Report to the Lancashire Schools Forum Meeting to be held on Tuesday 17 October 2023



Item 13

Teacher Pay Additional Grant 2023/24

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Brief Summary

Recommendation

The Working Group is asked to:

- a) Note the report.
- b) Express views on the Teacher Pay Additional Grant 2023/24 proposed allocations

Detail

Following the Teachers Pay Additional Grant (TPAG) funding announcements in the Summer Term, the Local Authority are writing to confirm the anticipated plan for Special and AP Schools, following agreement from school's forum.

Following DfE guidance and the conditions of grant, the authority are proposing the funding will be based on 2023/24 academic year commissioned places at £260 per place to cover the period September 2023 – March 2024. As the initial funding the local authority will receive will be based upon the agreed commissioned places for 2022/23, initial allocations to providers in the Autumn term 2023 will be based on 2022/23 commissioned places. This will then be adjusted in March 24, based on the 2023/24 academic year commissioned places.

For 2024/25, this will continue as a grant, and will be processed in two payments per year, pro rata to a full year rate of \pounds 445. It is anticipated that from 2025/26 onwards the funding will then be rolled into the core budget allocation as part of the high needs national funding formula.

Conditions of the grant can be found here.



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