

## Financial Benchmarking and Insights Tool

# Pakeman Primary School Spending for this school

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This school's data covers the financial year April 2024 to March 2025 consistent financial reporting return (CFR).

[We've chosen 2 sets of similar schools \(/school/100418/comparators\)](/school/100418/comparators) to benchmark this school's spending against.

[Create or save your own set of schools to benchmark against \(/school/100418/comparators/create\)](/school/100418/comparators/create)

[Change the data for this school \(/school/100418/custom-data\)](/school/100418/custom-data)

## Cost categories

This shows where spending is different to similar schools.

[View more details on cost categories \(opens in new tab\)](https://financial-benchmarking-and-insights-tool.education.gov.uk/guidance/cost-categories)  
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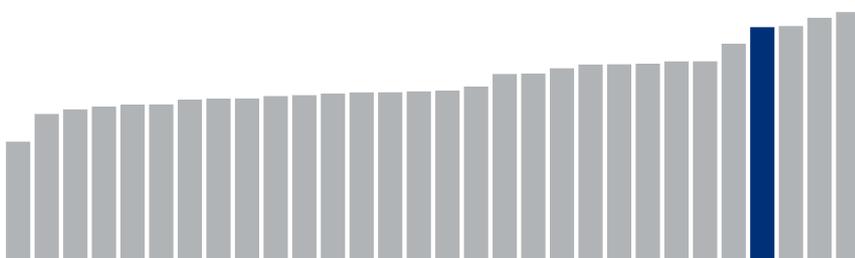
## Teaching and Teaching support staff

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E01 E02 E26 E03 E27

High Spending is higher than **90%** of similar schools.



### Find ways to spend less

[Supply teachers and temporary staffing](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/supply-teachers)  
(<https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/supply-teachers>)

[Temporary and permanent staffing](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/temporary-and-permanent-staffing)  
(<https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/temporary-and-permanent-staffing>)

This school spends  
**£7,550**  
per pupil

Similar schools spend  
**£5,473**  
per pupil, on average

This school spends  
**£2,077** (37.9%)  
**more** per pupil

[View all teaching and teaching support staff costs \(/school/100418/comparison#teaching-and-teaching-support-staff\)](#). This includes teaching staff, supply teaching staff, agency supply teaching staff, education support staff and educational consultancy.

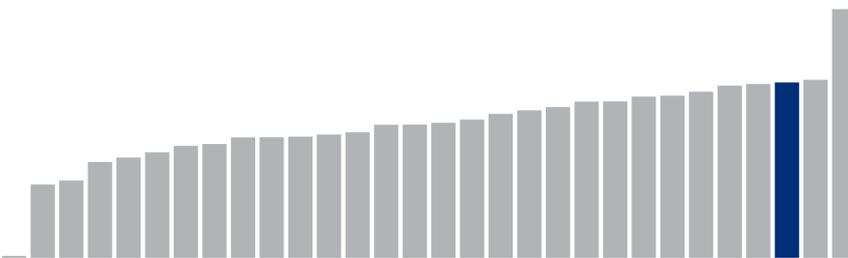
## Catering staff and supplies

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E06 E25

High Spending is higher than **93.3%** of similar schools.



### Find ways to spend less

[Catering services \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/outsourced-catering\)](#)

[Commercial catering equipment \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/commercial-catering-equipment\)](#)

[Facilities management and workplace services \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/fm-workplace-dps\)](#)

[Food and drink - dynamic purchasing system \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/food-and-drink-dynamic-purchasing-system-dps\)](#)

[Food and drink - framework \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/food-and-drink-framework\)](#)

[Grocery, fresh, chilled and frozen foods \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/grocery-fresh-chilled-and-frozen-foods\)](#)

[Light commercial catering equipment \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/light-commercial-catering-equipment\)](#)

This school spends **£505** per pupil

Similar schools spend **£386** per pupil, on average

This school spends **£120** (31.0%) more per pupil

[View all catering staff and supplies costs \(/school/100418/comparison#catering-staff-and-supplies\)](#). This includes catering staff and catering supplies.

[tions/light-commercial-catering-equipment](#)

[Outsourced catering services \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/outsourced-catering-cpc\)](#)

[Sandwiches and food to go \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/sandwiches-and-food-to-go\)](#)

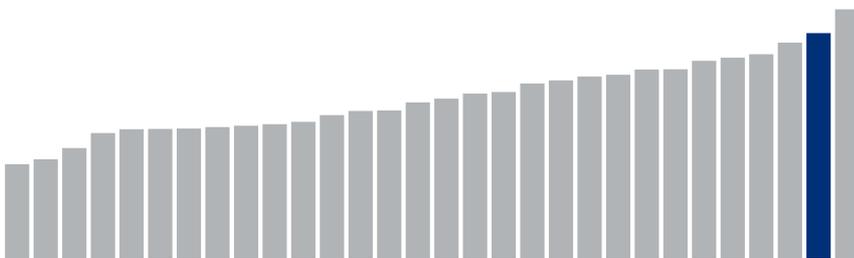
## Utilities

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High Spending is higher than **96.7%** of similar schools.



