</li> <li>Communication</li> </ul>	To train a Makaton tutor to support pupils, staff and parents to develop their use of Makaton	Clare to be trained and then begin offering workshops to staff, parents and pupils Pupils will be better supported across school with their communication Staff confidence will increase when supporting pupils Parents will feel supported to communicate effectively with their child	Educational research that pupils with SEND often need visual support as well as verbal Lesson observations Pupil engagement Earwig Feedback from staff, parents and pupils	All pupils in school	£2743	Clare Charlesworth	C the du

This money has now changed- to subsidise Lorraine and Amanda's LOA's once per term to organise/run/sort ACS, snacks and activities.

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Due to staffing restrictions in Ash Class- no cover available. We will continue to re look into the possibilities of this starting once we have built up a bigger supply staff.

Ed Acons- The recovery funding has had a big mpact on what we have been able to do in music and drama. The arrival of the school harp has been really exciting. It has been enjoyed by both primary and secondary pupils and it will be used in a concert for the first time on Friday. Also having a wider variety of percussion and other instruments has helped, not only in prochestra but also when delivering topics such as culture week, where the steel drums, guiros, claves and other instruments have matched the music from the countries studied. More instruments are still to arrive, such as the

cello, pBuzzes and boomwhackers which will enable us to offer greater choice and wider experiences for the orchestra members. The boomwhackers come as a set which will enable groups to play together and perform songs in a whole new way.

Clare Charlesworth is currently undergoing he Makaton training and should be Qualified during the 2023-2024 academic year. During the current period, Makaton support is divided up between J 'OD and CC.

Wider strategies	Purchase forest school	Pupils can learn in an	FS assessments	All pupils in school	£1400	Wendy Toft	1
<ul> <li>Supporting pupils emotional and behavioural needs</li> <li>Outdoor activities</li> <li>Resources</li> </ul>	resources Pupils have access to an exciting and stimulating Forest School area that supports pupils with their wellbeing outside	engaging outdoor space that has a variety of resources Pupils feel comfortable in nature Staff provide exciting and engaging activities	Earwig Pupil and staff feedback Lesson observations			Sam Butlin Marie McCuaig Rich Simpson Lesley Burton	be
<ul> <li>Wider strategies</li> <li>Supporting pupils emotional and behavioural needs</li> <li>Outdoor activities</li> <li>Resources</li> <li>Extra-curricular activities</li> <li>Culture</li> </ul>	Begin to prepare for the Duke of Edinburgh award to support pupils to develop skills and knowledge	Pupils can learn in an engaging outdoor space Pupils' confidence and self-esteem is increased Pupils feel comfortable in nature Staff provide exciting and engaging activities	Achieving award Observations Earwig	All pupils who choose to participate	£2500	Rich Simpson Marco Echeverria	AR
Wider strategies <ul> <li>Art and culture</li> </ul>	Local artists to come into school and support pupils to learn new skills and develop their knowledge of Art	Pupils will be supported by a range of artists to enhance their understanding and experiences Pupils develop their cultural knowledge	Earwig Pupil and staff feedback Lesson observations	All pupils who choose to participate	£2000	Treg Marsh	Tro art so co of ou ac de se
Wider strategies <ul> <li>Art and culture</li> </ul>	Pupils to access Art and culture trips both locally and nationally	Pupils are offered new and exciting opportunities including trips to various cultural places Pupils' world is expanded Pupils feel part of the Art community	Earwig Pupil and staff feedback Lesson observations	All pupils who choose to participate	£1000	Treg Marsh	Tr tw for wa wo ha
<ul><li>Wider strategies</li><li>Sport</li></ul>	To expand our sports offer with a member of staff leading more group sessions including trips to other sites	1 week cover requested – agreed to 1 day Pupils are offered new and exciting opportunities including trips to various sports venues	Earwig Pupil and staff feedback Lesson observations	All pupils who choose to participate	None as already covered within numbers – in future years would be £5200	Shannon Parkes	ac th
Wider strategies <ul> <li>Culture (Drama and expression)</li> </ul>	To hold a Christmas performance in school to support pupils' expression Promote British values within school	SLT will work alongside Culture team to organise a Christmas performance Pupils will be able to choose or make	Pupil and staff feedback Pupil engagement Observations	All pupils in school	£1000	Charlotte Young Marie McCuaig Ed Acons Treg Marsh	l a

New posts/shade/hammocks and sail are being purchased and fitted by Brian. This is being overseen by M Mccuaig to enhance the Forest School area further.



