

Year 7 Literacy and Numeracy Catch-up Premium

The Government has made a commitment to provide additional funding to schools for each Year 7 students who did not achieve the expected standard which is a score of at least 100 in the Key Stage 2 national curriculum tests in reading and/or mathematics. The purpose of this funding is to enable schools to deliver additional support, such as individual tuition or intensive support in small groups, for those students that most need it.

As a school we have chosen to use these funds to deliver additional support both through the school timetabled day and tailor made activities which are delivered as enrichment opportunities both in small groups and 121 to raise attainment and increase self- esteem.

The reading focus is being delivered during the school day through nationally recognised programmes. These are the STAR programme, First News and Fresh Start. The numeracy focus is being delivered through the nationally recognised programmes STAR Maths, Manga High, Maths Whizz, Building Blocks and Catch-up Numeracy.

It is hoped that by using this extra funding to provide additional support we will be able to quickly bring those students identified up to speed so that they are able to reach their full potential at school.

2015/16

Funding Stream	Amount
Year 7 Catch-up Pupil Premium Allocation	£13,000
Total Income	£13,000

2016/17

Funding Stream	Amount
Year 7 Catch-up Pupil Premium Allocation	£22,000 (TBC)
Total Income	£22,000

Impact Data for the Catch-Up cohort of Students 2015:

On average, in reading, 75% of the students who received Catch-Up Funding made progress.

In numeracy, students made (on average) more progress than the national average moving from 2b to a 3a/4c in 1 academic year.

Impact Data for the Catch-Up cohort of Students 2016:

In reading, 67% of the students who received Catch-Up Funding made progress.

In numeracy, 50% of the students will make at least expected progress and 33% above expected progress – higher than the national figures.