

2.1.2 Service Pupil Premium key information

Guidance on the Service Pupil Premium

The Service Pupil Premium (SPP) is paid to state schools, academies and free schools in England, to provide mainly pastoral support for children of service personnel in year R to year 11. In 2015-16 £300 per child is paid directly to their school as part of the Armed Forces Covenant. Families have to declare their status to the school before the annual census each January in order for the school to be able to claim

The contact point in the Ministry of Defence for anything relating to the education of service children is the Directorate Children and Young People

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Website:	https://www.gov.uk/government/groups/directorate-children-and-young-people

The SPP is there to support service children. This could include assessments and targeted support in a new school, LSA time, social events and clubs, or creating a base in the school specially for children from military families.

Useful links to further information and guidance on SPP:

Army Families Federation

http://www.aff.org.uk/army_family_life/education_childcare/servicepupilpremium.htm

Navy Families Federation

<http://nff.org.uk/2016-service-pupil-premium/>

RAF Families Federation

<http://www.raf-ff.org.uk/education-news.asp?info=Service+Pupil+Premium+2015+does+your+school+know&st=spp>