### Find ways to spend less

[Debt resolution services \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/debt-resolution-services\)](#)

[Education decarbonisation \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/education-decarbonisation\)](#)

[Electricity \(for supply during 2024-2028\) \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/electricity-espo\)](#)

[Energy cost recovery services for schools \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/energy-cost-recovery-services\)](#)

[Fixed and flexible electricity \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/fixed-and-flexible-electricity\)](#)

[Fixed and flexible gas \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/fixed-and-flexible-gas\)](#)

This school spends **£30** per square metre

Similar schools spend **£21** per square metre, on average

This school spends **£9** (43.2%) **more** per square metre

[View all utilities costs \(/school/100418/comparison#utilities\).](#) This includes energy and water and sewerage.

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## Educational supplies

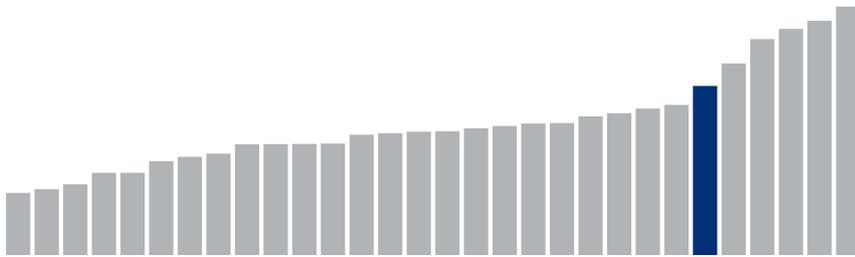
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E21 E19

High

Spending is higher than **83.3%** of similar schools.

**Find ways to spend less**



This school spends **£336** per pupil

Similar schools spend **£245** per pupil, on average

This school spends **£91** (37.2%) **more** per pupil

- [Musical instruments, equipment and technology \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/musical-instruments-equipment-and-technology\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/musical-instruments-equipment-and-technology)
- [Print books \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/print-books\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/print-books)

[View all educational supplies costs \(/school/100418/comparison#educational-supplies\)](/school/100418/comparison#educational-supplies). This includes examination fees and learning resources (not ICT equipment).

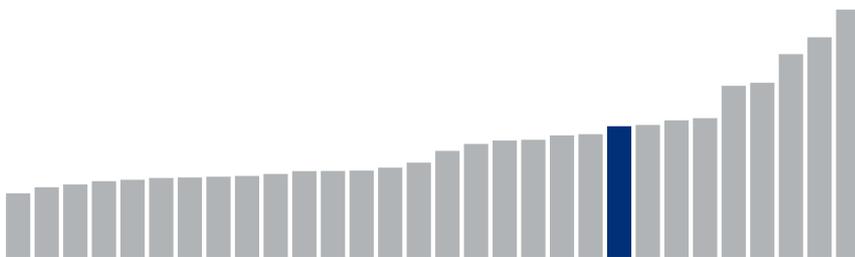
**Non-educational support staff**

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E05 E07 E28a

Medium Spending is higher than **73.3%** of similar schools.



This school spends **£820** per pupil

Similar schools spend **£628** per pupil, on average

This school spends **£192** (30.5%) **more** per pupil

**Find ways to spend less**

- [Audit and financial services \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/audit-and-financial-services\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/audit-and-financial-services)
- [HR, payroll and employee screening services \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/hr-payroll-and-employee-screening\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/hr-payroll-and-employee-screening)
- [Specialist professional services \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/specialist-professional-services\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/specialist-professional-services)

[View all non-educational support staff and services costs \(/school/100418/comparison#non-educational-support-staff-and-services\)](/school/100418/comparison#non-educational-support-staff-and-services). This includes administrative and clerical staff, auditor costs, other staff and professional services (non-curriculum).

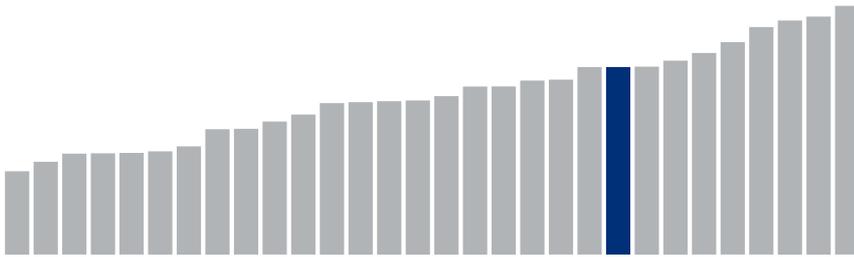
**Premises staff and services**

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E14 E12 E18 E04

Medium Spending is higher than **73.3%** of similar schools.



