Activity - Teaching	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed	Impact	RAG rating
Purchase of standardised diagnostic assessments. Training for staff to ensure assessments are interpreted and administered correctly.	Standardised tests can provide reliable insights into the specific strengths and weaknesses of each pupil to help ensure they receive the correct additional support through interventions or teacher instruction: Standardised tests Assessing and Monitoring Pupil Progress Education Endowment Foundation EEF	1,2 £5,000	Gaps identified, interventions, KS1 SATS results Reading= 68% Writing= 64% Maths = 66% Combined 64% KS2 SATS results Reading=78% Writing=76% Maths= 75% Combined=67%	
GL assessment	Standardised tests give good diagnostic evidence to support teaching and learning due to gaps being identified. Screener diagnostic Properties of commercial tests in the EEF EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)	£500 1,2 Actual spend £1071 (£500 taken from MITA spend)	Screener used to help speed up SPLD process and provide additional interventions Purchased in Spring so only used in the summer term. Ongoing – it is used as part of evidence	

			gathering for 'Assess, Plan, Do, Review' cycle.	
Embed Rocket Phonics - a DfE validated Systematic Synthetic Phonics programme to secure stronger phonics teaching for all pupils	Phonics approaches have a strong evidence base that indicates a positive impact on the accuracy of word reading (though not necessarily comprehension), particularly for disadvantaged pupils: Phonics Toolkit Strand Education Endowment Foundation EEF	1 £5,000	EY phonics data GLD 67%v national 65% KS1 phonic screenings results 84% pass versus national 76%	
Supporting early reading	Supporting early reading in develops oracy, reading and communication. Nursery library and hope readers			

	search&search_term=ear ly%20reading			
To improve the skillset and effectiveness of classroom support members	Classroom support members being used effectively is a valuable resource. Research suggests that systematically planning in for extra adults being used improves attainment levels. MITA training rust support Marie Miles support https://educationendowm entfoundation.org.uk/new s/eef-blog-maximising- the-impact-of-teaching- assistants-in-the- classroom-exploring-the- evidence?utm_source=/n ews/eef-blog-maximising- the-impact-of-teaching- assistants-in-the- classroom-exploring-the- evidence&utm_medium= search&utm_campaign=s ite_search&search_term= classroom%20assistants	2 £2000	All support staff trained in effective independence and scaffolding the learning. SIP visits – Kathy and Mick's feedback Percentage of teachers rated good 65% with 16% outstanding.	

To support bespoke CPD for teachers to adapt the curriculum for our most disadvantaged pupils	Systematically and strategically implementing staff CPD improves the pedagogy and rates of attainment for learners. https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/education-evidence/evidence-reviews/teacher-professional-development-characteristics	2 £2000	Shantelle Sturridge from IS delivered training on differentiation SIP visits – Kathy and Mick's feedback praised differentiation	
To improve the AfL of all teachers	Systematically and strategically implementing staff CPD improves the pedagogy and rates of attainment for learners.	£3000	Afl training delivered June 10 th Sand timers, whiteboards and pens bought	
	https://educationendowm entfoundation.org.uk/edu cation- evidence/evidence- reviews/teacher- professional-		See AfL PPT and examples of planning Staff questionnaire analysis	

development- characteristics		
	Percentage of teachers rated good 65% with 16% outstanding.	

Targeted academic support

Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed	Impact	RAG
Additional staffing and interventions	Staff deployed to support Early help of families and reduce the amount of safeguarding active cases. Nurture and other social/emotional interventions used to support children. Use of the outdoor environment to support small group intervention and academic mentoring. All of these will support pupil attainment. https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/educ	5 £180,000	Steve Hale and Sam Cook – see Forest mentoring and Outdoor Learning data Impact of A Bartnik – orange and red cards analysis, books L. Bown – family liaison officer – see impact evidence sheet C. Burgess– LSA for	
			pupil at band 4 autism,	

