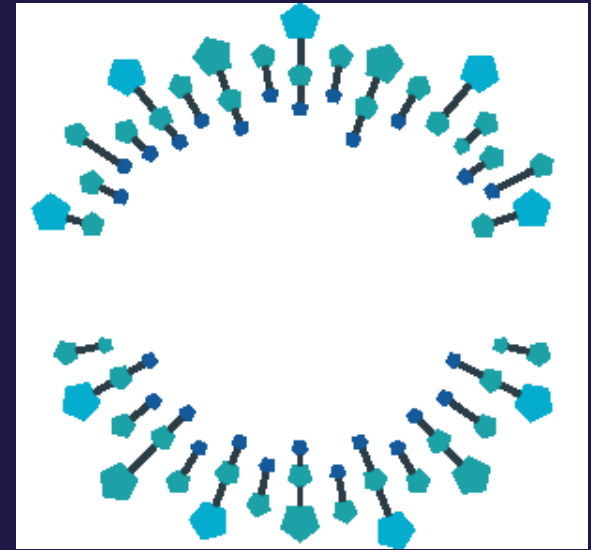


School Cuts

A case study in how a campaign can empower members and build alliances

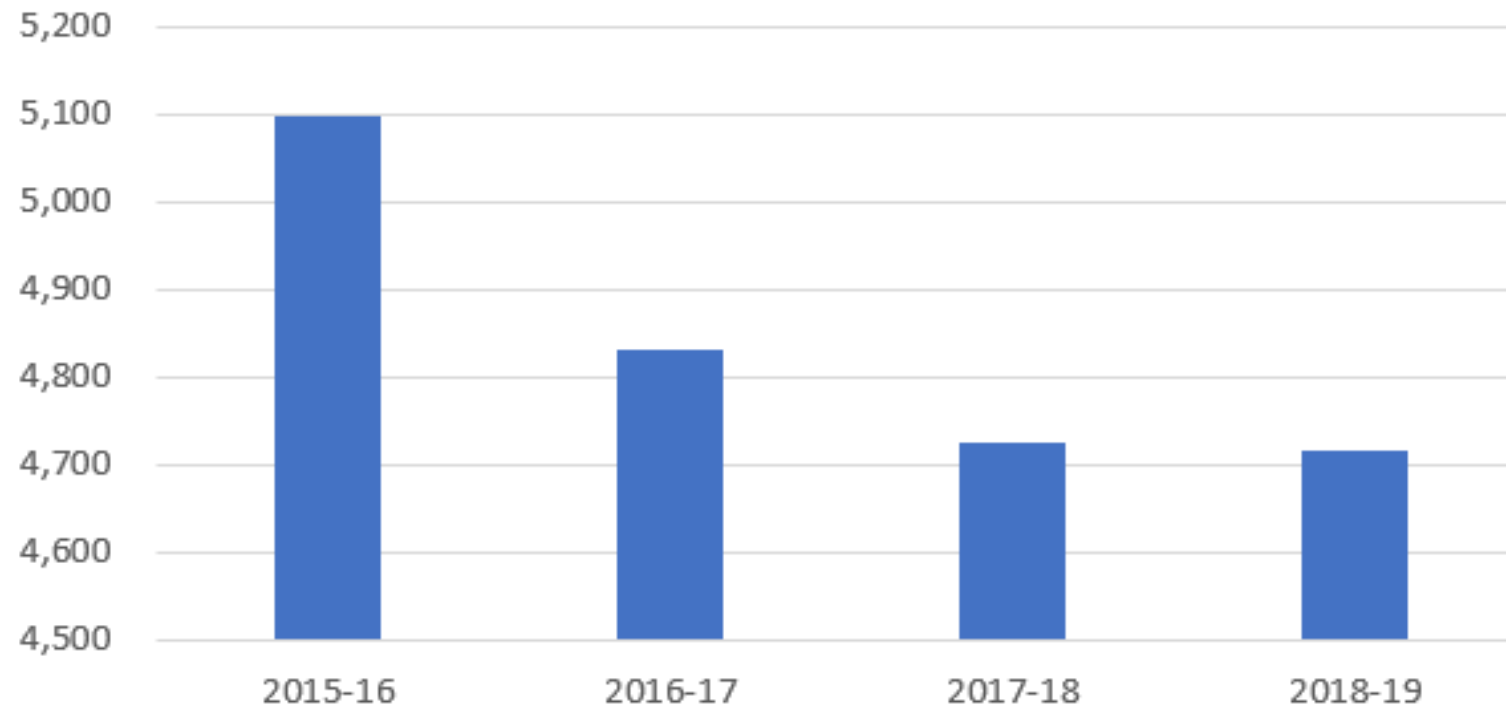
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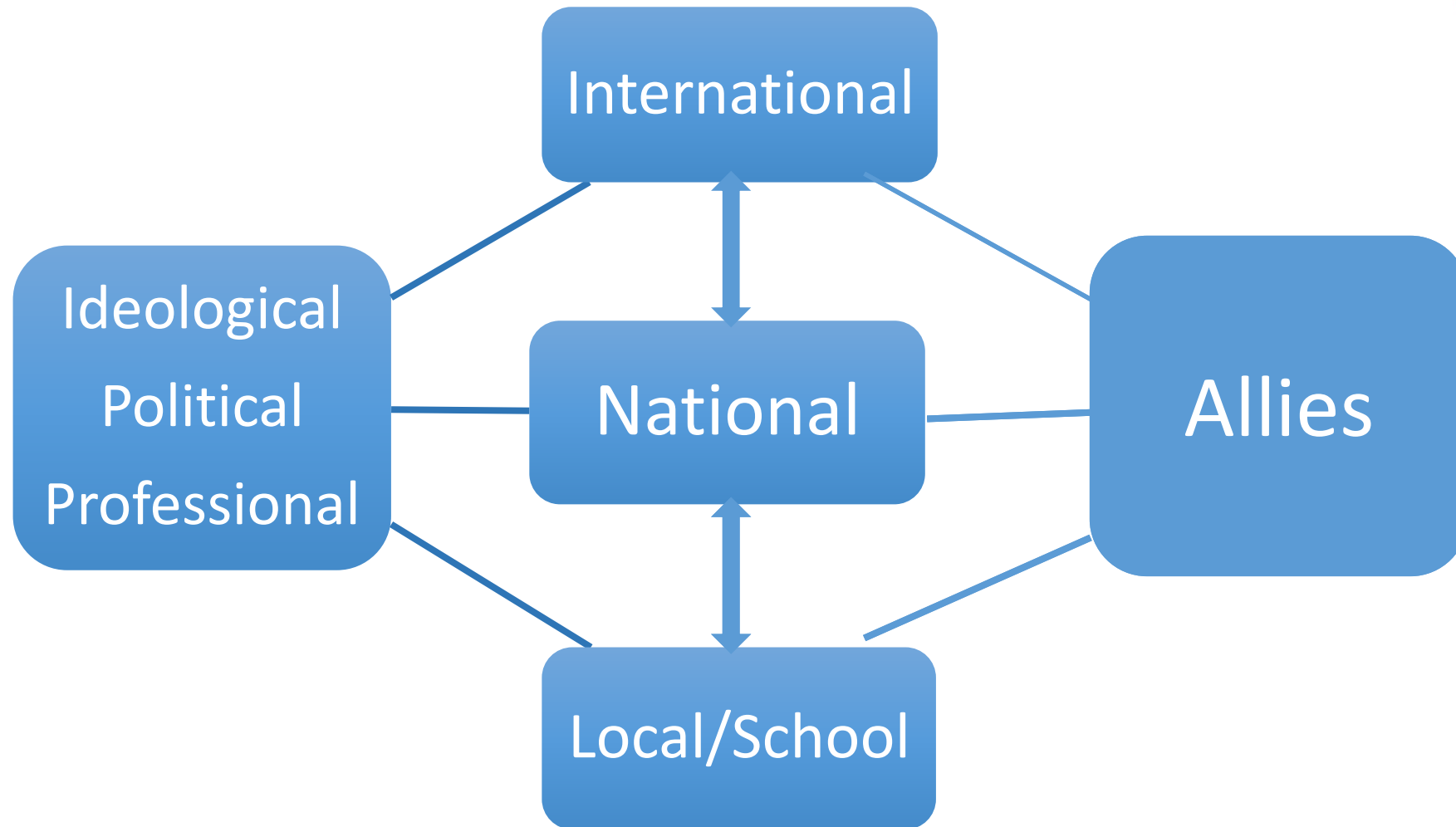
The problem: funding crisis