This school spends **£65** per square metre

Similar schools spend **£54** per square metre, on average

This school spends **£11** (20.2%) more per square metre

[View all premises staff and services costs \(/school/100418/comparison#premises-staff-and-services\)](#). This includes cleaning and caretaking, maintenance of premises, other occupation costs and premises staff.

**Find ways to spend less**

[Air cleaning units for education and childcare settings \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/air-cleaning\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/air-cleaning)

[Building cleaning \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/building-cleaning\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/building-cleaning)

[Building in use - support services \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/fm-support-service\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/fm-support-service)

[Cleaning services \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/cleaning-services\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/cleaning-services)

[Estates and facilities professional services \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/estates-and-facilities-professional-services\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/estates-and-facilities-professional-services)

[Facilities management and workplace services \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/fm-workplace-dps\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/fm-workplace-dps)

[Internal fit-out and maintenance \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/internal-fit-out-and-maintenance\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/internal-fit-out-and-maintenance)

[LED Lighting \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/led-lights\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/led-lights)

[Total cleaning service solutions \(https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/total-cleaning-service-solutions\)](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/total-cleaning-service-solutions)

# Educational ICT

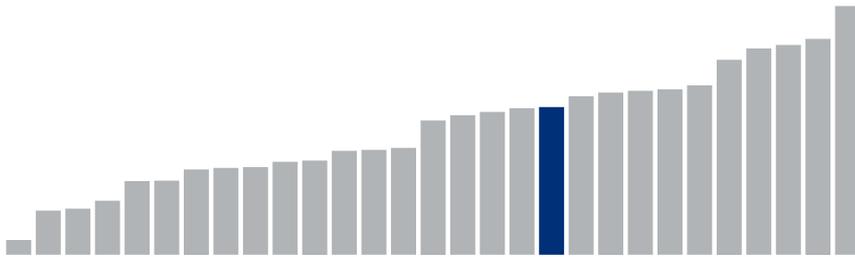
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Medium Spending is higher than **65.5%** of similar schools.

**!** Only displaying schools with positive expenditure.



This school spends **£119** per pupil

Similar schools spend **£108** per pupil, on average

This school spends **£11** (10.1%) **more** per pupil

[View all educational ICT costs \(/school/100418/comparison#educational-ict\)](#). This includes ICT learning resources.

## Find ways to spend less

[Audio Visual Solutions](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/audio-visual-solutions) (https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/audio-visual-solutions)

[Everything ICT](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/ict-procurement) (https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/ict-procurement)

[G-Cloud 14](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/g-cloud) (https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/g-cloud)

[IT Hardware](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/it-hardware) (https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/it-hardware)

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[Multifunctional devices, print and digital workflow software services and managed print service provision](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/printing-services) (https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/printing-services)

[Plan technology for your school](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/plan-technology-for-your-school) (https://www.gov.uk/guidance/plan-technology-for-your-school)

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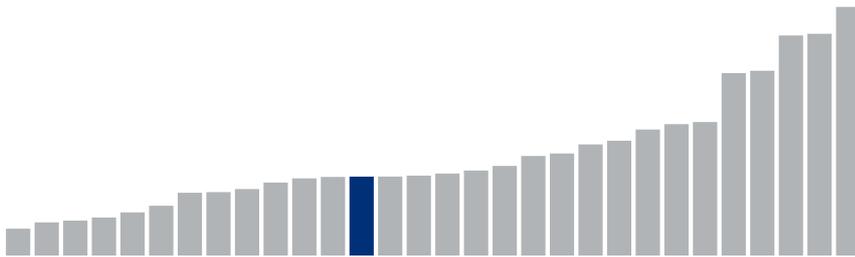
## Administrative supplies

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E22 E20D

Medium Spending is higher than **43.3%** of similar schools.



This school spends  
**£58**  
per pupil

Similar schools spend  
**£60**  
per pupil, on average

This school spends  
**£2** (2.6%)  
**less** per pupil

[View all administrative supplies costs \(/school/100418/comparison#administrative-supplies\)](#). This includes administrative supplies (non-educational).

### Find ways to spend less

[Cloud services, AI, data centre management and transformation solutions](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/cloud-services-ai-data-centre-management-and-transformation-solutions)  
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[Communications solutions and associated telephony services](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/communications-telephony)  
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[Cyber security services 3](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/cyber-security-services)  
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[Electronic catering management and payment solutions](https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/electronic-catering)  
(<https://get-help-buying-for-schools.education.gov.uk/solutions/electronic-catering>)

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