Application has been submitted. Marco and Rich are starting this in September- current meetings with staff and parents to inform them of the process.

Treg- I am currently liaising with a local artist who is coming into school to run some workshops, with the view to collaborate with pupils across the whole of school to create a mural. This will give our pupils a sense of pride and accomplishment to help create and design a piece of artwork that can be seen by all. Ongoing.

Treg- Van Gogh immersive experience for two classes in Leicester. The experience for them, using the VR headsets, was a way of immersing themselves in the art world, recognising the artworks that they had been learning about.Ongoing

Shannon runs a sports club on a Friday afternoon with approx. 20 students. The access a range of different sporting activities that works on different skills, sportsmanship etc.

One Harvest and one Christmas performance- resources and costumes to allow full performance. Money towards the new stage that is accessible for all. This was used to showcase our talents during the school opening.

	Purchase resources	costumes, design and make the set Pupils will have					
Wider strategies • Residential visits • Supporting pupils' social, emotional and behavioural needs	Organise and partially fund residential visits for identified pupils	increased self-esteem Pupils will visit new and exciting places Pupils will have time away from their families with trusted adults and peers in a new environment Pupils develop increased self-esteem and confidence	Pupil, parent and staff feedback Earwig Informal observations Engagement and wellbeing increase	Identified pupils who have struggled to recover from the impact of covid	£2000	Katie Turner Clare Charlesworth Sharon Walker and Jasmine Allen for identifying pupils in need of support	to"
Wider strategies • Trips • Culture • Supporting pupils' social, emotional and behavioural needs	Organise and partially fund trips for identified pupils	Pupils will visit new and exciting places Pupils will have time away from school with trusted adults and peers in a new environment Pupils develop increased self-esteem and confidence	Pupil, parent and staff feedback Earwig Informal observations Engagement and wellbeing increase	Identified pupils who have struggled to recover from the impact of covid	£2000	Emma Durham Charlotte Young Marie McCuaig All teachers and intervention staff	mi
<ul> <li>High quality teaching         <ul> <li>Identify and meet the needs of pupils</li> </ul> </li> <li>Targeted academic support         <ul> <li>Interventions to support pupils with SEND</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Purchase additional Sensory OT support to support staff to ensure that pupils' needs are met, that they are able to regulate and feel ready to learn	Pupils will be regulated and / or staff will feel confident in knowing how to support pupils when they are dysregulated Staff confidence will be higher to implement sensory diets More pupils will receive support from sensory OT	Pupil, parent and staff feedback Earwig Informal observations Engagement and wellbeing increase	All pupils in need of sensory support	£3000	Marie McCuaig Katy Morley	ir c r v
<ul> <li>High quality teaching</li> <li>Identify and meet the needs of pupils</li> <li>Creating a curriculum that meets the needs of the pupils</li> </ul>	Fund a project within school that allows pupils to have meaningful work experience placements that challenge them and prepare them for employment	Pupils develop key knowledge and skills for employment by participating in a meaningful project (to be confirmed once pupils and work experience co- ordinator have planned)	Pupil confidence and self-esteem Earwig Pupil, parent and staff feedback Earwig Informal observations Increased engagement in sessions	All pupils who choose to participate (post-14)	£2500	Jeanette Scarfe Amy Naylor	l sk v a
Wider strategies <ul> <li>Trips</li> <li>Culture</li> <li>Supporting pupils' social,</li> </ul>	Organise and partially fund trips for all pupils for a whole school trip	Pupils will visit a new and exciting place together Pupils will have time away from school with	Pupil, parent and staff feedback Earwig Informal observations	All pupils	£3090	Charlotte Young Marie McCuaig	s

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Residential trips that have taken place of which money has been used to contribute towards overall costs: sailing x5 days, CAFT x2 groups for 2 nights each, Lea Green x2 groups for 2 nights each. There is an additional residential being booked for Autumn 2023.

