

OXSPRING PUPIL PARLIAMENT

WHAT IS INVESTORS IN PUPILS (IiP)?



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Investors in Pupils is an award set up to celebrate and acknowledge schools who ensure that they include children in the decision making process across all areas of school life.

This includes:

- ✓ **having a School Council / Pupil Parliament**
- ✓ **helping children understand the roles of the key people in their education**
- ✓ **understanding about the school budget**
- ✓ **being more involved in assemblies**
- ✓ **having personal goals to work towards**
- ✓ **having a support system set up for new members of the school, in addition to many other areas.**

At the end of the day, it is about celebrating the voice of the children and letting them show how responsible they can be when given the opportunity to shine.

Investors in Pupils aims to give children a better understanding of how our school works.

It gives children a voice in the way the school is run and how it can improve, whilst also helping them to learn about the roles and responsibilities of the whole school community.

This produces a sense of pride and personal responsibility into each child's learning.

IiP focuses on 5 areas:

- Behaviour
 - Attendance and Punctuality
 - Induction (How we help visitors, new pupils and adults to settle in)
 - Classroom Management (Keeping things tidy, knowing their cost and value, looking after them)
 - Learning
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- Each class has a **Mission Statement** which has to be agreed and which sets out how they want their class to be.
 - Every class also has a **class target** and each child has a **personal target** which they aim to achieve consistently over a number of weeks.
 - The children also put together **Welcome Packs** to help anyone who is new to settle in.
 - See the IIP Handook