



## **Catch-Up Literacy and Numeracy Premium Review 2017-18**

### **Definition:**

Literacy and Numeracy Catch-up Premium. The literacy and numeracy catch-up premium provides schools with additional funding for Year 7 students who did not achieve the expected standard in reading and/or Mathematics at the end of Key Stage 2 (DfE, 2017).

**Entitlement:** £17,391 for 2017/2018

**Identification:** Students' KS2 raw marks and scaled scores were used.

### **How we spent the allocation of funding during 2017/2018**

Eligible students will have benefited from one or more of the following which have been fully or part-funded by the Catch-Up funding.

### **English**

- Specialist teaching Assistant – targeted and individual support
- Literacy resources and individual or small group support:
  - Toe-by- Toe Multi-Sensory programme and Accelerated Reader Programme
  - Use of data to monitor and evaluate interventions – Reading comprehension / accuracy / spelling
- Study Support and mentoring
  - Emotional Literacy Support Assistant (ELSA)
  - Homework Club/Breakfast Club/Lunch Club/ Break Club
- Professional Development for staff
- Extended Year 6 Transition group – Every Friday 9 – 11am during June and July led by HLTA and SENDCO
- Accelerated Reader in English lessons
- Staff development and training on KS3 into KS4 Literacy and English curriculum
- Lexia intervention
- Smaller class sizes
- Disapplication from MFL
- TA support in class (where applicable)
- Additional information and support around transition
- Opportunity to visit Support Department (Time-Out card)

- Specialist KS2 – KS3 transition co-ordinator for English  
**Mathematics**
- Staff development and training on KS3 into KS4 Mathematics curriculum
- Small class sizes for Mathematics (14 students approx.)
- Specialist maths teachers
- Differentiated schemes of work to focus on mastery skills
- PIXL, Numicon and White Rose mastery resources available
- TA support in class, where appropriate
- TA (Pupil Premium) support where appropriate and one to one
- Opportunity for use of homework club
- Opportunity to use the Support Department (Time-Out card)
- Specialist KS2 – KS3 transition co-ordinator for maths

### Impact of funding

As is typical with children with reading and numeracy difficulties, progress initially appears slow but most will catch up during Year 8 as key elements fall into place.

	Sept 2017	February 2018	July 2018	Success rate %
English Reading: Number of students with KS 2 score of <94, (likely to gain a Grade 1/2 in GCSE English)	18	14	12	33
English GPVS: Number of students with KS 2 score of <94 (likely to gain a Grade 1/2 in GCSE English)	10	9	8	20
Maths: Number of students with KS 2 score of <94, likely to gain a Grade 1/2 in Maths	13	12	9	31

### How we plan to spend this year's allocation during 2018 -19

Allocations will be based on results from the national curriculum assessments at KS 2. Payments made to the school in February/March 2019

We intend to enhance the practices as 2017-18 but also introduce Y12/13 Reading Buddies and extra one to one TA support in maths during lunchtime tutor periods.