
Context Information - Academy

Macaulay Primary Academy is a larger than average primary academy, with 536 pupils currently on roll, ranging from Nursery to Year 6. The ASP 2017, showed that a high percentage of pupils were eligible for free school meals (43% compared to 24% nationally.) 192 are entitled to pupil premium and 21 access Early Years' Pupil Premium.

According to ASP 2017, the school deprivation indicator is higher than the national average at 0.4 (top 20%).

Macaulay Primary Academy serves the West Marsh area of Grimsby. The stability of the academy population is decreasing and there is an increased level of transiency due to the large number of privately rented properties which are now available in the catchment area. This change in stability means that pupils are currently being admitted on a weekly basis, many of whom are vulnerable; have challenging behaviour or are working below national expectations.

The majority of families are white British. Only 9% of pupils are from ethnic minority backgrounds compared to 31.6% nationally and only 9% of pupils' first language is not English compared to 21% nationally.

As an academy, we place great importance on the development of each and every child both academically and socially and emotionally. We aim to provide a wide range of learning experiences both within the classroom and beyond which will promote a lifelong love of learning and enable our children to become independent, forward thinking and socially responsible citizens of the future.