

Catch up 7 Spend 2014/15

Catch Up 7 money was received for 30 students (English) and 20 students (Maths) in 2014/15. These students had not achieved level 4 in English and / or Maths by the end of Year 6. The money was spent on staffing and resources for catch up literacy and numeracy sessions throughout the year.

The progress made by the end of year 7 is shown below.

	Sub-levels of Progress (3 sub-levels = 1 whole level)									
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
English (number of students)	0	3	7	10	7	2	0	0	1	0
Maths (number of students)	1	5	10	3	1	0	0	0	0	0

In summary, 90% of students made expected progress in English and 66% made more than expected progress in English. In Maths, 70% of students made expected progress and 20% made more than expected progress by the end of year 7.

In Maths 80% were achieving a level 4 or above by the end of year 7, and in English 97% were achieving a level 4 or above.

In 2015/16 we will continue to provide additional literacy and numeracy lessons for students who enter below Level 4, and this is supplemented by the move to a mastery curriculum for Maths teaching at Key Stage 3.

Literacy and Numeracy Support for 2015-16

Literacy Support- identified pupils receive support in all aspects of literacy through specific lessons led by HLTAs and English teachers. They have personalised intervention, in some cases withdrawn from Modern Foreign Languages.

Peer Reading scheme – pupils learn to love reading from each other.

Vocabulary Intervention Programme – Addressing specific literacy issues and gaps in vocabulary linked to subject vocabulary.

Spelling Club – run pre-school, these sessions address specific issues around spelling, especially subject specific words, high frequency and commonly misspelt words for pupils with low spelling ages.

Homework/Organisation Club – this is run four nights a week with support from Learning Support staff with a focus on literacy and numeracy

Accelerated Reader - for all year 7 pupils to instil a love of reading as well as encourage and support reading both in school and at home.

Maths Club – identified pupils are invited to Registration sessions to work on basic Maths led by HLTA. (Higher Level Teaching and Learning Assistant)