Spend per pupil
(2018-19 prices)



The context: campaign framework



The context: building strength in a fragmented environment



Circa 10,000 schools in England
are outside of Local Authority control in Academies

What we did: highlighting the cuts



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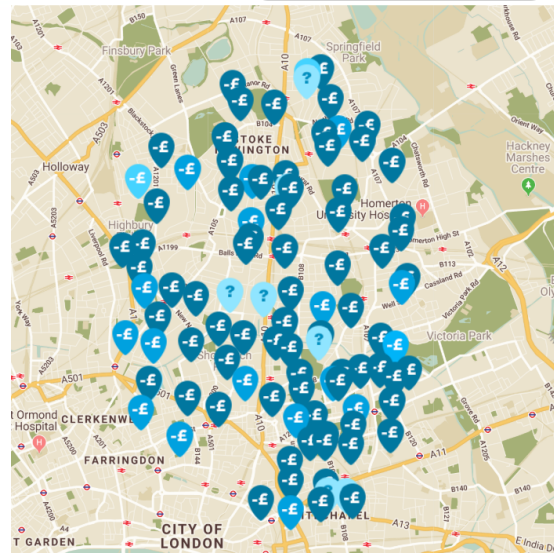
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Ambler Primary School and Children's Centre

Class sizes are above average

-£664,094 Lost out on between 2015 & 2019

-£861 Per-pupil loss

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Impact in ISLINGTON

51 of 54 schools have suffered cuts to per pupil funding.

-£16.5M Lost out on between 2015 & 2019

-£281 Per-pupil loss

What we did: speaking through members' experiences



"We're having to cut our provision to the point where it will cease to be a decent education... Most children won't get the support they need."

Andrew Mellor, Headteacher,
St Nicholas' CofE Primary School,
Blackpool



What we did: empowering members and communities



Outcomes



Impact



Extra £1.3bn in funding for schools announced by Justine Greening

The Education Secretary says the Government has recognised voters' concerns during the election over the funding levels.

By Alan McGuinness, Political Reporter

🕒 Monday 17 July 2017 18:15, UK



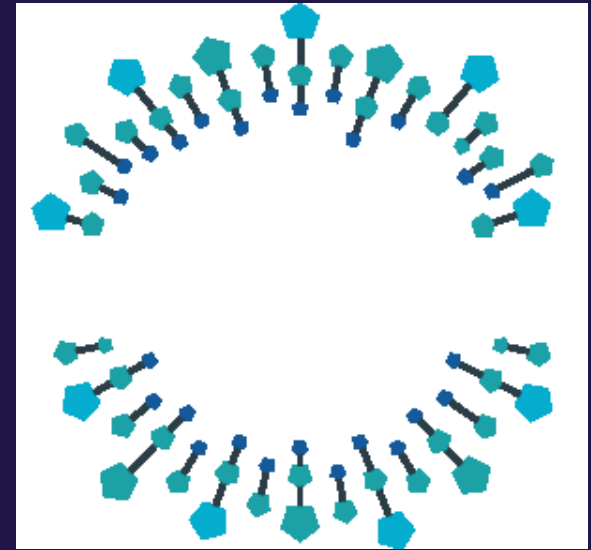
“ Schools will have to look at reorganising, whether that means creating federations or possibly closing. **That will not meet the needs of families and children in Cheshire East.**”

Esther McVey, MP for Tatton, 13 February 2019



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