

PEARSON PLC
Form 6-K
January 12, 2018

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)

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant files or will file annual reports
under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

Form 20-F X

Form 40-F

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant by furnishing the information
contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the
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 Citigroup Global Markets Limited.

Date of purchase:	12 January 2018
Aggregate number of ordinary shares of 25 pence each purchased:	223,331
Lowest price paid per share (GBP):	718.6000
Highest price paid per share (GBP):	726.2000
Average price paid per share (GBP):	724.1132

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 Citigroup Global Markets Limited as part of the buyback programme.

Schedule of Purchases

Shares purchased:	Pearson plc (ISIN: GB0006776081)
Date of purchases:	12 January 2018
Investment firm:	Citigroup Global Markets Limited

Aggregate information:

Venue	Average price paid per Share	Aggregate number of Shares purchased	Lowest price paid per Share	Highest price paid per Share
London Stock Exchange	724.1190	74,292	718.8000	726.2000
Chi-x Europe	724.1211	89,363	718.6000	726.2000
BATS Europe	724.0942	59,676	718.8000	726.2000

Individual transactions:

Transaction date and time	Volume	Price (GBP)	Trading Venue	Transaction Reference Number
Fri 12 Jan 16:29:26 BST 2018	550	724.00	XLON	18012XJpfb
Fri 12 Jan 16:27:53 BST 2018	58	723.00	BATE	18012XJpf0i
Fri 12 Jan 16:27:49 BST 2018	77	723.00	CHIX	18012XJpf0d
Fri 12 Jan 16:25:54 BST 2018	52	722.80	BATE	18012XJpept

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Fri 12 Jan 16:24:37 BST 2018	194	722.00	BATE	18012XJpei5
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Fri 12 Jan 16:23:06 BST 2018	371	723.20	BATE	18012XJpe6r
Fri 12 Jan 16:23:06 BST 2018	74	723.20	CHIX	18012XJpe6o
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