CI T compare to focus on consigniture	ation-evidence/guidance-reports/behaviour	7	See photocopy of books and EHCP evidence I Dhesi – see impact evidence sheet HEN sessions	
SLT support to focus on curriculum enrichment	Improve provision for the 'most' disadvantaged children for example integrating the use of the Birmingham Hippodrome, whole school outside visitors into the curriculum to raise aspirations. Support children in the curriculum with experiences to engage and excel. https://www.proquest.com/openview/ef1bb5f9473c1444321b3b7316788f32/1.pdf?pq-origsite=gscholar&cbl=25066	7 £10,000	-70% of pupils said that they enjoy HEN sessions -62% of children said that they learn new things in HEN sessions Family forum Data to show increase in parent engagement in 21/22 compared to 20/21 Highest turn out of 20/21= 3 families Attendance for 21/22: -Family forum 1=6 families	

			-Family forum 2= 10 families -Family forum 3= 12 families	
			E3L visit feedback	
Purchase resources to improve listening, narrative and vocabulary skills for disadvantaged pupils who have relatively low spoken language skills.	Oral language interventions can have a positive impact on pupils' language skills. Approaches that focus on speaking, listening and a combination of the two show positive impacts on attainment: Oral language interventions EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)	4 £2000 Ameena	Wellcomm Sept to July Baseline Data (41chd): Green 34% Amber - 37% Red - 29% Summer Data (44 chd): Green - 44% Amber - 28% Red - 28% Enhanced speech and language therapist started in September	

Support Nurture facilities so that sessions can be delivered in school.	Provide additional support for children who are SEND for SEMH or at risk of exclusion and work alongside SLT /staff to improve outcomes of particular children. https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/education-evidence/guidance-reports/behaviour	5 £5000	Nurture – equipment purchased to enhance nurture facilities The impact was felt on the whole class, rather than on the individual children. See orange and reds analysis	
Support and improve Forest/outdoor learning facilities so that academic mentoring services can be delivered effectively.	Provide additional support for children who are SEND for SEMH or at risk of exclusion and work alongside SLT /staff to improve outcomes of particular children. https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/education-evidence/guidance-reports/behaviour	5 £5000	Forest –list of what was bought	
To provide Subsidised educational visits, visitors and residential trips for all children	School to subsidise trips and costs to remove financial barrier. School to also provide a broader range of experiences and	3 £30,000	See questionnaires from pupils in years 2, 4, 6	

opportunities, especially for the 'most' disadvantaged. https://www.proquest.com/openview/ef1bb5f9473c1 444321b3b7316788f32/1. pdf?pq- origsite=gscholar&cbl=25	See quotes from year 4 and 6 Teambuilding trip for Year 5 to Woodlands Camp Virtual reality Egyptian
066	workshop – Year 5 Roman Day Year 4 Edgmond Hall – Year4 Greek Day Year 3 Iron Age Day Year 3 Sandwell Valley RSPB trip – Year 2 Enrichment visit on Perseverance – Year 1 African Day – Reception Chicks and Ducks
	hatchlings – Reception Ash End Farm - Reception Whole school Safer Internet Day National Maths Day World book day Visit from World record holder free style footballer -

			International Women's Day	
To support the purchasing of assisted technology	To purchase Reading pens x Laptops for children with specific learning difficulties x 10 Recordable whiteboards 210 https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/education-evidence/guidance-reports/digital?utm_source=/education-evidence/guidance-reports/digital&utm_medium=search&utm_campaign=site_search&search_term=assessment	£10,000	KS2 SATS results Reading=78% Writing=76% Maths= 75% Combined=67% Impact and analysis of laptops for children with send: 100% made at least 2 years progress Reading pens for children with send: 71% had positive impact and improved reading data See impact evidence Recordable whiteboards – used in writing lessons in KS1. KS1 data: Writing= 64%	

