



Year 7 Catch – Up Funding Report 2016 – 2017

Review:

The Year 7 Catch-Up is additional funding for publicly funded schools in England to raise the attainment of pupils and close the gap between them and their peers.

The DFE offer the following guidance:

The literacy and numeracy catch-up premium gives state-funded schools, including special schools and alternative provision settings, additional funding to support year 7 pupils who did not achieve age related expectations in reading/writing or maths at the end of key stage 2 (KS2).

The Year 7 Catch-Up is allocated to schools for students who score below a standard score of 100 in their end of KS2 examinations in English, Maths or both.

Number of children who did not achieve at least a scaled score of 100 in English at Key Stage 2	48
Year 7 Catch Up Funding Pupil Allocation	£500
Total Year 7 Catch Up Funding Grant	£24,000

In Year 7 2016 we identified __ students with lower scores in either literacy or math's or both (around __ of the cohort). The threshold was identified using standardised scores from the primary information.

Interventions in 2016/17 included:

- Memory skills
- Writing
- Spelling
- Reading,
- Social skills
- Literacy
- Numeracy
- Registration time activities
- Homework club
- Contribution to an extra progress support assistant.

These strategies were allocated according to analysed need (SENCO coordinated).

Impact

During the summer term of 2017 we analysed the identified group's progress. In literacy (English), 72% identified for literacy have made expected or more than expected progress. Of this group, 20% made more than expected progress.

In Maths, 66% made expected or more than expected progress. Of this group, 1% made more than expected progress.

Allocation of funding 2016 – 2017 and approximate costs;

Strategy	Cost
Catch-up withdrawal groups in Maths	£3000
Catch-up withdrawal groups in English	£3000
Part Funding an extra Teaching Assistant (TA) for year 7 nurture group	£11000
SEN withdrawal groups for Writing/Spelling	£1000
SEN withdrawal groups for Reading	£1000
SEN withdrawal groups for Social Skills	£1000
Homework club	£300
Kindle Club	£500
Lexia	£2000
Positive Steps	£2000
Total	£24,800