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Dear Parents

Did you know ... just registering your child for Early Years Pupil Premium means that your Early Years provider gets extra money?

Register now to make sure we don't miss out

The Government is giving money to Early Years providers to help children from lower income families do their very best. This funding is called 'Early Years Pupil Premium'.

For every child registered for Early Years Pupil Premium our school receives up to £300.

With this money we could provide more one to one support, purchase schemes of work to assist children's learning or buy specific equipment to enhance learning. If you are registered for Early Years Pupil Premium you could also get help with the cost of school trips.

Please register before 28th February to make sure your child and others in the setting don't miss out.

How does it work?

1. First, check if you qualify - it is not just if you are unemployed, so please look at the list on the next page.
2. Registering is really quick and easy - if you think you qualify, contact Julie Hall at the school office who will help you to register.

No one will know you have registered and it will not affect any other benefits you are claiming.

Please talk to us about registering your child today.

Yours sincerely,

JUDITH FOSTER
HEADTEACHER



Do you qualify?

Criteria 1. You can register your child for Early Years Pupil Premium if you get any of these benefits:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The Guarantee element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit except if you meet ANY of the following criteria -
 - i) entitled to working tax credit (regardless of income)
 - ii) have an annual income in excess of £16,190 (Please note that this figure is for April 2014 and that it changes in April each year).
- Working Tax Credit 'run-on' - the payment someone may receive for a further four weeks after they stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- Universal Credit

Criteria 2. Or if your child meets one of the following criteria:

- They have been in local-authority care for 1 day or more in England or Wales
- They have been adopted from care in England or Wales
- They have left care under a special guardianship order or residence order in England or Wales

Come and talk to us if you're not sure.