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### **Pupil Premium Funding – trips and activities**

The purpose of the Pupil Premium funding is to raise the attainment and aspirations of pupils and, as a school, we work hard to ensure that our Pupil Premium pupils benefit from a range of learning, support and enrichment opportunities to achieve this objective.

One of the most significant barriers to achievement nationally is poor attendance and, at Delapre, we are working hard to improve the attendance of all pupils, but in particular that of our Pupil Premium pupils.

To this end it has been agreed by the Governors that, while the cost of trips and activities will continue to be met or subsidised through Pupil Premium funding, this will be conditional upon your child meeting the school's agreed Benchmark for Attendance of 96%, **from the start of the summer term.**

Please be aware that lateness is included in the attendance figures.

We will monitor your child's attendance on a regular basis and keep you informed should we have any concerns that they may not hit the agreed target of 96%.

We thank you for your continued support in helping your child achieve their full potential in all aspects of the school curriculum.

**H Portrey  
Headteacher**