

### Ysgol Gyfun Gwynllyw – Pupil Deprivation Grant 2014/15

- The total number of pupils on school roll for September 2014 is 998.
- The school's FSM population is under 25%.
- This is fewer than the population for the previous year.
- The total allocation of PDG to this school for September 2014 to July 2015 is £95,472
- The school undertakes the following activities in order to support pupils facing the challenges of poverty and deprivation:

Ysgol Gyfun Gwynllyw has used the Pupil Deprivation Grant as per guidelines, in order to provide numeracy and literacy support, resources and mentors and to close the poverty gap for pupils entitled to free school meals. The grant has been benefited through the following;

- To provide a wide range of support and resources across the curriculum for free school meal pupils in order to aid their learning experiences and to prevent them from being disadvantaged by poverty through additional literacy and numeracy resources and employment of a mentor to work with the pupils to lift achievements, lift pupil targets and increase their engagement.
  - Whole School Mapping of numeracy skills in line with LNF, and to create a stronger development for FSM pupils.
  - Whole School mapping of literacy skills in line with LNF, providing welsh schemes of work and training for staff to create a stronger literacy development for FSM pupils.
  - Literacy and numeracy support for Key Stage 3 FSM pupils and non-FSM pupils and provision of catch up literacy and numeracy sessions.
  - Training and a literacy and numeracy framework to improve standards of Key stage 4 Core subjects and to enhance the improvements of teaching and ICT development.
  - Additional support for FSM pupils of KS3 and KS4 consisting of additional pastoral support, catch up programmes, resources and other support if required to ensure improved outcomes and lift achievements.
  - Closer links of FSM to actively support and encourage pupils, and to improve standards.
- The school's PDG, SEG and WEG Plans are regularly scrutinised by the Governing Body, supported by advice from the EAS and monitored by the Local Authority.