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Dear Parents,

Eligibility for Pupil Premium Funding - Online application now available

Your child could be eligible to receive Pupil Premium Funding if you are in receipt of the following benefits:

- Income Support
- Income-based Job Seekers' Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration & Asylum Act 1999
- The Guaranteed element of the State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit with an assessed income below £16,190

Please note that this could be subject to change due to Government benefit changes later in the year. You do not qualify if you receive any Working Tax Credit or Contribution based Jobseekers allowance.

How this benefits the pupils: For every child that is registered for Pupil Premium, the school receives proportionally more funding. With this money we are able to buy extra resources for the children, including financial support for visits, for example. This funding can benefit the school generally, meaning that all children can access these additional resources.

If you think you may be eligible, please follow this link to the West Sussex County Council website online application:

http://www.westsussex.gov.uk/learning/schools_ages_4-16/free_school_meals.aspx

Kind regards,

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