

# DISADVANTAGED Improvement Plan 2017-18



## Attendance

- Home visits and collect students
- Support with travel to and from school (bus passes and taxis)
- **Parental Meetings**
- **Individual targets for students PA students school mini bus service**
- **Weekly awards for Year 11**
- **Rewards and incentives for good and improved attendance**
- **High profile across the school: job of every member of staff: collective responsibility**

## Behaviour Support

- Learning Zone provision
- Vocational placements
- Rewards
- Off-site specialist provision
- Student Services team
- **Outside agencies/Education Psychologist to support with behavior modification strategies**

## Promoting Engagement

- Trips to university
- Aspirational trips using Alumni links
- Flexible curriculum –vocational programme
- Rewards
- **Lunchtime provision – Big Events**
- **Pupil mentoring from University students**
- **Unlocking Potential Mentors**
- **Enhanced careers provision and careers mentoring**
- **Other outside agencies like 'Health Services in School'**
- **SLT student voice: breakfasts and afternoon tea**

## Quality First Teaching

- Subject DVPS and HL Targets address progress of disadvantaged students
- Provision for smaller classes
- **CPD Training for all staff**
- **New initiatives to improve Mathematics teaching**
- **Period 7 lesson for Year 11 students**
- **Seating Plans**

## Home-School Support

- Breakfast Club
- Equipment, books, revision guides
- Laptop/internet
- Paid residential trip to Barnstondale (Y11)
- Homework clubs
- Homework base afterschool
- School open during Easter Holiday, for revision
- **Hard to Reach Parents Initiative**
- **Maths and English Parental Support workshops**
- **'Big Corporate' events**
- **'How to support my child's learning' on school website**

## External Review

To evaluate the provision for Disadvantaged students and to evaluate the PP spend.

## Role of Pupil Premium SLT Lead

- **Pupil tracking systems to include aspirations/careers/interventions**
- **Link Governor**
- **Evaluate the impact of invention**
- **Food: monitoring school lunches**

### Barriers:

Poor Attendance  
Behaviour  
Lack of Motivation  
Lack of Home Support  
Behind in Y7

## Catch-Up Provision for Students Behind on Entry

- Yr 7 Literacy and Numeracy Catch –up programme (incl. Maths Mastery)
- Additional KS3 Maths and English lessons for Band C and D students
- Specialist KS2 literacy teacher
- Class withdrawal: TA Literacy support
- Orrets Meadow Numeracy support
- 1-2-1/small group tuition
- Literacy, numeracy and reading buddies
- **Target reading programmes i.e. Accelerated Reading**

## Study and Learning Support

- Y11 Aim Higher programme
- Learning Skills courses: Learning Performance
- Easter School
- Revision Saturdays
- **Develop resilience/ownership of learning**
- **Learning and metacognition programmes/projects**