Additional phonics sessions targeted at disadvantaged pupils who require further phonics support.	Phonics approaches have a strong evidence base indicating a positive impact on pupils, particularly from disadvantaged backgrounds. Targeted phonics interventions have been shown to be more effective when delivered as regular sessions over a period up to 12 weeks: Phonics Toolkit Strand Education Endowment Foundation EEF	2,4 £14,000	KS1 phonic screenings results Year 1=84% versus national 76% Year 2 rescreen=25% Reception: Baseline: Word reading 34% Summer: 62%	
Additional speech and communication sessions targeted at disadvantaged pupils who require further support.	Speech and communication interventions when taught early and well have a positive impact on the C and L of learners: Phonics Toolkit Strand Education Endowment Foundation EEF	4 £14,000	Enhanced speech and language therapist to start in September £7000 spent One day per week and has initiated 2 x MAA	
Increased Murray Hall	Increased capacity for Murray Hall. Research suggest children can self regulate their feelings and	5 £9,000	Not spent – Murray Hall did not have the capacity to increase sessions	

	emotions if taught systematically. https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/education-evidence/guidance-reports/primary-sel?utm_source=/education-evidence/guidance-reports/primary-sel&utm_medium=search&utm_campaign=site_search&search_term=vis			
Disadvantaged send teacher	Intervention teacher to be used to support the delivery of interventions across the school – 1 in each key stage – to support the teaching of the most disadvantaged. Teaching Assistant Interventions EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk) Small group tuition EEF (educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk)	1,2,3 £70,000	One teacher £35000 for one term only See impact evidence	

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Activity	Evidence that supports this approach	Challenge number(s) addressed	Impact	RAG
Whole staff training on behavior management through de-escalation with the aim of developing our school ethos and improving behavior across school.	Both targeted interventions and universal approaches can have positive overall effects: Behaviour interventions EEF (educationendowmentfo undation.org.uk)	8 £2000	MAPA training £2 Exclusions data: 19/20 - 8 exclusions - 4 children (covid year) 20/21 - 9 exclusions - 5 children (covid year) 21/22 - 14 exclusions - 5 children (full year)	
To provide Attendance incentives to improve attendance School to pay for certificates and sustainable reading rewards linked to attendance and punctuality.	Incentives and rewards are proven to support attendance rates in schools. School to pay for certificates and sustainable reading	6 £10,000	2021-22 Attendance: 92% versus 95% for national figures High levels of covid in Sandwell affected attendance.	

	rewards linked to attendance and punctuality. Having a consistent whole school policy and procedures supports attendance improvements. https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/education-evidence/evidence-reviews/attendance-interventions-rapid-evidence-assessment?utm_source=/education-evidence/evidence-reviews/attendance-interventions-rapid-evidence-reviews/attendance-interventions-rapid-evidence-assessment&utm_medium=search&utm_campaign=site_search&search_t		Money spent on books, charts, two attendance coffee mornings	
	erm=attendance			
To provide Provision of breakfast and after school care/clubs for children across the school	After school clubs can improve self esteem and aspirations of children. It also a good way to improve well being.	6,7, £10,000	Year 2 SATS after school and year 6 SATs breakfast booster clubs	

	The most disadvantaged children to be supported.		Numbers in each booster club – see evidence Impact: KS2 SATS results Reading=78% Writing=76% Maths= 75% Combined=67%	
To provide the Pastoral and safeguarding continued professional development so that disadvantaged children can be supported	https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/education-evidence/evidence-reviews/teachers-continuing-professional-development?utmsource=/education-evidence/evidence-reviews/teachers-continuing-professional-development&utmmedium=search&utmcampaign=sitesearch&searchterm=professional	5,7,8 £5000	Lego Therapy delivered by L.Bown. First Aid Training delivered across the academy. Training courses attended by L.Bown and I. Dhesi	
Invest in SEMH and well being services to support our most disadvantaged children	Children's SEMH and well being has been	5,7,8	Wanted to get an additional day for Murray Hall but they had no capacity for it so did not happen	

	adversely effected during the pandemic. https://educationendowm entfoundation.org.uk/edu cation- evidence/guidance- reports/behaviour https://educationendowm entfoundation.org.uk/edu cation- evidence/guidance- reports/primary- sel?utm_source=/educat ion-evidence/guidance- reports/primary- sel&utm_medium=searc h&utm_campaign=site_s earch&search_term=vis	£9000	Counsellor started in September 2022. Impact yet to be seen.	
Invest in achieving the Wellbeing charter mark	Children's SEMH and well being has been adversely effected during the pandemic https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/education-evidence/guidance-reports/primary-sel?utm_source=/education-evidence/guidance-	5,7,8 £5000	Action plan for Well-being charter mark. Still to be achieved.	

