

### **1: Student A, Year 11 leaver 2017. Started at Priory in Year 7. PPI due to being Free School Meals.**

Issues – anxiety, confidence

Strategies employed using PPI funding – Weekly counselling sessions, regular pastoral support, aspirational visit to university, revision guides.

#### **Impact**

Attainment- Student A completed her secondary education at the Priory. This student gained a place at Shrewsbury Sixth Form College to take 3 A levels.

Student A gained 9 GCSEs at grade 4 or C or above, including maths and English.

### **2: Student B Year 11 leaver 2017 Started at Priory in Year 7. PPI due to being Ever 6.**

Issues – attendance

Strategies employed using PPI funding – Weekly counselling, school nurse input, 1 to 1 support from Pupil Premium Mentor, revision guides, weekend revision sessions.

#### **Impact**

Attendance increased from 52% in 2015/16 to 83% in 2016-17. Completed secondary education at the Priory.

Attainment – Gained a place at Shrewsbury College on a level 2 BTEC, achieved 4 GCSEs at grade C or 4 or above.

### **3: Student C, Year 11 leavers 2017. Started at Priory in Year 9. PPI due to LAC.**

Issues- attainment due to confidence.

Strategies employed using PPI funding – Pastoral support, weekly maths 1 to 1 tuition with external tutor.

#### **Impact**

Gained 9 GCSE's at grade C or Level 4 above. Has taken up a level 3 BTEC place at Shrewsbury College and hopes to work with children.

## **Pupil Premium Activities**

There are a wide range of activities and opportunities for pupil premium students. These range from specific educational visits to one to one academic tuition and emotional and pastoral support. We have a dedicated pupil premium team in school who work hard to ensure this group of students is not disadvantaged and achieve their maximum potential both academically and personally. Some of the events organised in 2016-17 are listed below:

1: Breakfast club was held every Tuesday and Friday in the school dining room from 8am. A free hot breakfast was on offer for all Pupil Premium students and also members of the Pupil Premium team were also in attendance.

2: The pupil premium team organised taster days to Shrewsbury College and Walford College for students from Year 9.

3: French cafe visit for Year 9 and 10.

4: The Pupil Premium mentor met with every pupil premium student and completed an individual student support plan.

5: Circuits held on Tuesday and Fridays before school. The circuits are open to all students, but pupil premium students have been actively encouraged to attend.

6: Trained counsellor in school two days a week. Priority was given to pupil premium students.

