



## PUPIL EQUITY FUND 2025-26



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.

**TOTAL PEF ALLOCATION: £123,725**

**PARTICIPATORY BUDGETING: £4,000**

### PARTICIPATORY BUDGETING

- ARK Collective will survey community to agree on spend
- Learners have increased agency in shaping how resources are spent
- Decision-making reflects diverse learner needs and priorities

### ATTENDANCE

- Improve attendance of identified learners
- Support families with school refusal
- Develop flexible approaches to emotional based school avoidance



### COST OF THE SCHOOL DAY

- No curriculum costs
- Supported trip costs and subsidised events
- Increase FME access
- Study packs for all Senior Phase pupils
- Digital access for learners

### SCHOOL BASED SUPPORT MODELS

- Targeted provision for BGE and Senior Phase
- Pathway planning
- Individualised learning plans
- Community learning
- Partnership working



### CARE EXPERIENCED YOUNG PEOPLE

- Every CEYP linked to the Pupil Support Manager.
- Regular check ins.
- Barriers identified, addressed and tracked in partnership.
- Aligned with The Promise.

### RAISING ATTAINMENT

- Literacy
- Numeracy
- Skills for work
- Career aspirations



BUILDING OUR FUTURE TOGETHER THROUGH AMBITION RESPECT AND KINDNESS

