

Year 7 Literacy and Numeracy Catch-up Premium

Background

The Year 7 catch up premium is additional funding for pupils who have left primary school without achieving the expected level in either literacy or mathematics. This funding is to enable school to provide catch up and intervention strategies to accelerate progress and ensure that these pupils reach their expected levels for their age group in English and maths.

Catch up Literacy and Numeracy 2017-18

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| Total number of pupils eligible | 140 |
| Total amount of funding received | £15,701 |
| Total Academy contribution of additional funds | £6,358.48 |

Achievement 2016-17

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| English end of year assessment (GCSE Prediction) | 75.2% at 4+ and 51.8% at 5+ |
| Maths end of year assessment (GCSE Prediction) | 80.3% at 4+ and 57.7% at 5+ |

Record of Catch Up Grant spending by item/project 2017/18

| Item/Project | Cost | Outcome |
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| SpLD intervention | £2,574.88 | The SpLD intervention programme had a positive impact with 71% of students making significant progress with some going from 'Well below average' to 'Above average'. Two students caught up so quickly that they were able to re-join their normal timetabled lessons after January. |
| The Lit Programme | £2,408.24 | The Lit programme also had pleasing results with 100% of students making significant progress with many of them going from 'Below Average' to 'Above Average' in both single word reading and reading comprehension. |
| Fresh Start Phonics | £11,967.72 | Students in the Fresh Start English group, which was taught by the SENCO, improved their reading age on average by 6 months, with a combined group improvement of 115 months. 7 out of 16 students improved by more than 1 year. 2 out of 16 students improved by 2 years |

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| | | <p>or more. Overall 12 out of 16 students made significant progress.</p> <p>Students who accessed additional Fresh Start, in a small group led by the Nurture specialist, improved their reading age on average by 6 months.</p> |
| Accelerated Reader | Cost across all years. | STAR reading tests to be conducted twice a year as a minimum to demonstrate progress between the start and end of year in addition to expected chronological progress. |
| Small group intervention for numeracy and Literacy (HTLA) | £4,874.64 | Access for weaker students to the curriculum. |
| Working Memory Training | £86.00 | |
| Dyslexia screening tests | £123.00 | |
| Specialist equipment such as pens and overlays | £25.00 | |
| DEAR | | Pupils gain at least 20 minutes a week extra reading in lesson time on top of planned English curriculum work. |