

Pupil Equity Fund 2024-2025



BATHGATE ACADEMY

Bathgate Academy is committed to delivering both Excellence and Equity for all of our young people and their families. Our community recognises the clear link between socio-economic circumstances, educational opportunity and related attainment and achievement. We are proactive in identifying ways to reduce the cost of the school day for all students and we actively promote our school values of 'Ambition', 'Respect' and 'Kindness' to create an inclusive environment.

PARTICIPATORY BUDGETING

- Pupils in our ARK collective will survey our community to agree on this spend.

ATTENDANCE

- Increase attendance
- Remove Barriers
- Partnership with families and the wider community.

COST OF THE SCHOOL DAY

- Reduce costs
- Increase FME Access
- Launch BA Quarter
- Self Care Packs
- Study Packs

COST OF THE SCHOOL DAY

- No Curriculum Costs
- Supported Trip costs
- Free clubs
- Subsidised Events
- Digital access

INCLUSIVE PATHWAYS

- Learning access
- Pathway Planning
- Bespoke Plans
- Community Learning

RAISING ATTAINMENT

- Literacy
- Numeracy
- Skills for Work
- Career aspirations

Total Amount - £123,725

This will be spend on areas outlined above, identified through analysis of data and feedback from students, staff, parents/carers and partners.

Participatory Budget - £4,000

This will be spend by our ARK Collective following the creation of community benefit options through consultations and a community wide vote.