	reports/primary- sel&utm_medium=searc h&utm_campaign=site_s earch&search_term=vis			
To improve parental engagement with the curriculum through workshops and classes	https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/education-evidence/guidance-reports/supporting-parents?utm_source=/education-evidence/guidance-reports/supporting-parents&utm_medium=search&utm_campaign=site_search&search_term=parent	8 £7000	Parental engagement – see ppt Send coffee mornings x 2 - PPTs Family Forums PPTs Virtual Parent Meetings- via Edulink - and face to face options • 36% opted for online parents' meetings • 57% opted for face to face parents' meetings • 93% turn out • 7% couldn't make the evening in question. Of these 26 parents, 18 have been caught up on formally. Passport to success Family workshops x10	

			2 Family Forums 2 SATS meetings (KS1 and KS2) 1 Phonics meeting (KS1) Phonics workshop (EYFS) 3 Reception learning workshops 2 SEND Coffee mornings Year 3 Excite workshop Parents meetings	
To introduce the walking bus with hard to reach families	Embedding principles of good practice set out in the DfE's Improving School Attendance advice. This will involve training and release time for staff to develop and implement new procedures and appointing attendance/support	6 £10,000	Two members of staff – 2 hours per day Hi-vis jackets Umbrellas 2021-22 Attendance: 92% versus 95% for national figures See impact evidence Pupil 1 increased from 48% to 79%	

	officers to improve attendance. https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/education-evidence/evidence-reviews/attendance-interventions-rapid-evidence-assessment?utm_source=/education-evidence/evidence-reviews/attendance-interventions-rapid-evidence-interventions-rapid-evidence-assessment&utm_medium=search&utm_campaign=site_search&search_term=attendance		Pupil 2 increased from 80.43% to 86.99% Pupil 3, 4, 5, 6 are from the same family Pupil 3 decreased from 86.67% to 75.64% Pupil 4 decreased from 83.51% to 80.13% Pupil 5 decreased from 81.44% to 80.13% Pupil 6 decreased from 86.46% to 80.77% Pupil 7 decreased from 86.52% to 84.93% See report for reasons Some impact seen but holidays and covid affected all the children.	
Embedding principles of good practice set out in the DfE's Improving School Attendance advice. Purchasing of resources to reward attendance Dojo 500 point incentives Dojo 1000 point incentives	Embedding principles of good practice set out in the DfE's Improving School Attendance advice. This will involve training and release time for staff to develop and implement new procedures and	6 £7000	20 day challenges Attendance trips 2021-22 Attendance: 92% versus 95% for national figures	

	appointing attendance/support officers to improve attendance. https://educationendowm entfoundation.org.uk/edu cation- evidence/evidence- reviews/attendance- interventions-rapid- evidence- assessment?utm_source =/education- evidence/evidence- reviews/attendance- interventions-rapid- evidence- assessment&utm_mediu m=search&utm_campaig n=site_search&search_t erm=attendance		Rewards for attendance included: climbing walls, laser tag	
Introduce Lego therapy	Children's SEMH and well being has been adversely effected during the pandemic	5,8 £500	L Bown delivered lego therapy to some children in year 6. See impact sheet	

NELI training and resources	Speech and communication interventions when taught early and well have a positive impact on the C and L of learners: Phonics Toolkit Strand Education Endowment Foundation EEF https://educationendowmentfoundation.org.uk/education-evidence/guidance-reports/literacy-early-years?utm_source=/education-evidence/guidance-reports/literacy-early-years&utm_medium=search&utm_campaign=site_search&search_term=early%20reading	4 £2000	Ameena – reception data for communication and language 60% baseline 75% end of summer	
Contingency fund for acute issues.	Based on our experiences and those of similar schools to ours, we have identified a need to set a small amount of funding aside to respond quickly to	AII £9712		

	needs that have not yet been identified.		
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