Money is being used to pay for additional busses for each class to visit Lea Green during the summer term. Additional minibuses have been paid for Blossom Class to the farm and Christmas trip too. Move Fest will be taking up amounts from this allowance.

Additional OT support was provided from September-April until she left the role. OT worked with sensory lead in supporting individuals and putting plans/sensory diets and equipment they needed in place for classes to follow. We have a good bank of resources to support pupils e.g. specialist chairs, weighted vests etc and we are waiting to be allocated a new sensory OT.

New pop-up café has started running this term to allow post-14 students the opportunity to develop their career/working skills. With this being on site it increases the number of people that can experience working in a café that might not be able to access off site experiences. We also have some standalone work experience opportunities that are staffed 1:1 during the summer term at new settings (e.g. a mechanics)

Use money to spend 'Festival Day' e.g. bubble man (£400) Ice creams, Donkeys. Planning a whole school visit off-site was not feasible due to transport restrictions etc.

emotional and behavioural needs		trusted adults and peers in a new environment Pupils develop increased self-esteem and confidence	Engagement and wellbeing increase			Clare Charlesworth Josie O'Donnell	
Wider strategies • Supporting pupils emotional and behavioural needs	<ul> <li>Become an attachment aware and a trauma informed school</li> <li>Improve the outcomes for vulnerable learners in school through training 2 staff in attachment</li> <li>Raise awareness of the issues and needs around attachment and trauma</li> <li>Improve staff confidence in embedding a 'therapeutic approach' within their practice</li> <li>Develop joined-up thinking and a holistic approach to pupil wellbeing which incorporates existing trauma-informed practice (Classroom practice, Thrive, Forest Schools, Music &amp; Art therapy, SCIPr, etc.)</li> <li>Enable staff to better understand behaviour which challenges, with the intention of reducing the frequency of these behaviours</li> <li>Develop relationship with other 'attachment aware' and 'trauma informed' schools in Derbyshire.</li> <li>Fulfil the recommendations of Government guidance, such as Keeping Children Safe</li> </ul>	Lynne and Victoria to attend 10-day Practitioner Training (Level 5 Diploma). This practical skills-based training course underpinned by over 1000 evidence-based psychological, medical and neuroscientific research studies, is designed to inform and empower school and community staff to respond effectively to vulnerable children/young people who have experienced trauma and/or have a mental health issue Lynne and Victoria to complete approximately 50 hours of work-based learning as required by the above course Whole school to access half-day inset (3 hours) or School Training Webinars – Lynne and Victoria to develop ongoing in-house training and support, to fill the gaps identified in recent audit of staff skills To continue to consult with Lizzie Watt (Assistant Headteacher, Virtual School) and potentially the school's Educational Psychologist, to ensure we are developing best practice	Improved outcomes for vulnerable learners in school (Thrive profiles, etc) Raised awareness and understanding of the issues and needs around attachment and trauma (staff skills audit / surveys / lesson observations) Improve staff confidence in embedding a 'therapeutic approach' within their practice (staff skills audit / surveys / lesson observations) Reduction in frequency of behaviour which challenges Joined up working between different areas and approaches in school (Classroom practice, Thrive, Forest Schools, Music & Art therapy, PROACT- SCIPr etc)	All pupils in school, especially the most vulnerable	Training £1495 x 2 1 x £995 50 hours of cover – approx £600 Total: £4585 Can train 1 member of staff – would be expected to complete CPD before and after school in working hours. Cost £1495 Training would need to be completed internally.	Lynne Radlett Victoria Sheldon	



nd Wellbeing at Our Roots

Bid approved for Lynne Radlett- she has been attending the training days throughout the school year. This is ongoing.

Bid declined for V Sheldon.

Lynne is going to share her knowledge and expertise once this has been completed with the rest of the school.

