

## CILA PRIMARY SCHOOL - PDG Statement 2025- 26

The Pupil Deprivation Grant (PDG) is allocated to schools with pupils who come from low income families and are currently known to be eligible for free school meals (e-FSM) and pupils who have been looked after continuously for more than six months (LAC).

Schools are expected to make the best use of this funding to implement sustainable strategies that will quickly bring about changes for learners eligible for free school meals or who are LAC.

As a school we have agreed the following three steps:

1. to identify the target group of pupils, its characteristics and needs
2. to plan interventions which make the most effective use of resources
3. to monitor and evaluate the impact of resources

In 2025-2026 Cila Primary School has been provided with a PDG allocation of £12,862

<b>Total PDG</b>	<b>£12,862</b>
<b>PDG eFSM</b>	<b>£5,750</b>
<b>PDG EY Allocation</b>	<b>£2,300</b>
<b>Smoothing fund addition</b>	<b>£4,812</b>

At Cila Primary School we have a comprehensive plan, agreed and monitored by Swansea Local Authority, to promote progress and remove barriers to learning for students eligible for this funding.

We will be using the funding to:

- enhance teaching and learning by providing programme of support for targeted learners
- support families with attendance issues
- support vulnerable families
- provide intervention and support programmes for targeted learners
- promote emotional & well- being support for targeted learners
- Support learners and their families