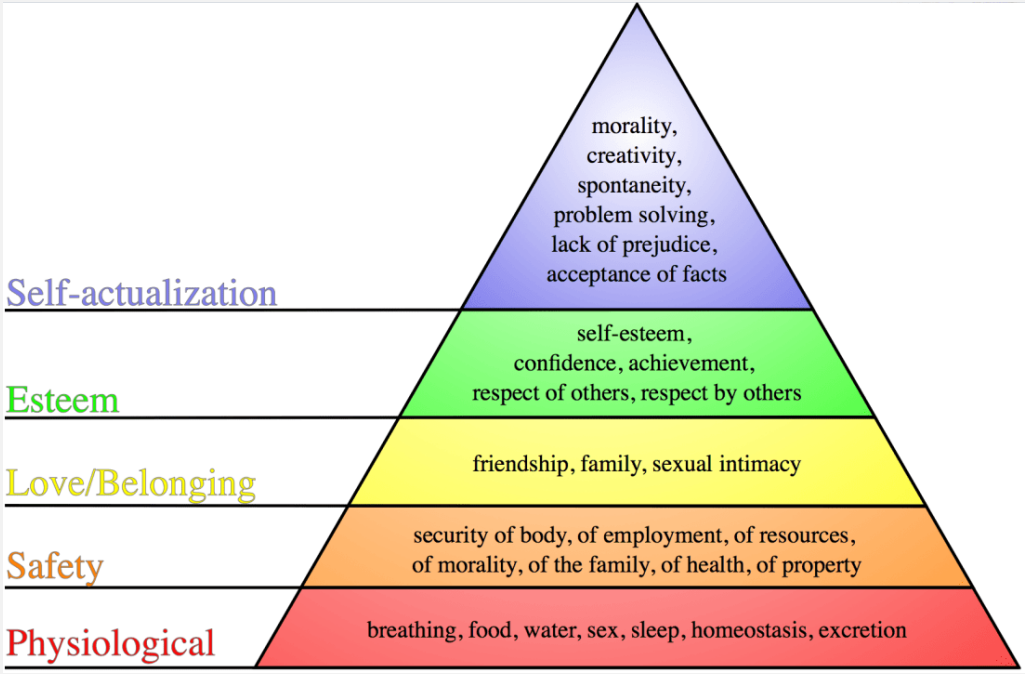




(Digital.com 2019)



SOCIAL INCLUSION

The term 'social exclusion' has been widely used by social policy makers to describe new and complex patterns of poverty and disadvantage which have emerged in post-industrial Britain.

(Adamson, 2009)

SOCIAL INCLUSION AND THE PUPIL DEVELOPMENT GRANT

PUPIL DEVELOPMENT GRANT



The **Pupil Deprivation Grant (PDG)** is allocated to schools with **pupils** who come from low-income families and are currently known to be eligible for free school meals (eFSM) and **pupils** who have been looked after continuously for more than six months (LAC).

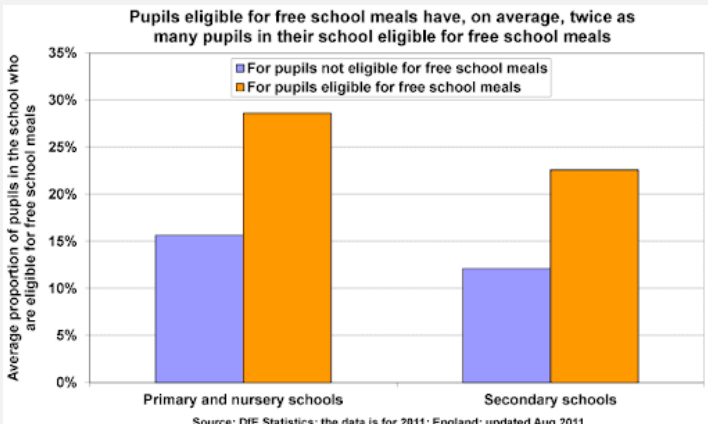
(Rhayader Powys School, 2019)



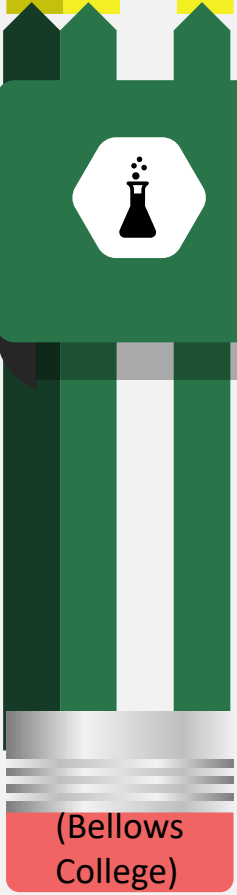
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Children in Wales have free school meals

(Childrens Society, 2011)



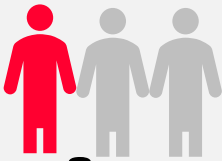
(Povert.org.uk)



How effective is the PDG?

- Increases attendance and educational attainment
- Helps form social bonds
- Provides safe and nurturing school life
- Helps children and parents form better bonds and become better citizens
- Promotes independence and structure

(Bellows College)



1 in 3

Children in Wales are living in poverty

(Poverty.ac.uk)

INTERVENTIONS

- ACE
- RBP (Relationship Based Play)
- Nurture
- Playgroups
- Breakfast club

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