We have continued to seek advice from our own Ed psychologist (Kim Glynn)

We will continue to work on a becoming an attachment beware school/.

		identify that progress is being made					
Wider strategies <ul> <li>Supporting pupils emotional and behavioural needs</li> <li>Outdoor activities</li> <li>Resources</li> </ul>	Purchase forest school canopy Pupils have access to an exciting and stimulating Forest School area that supports pupils with their wellbeing outside	Pupils can learn in an engaging outdoor space that has a variety of resources Pupils feel comfortable in nature Staff provide exciting and engaging activities	FS assessments Earwig Pupil and staff feedback Lesson observations	All pupils in school	Asked for £4000- could offer £1500	Wendy Toft Sam Butlin Marie McCuaig Rich Simpson Lesley Burton	pro
Wider strategies • Supporting pupils emotional and behavioural needs	Expand Thrive team to offer additional support to pupils. A member of staff to become Thrive practitioner trained in adolescence (currently have 2 child trained staff)	Pupils receive support in line with their age and ability Pupils feel that they have an additional safe place in school where they can share their concerns	Thrive profiles Reduced incidents Pupil, staff and parent feedback	All pupils in school, particularly those identified as high need in terms of their emotional vulnerability	£1000	Lynne Radlett Treg Marsh	T tin u
	cover 1 day a week				No cost as teachers will cover Art sessions		
Wider strategies <ul> <li>Supporting</li> <li>pupils emotional</li> <li>and behavioural</li> <li>needs</li> <li>Outdoor</li> <li>activities</li> <li>Resources</li> </ul>	Purchase horticulture resources Pupils have access to an exciting and stimulating horticulture area that supports pupils with their wellbeing outside	Pupils can learn in an engaging outdoor space that has a variety of resources Pupils feel comfortable in nature Staff provide exciting and engaging activities	Earwig Pupil and staff feedback Lesson observations Thrive profiles where appropriate	All pupils in school	Asked for £4500 Offered £1500	Matt Clemens	£1 ho
	•	•	Total cos	t: £45,128	1		
<ul><li>Wider strategies</li><li>Art and culture</li></ul>	Art – cover in school Requested additional support in the Art room to work collaboratively and to have 1 day out for Thrive	Additional art sessions offered for pupils Additional Thrive sessions offered for pupils	All pupils who access Art	Earwig PPS Feedback Lesson observations	£10,400	Treg Marsh	Bio
<ul> <li>Wider strategies</li> <li>Supporting pupils emotional and behavioural needs</li> <li>Outdoor activities</li> </ul>	Pupils to participate in bike maintenance – expanding resources and sourcing a shed to allow all weather work	Pupils learn valuable skills and knowledge regarding bike maintenance Pupils are able to have a 'job' in school	Achieving award Observations Earwig	All pupils who choose to participate	£11,000	Rich Simpson	L F loc
<ul> <li>Wider strategies</li> <li>Supporting pupils emotional</li> </ul>	To have a trainer from Therapeutic Forest School in school to train all staff	All staff would have an overview of training and would be able to implement strategies	Clinical psychology research Earwig	All pupils in school – pupils who have struggled to regulate since covid will be	Cost unknown – potentially around £1000	Sam Butlin Wendy Toft	As a re

See additional FS comments for the eing at Our Roots progress that has been made to enhance the FS environment for all pupils in school Treg has picked up additional Thrive within her timetable. Lynne has reduced her timetable to 3 days/week so Treg has picked up the core caseload. Continue to explore how to increase capacity further. £1500 spent on materials for planters and to improve the front of school. Additional plants/seeds and shrubs to improve the horticulture area and the surrounding area of the outdoor classroom. The pupils are actively involved in developing this area of the school. id refused but agreed to adolescent training and 1 day of Thrive without cover Jnable to support at this time as the pupils who will benefit are a very small cohort (2 pupils currently very keen) – something to ook at from other funding pots as the project grows s 3 staff will have received the full training, and we have no INSET days left, we would recommend that they train all staff internally during after school meetings

Recovery Funding Evaluation- Music- Ed Acons

I have organised a trip to the Van Gogh Immersive experience in Leicester, using some of the funding from the Recovery & Pupil Premium. We took Larch and Sycamore class; they had been learning about Van Goghs work in the weeks approaching our trip. The visit was invaluable to their understanding of the artists' work and opened their eyes to a new way of accessing art.

