

PEARSON PLC
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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER

PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER

THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of January 2018

PEARSON plc

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

N/A

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

80 Strand

London, England WC2R 0RL

44-20-7010-2000

(Address of principal executive office)

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Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Yes No X

Transactions in own shares

Pearson plc (the Company) announces today it has purchased the following number of its ordinary shares of 25 pence each on the London Stock Exchange from J.P. Morgan Securities plc.

Date of purchase: 29 January 2018

Aggregate number of ordinary shares of 25 pence each purchased: 575,509

Lowest price paid per share (GBp) 689.4000

Highest price paid per share (GBp) 696.2000

Average price paid per share (GBp) 692.0751

The Company will cancel the purchased shares.

These share purchases form part of the Company's existing buy-back programme which is expected to be completed over the period from 18 October 2017 to 26 April 2018, details of which were announced on 17 October 2017.

The table below contains detailed information of the individual trades made by J.P. Morgan Securities plc as part of the buyback programme.

Schedule of Purchases

Shares purchased: Pearson plc (ISIN: GB0006776081)

Date of purchases: 29 January 2018

Investment firm: J.P. Morgan Securities plc

Aggregate information:

Venue	Volume-weighted average price (GBp)	Aggregated volume	Lowest price per share (GBp)	Highest price per share (GBp)
	692.0751	575,509	689.4000	696.2000

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London Stock
Exchange

Individual transactions

Transaction Date and Time	Volume	Price (GBP)	Trading Venue	Transaction Reference Number
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