

Strong Close Nursery School EYPP Action Plan

Early Years Pupil Premium (£) **8814.75** Date: **Autumn 2026**

Number of eligible pupils on roll **104 children**

Number of pupils eligible for EYPP **35 (33.7 % of the funded children on roll)**

Planned Review date **Spring 2027**

Strategic Priority	Target	How/ Action Required	Success Criteria	Who	When	Resources	Cost/amount allocated
To close the attainment gap for children from low-income and other disadvantaged families	To ensure children's social, emotional and behavioural needs are met, enabling them to access learning more effectively	Movement and sensory circuit sessions-45-minute sessions-	Children in the movement and sensory circuit sessions make accelerated progress from their starting point in the Prime areas	Enhanced staffing in most classes	Sept-Dec 26	Booking MP Room Enhanced staffing and planning and session time.	£130 per week Total £1898 approx.
	To support learning in Reading and to develop a love of books/ stories, through access to a wide range of reading materials	A copy of our core story to be provided each half term for each child eligible for EYPP. Every child registered for the Imagination Library until their 5 th birthday	Identified children have an interest in books and are familiar with a number of core stories. Improved outcomes in Literacy	Class teachers & Parents	½ termly	30 books per half term	£900 approx. £305 approx.
	To ensure children's social, emotional and behavioural needs are met, enabling them to express themselves creatively and increase their confidence	Sessions with our artist in residence once a week	Children make accelerated progress in the prime areas.	Artist in Residence	Sept-Dec 26	Partial artist funding and Consumables based on children's interests	£1800 approx.
	To increase children's outdoor experiences, focus, confidence and social skills	Increased number of Forest school sessions and new sessions with the gardener	Improved outcomes in Personal Social and Emotional Development, Communication and Language, Physical Development and Understanding the World	Get Out More Staff and weekly gardener	Sept-Dec 26	Partial Forest school and gardener fees and outdoor related resources based on children's interests	£2800 approx.
	To improve children's confidence and language through visits and visitors and broadened experiences	Funding for the Christmas Theatre performance and other local visits	Improved outcomes in PSED, Communication and Language UTW and EA&D	Theatre group	Sept-Dec 26	Proportional cost of the theatre group and small visits	£350 approx.
	To improve children's personal, social and emotional development	Investment in the Story Project resources	Improved outcomes in PSED	DHT and staff	Sept-Dec 26	Story project books and resources	£361.75 approx.
	To identify needs early and improves outcomes across all areas	New INPP Retained Reflexes Early Years Daily Schools Programme	Improved outcomes in the prime and specific areas	SENDCo and staff	Sept-Dec 26	Staffing to support	£400 approx.