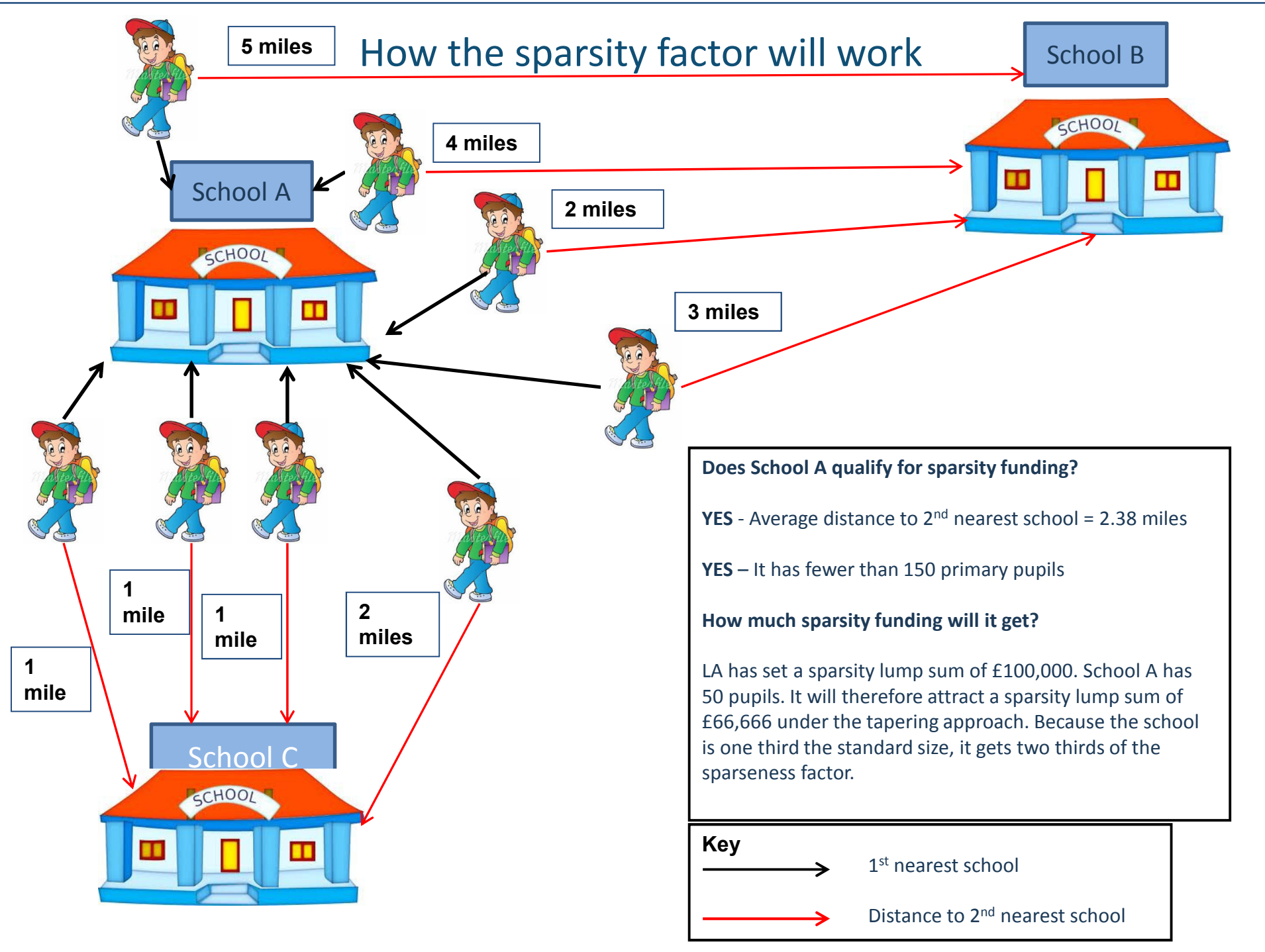


How the sparsity factor will work



Does School A qualify for sparsity funding?

YES - Average distance to 2nd nearest school = 2.38 miles

YES – It has fewer than 150 primary pupils

How much sparsity funding will it get?

LA has set a sparsity lump sum of £100,000. School A has 50 pupils. It will therefore attract a sparsity lump sum of £66,666 under the tapering approach. Because the school is one third the standard size, it gets two thirds of the sparseness factor.

Key

→ 1st nearest school

→ Distance to 2nd nearest school

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