



Year 7 Literacy and Numeracy Catch-Up Premium 2019/20

The literacy and numeracy catch-up premium gives schools additional funding to support year 7 pupil who did not achieve at least level 4 in reading and/or maths at the end of key stage 2 (KS2). This amounts to £500 per pupil to whom it applies. The DfE decide to whom this applies and informs schools.

In 2019/20 the allocated funding was £14,113.

Strategy Statement

A statement outlining the academy's strategy for spending the Year 7 Catch up allocation is outlined in the table below.

Date of review: September 2020.



Year 7 Catch Up Statement 2019/20 and impact/evaluation

Identified Area	Rationale	Monitoring	Resources / Budget	Impact	RAG	Comments.
Specialist primary trained teacher of literacy and numeracy	To make rapid progress and support students in catching up with their peers through an 'accelerate' group in Year 7, with further support in Year 8. To improve access to the curriculum.	CLP data NGRT and Progress Tests End of term/year assessments	£10,130	Improvement in some students reading scores. Teacher Performance Indicators show a significant improvement in this group across the year.		The funding will not be continued in 2020/21. However, we will continue this strategy and use specialist teacher to train and collaboratively plan with colleagues.
Provision of Teaching Assistants for Y7 LATS (apprentice)	TAs will support students in accessing the curriculum.	Reviews of TAs	£3,805	Mixed – students in the accelerate group, where support is focused, show significant progress in the first term. Students are engaged across the curriculum.		CPD for teachers around use of TA.

GL Assessment Tests	Focused testing will ensure teachers have good information to identify intervention needs and track progress.	Report to governors on impact of using additional tests	£1,170	Was used effectively to identify students for literacy support but could have more impact if used more widely. CPD for SLT was effective but needs to be disseminated further.		Resource will continue (and is part subsidised by OAT) but additional CPD is needed on further understanding the data to impact on outcomes. Focus on fewer tests but with more use of data from these.
				£15,105		