

WICKERSLEY

SCHOOL & SPORTS COLLEGE

POLICIES

YEAR 7 CATCH UP FUNDING REPORT





Year 7 Catch-Up Premium Report

The Department for Education (DfE) provided additional funding for all students in Year 7 from 2012 onwards, who achieved below their age related expectations at the end of KS2. This additional funding is to be used by schools/academies to provide literacy and numeracy catch-up support for Year 7 students. It is designed to help students catch up as quickly as possible. The literacy and numeracy catch-up premium provides schools with an additional money for each year 7 pupil who did not achieve standard in reading and/or maths at the end of key stage 2.

This short report summarises how the previous year's funding was spent and how we intend to spend this year's funding. Most importantly, it provides information on the outcomes of the spending and the improvements made amongst our pupils.

Year 7 Catch-Up Premium 2018-1019	
Total number of pupils on roll:	344
Total number of pupils eligible for Year 7 Catch-Up Premium:	58
Total amount of Year 7 Catch-Up Premium received	£18941

Spending of the Year 7 Catch-Up Premium 2018 -2019
Objectives:
At Wickersley School the funding is being used to meet the following aims: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Support the attainment of these pupils ● Aid their progression into secondary school ● To raise attainment in reading age. ● To raise attainment in reading and writing. ● To raise attainment in Maths
Summary of spending:

Specifically, this has involved targeting individual literacy and numeracy needs through specialist led provisions provided in either 1:1 or small groups to support the development of a range of skills to achieve the aims above. To improve reading and writing, pupils were placed into Literacy Catch up lessons which were delivered by our English Faculty. The School has also invested in training for the delivery of Read, Write, Inc. As a result of this training, students were also targeted to participate in this scheme to drive up reading and writing comprehension skills. The funding has also been used to give students 1:1 support through Personalised Learning and also to offer LSA support in English and Maths lessons. Subject specific Learning Mentors were also placed into the English Faculty to offer specific intervention to Year 7 students. Additionally, Subject Specific Learning Mentors were placed into Maths lesson, which has enabled the delivery of the First Class Numeracy programme. All of these strategies have proved very successful with the students and they have had a positive impact on students' progress within Maths and English.

Funding Costs for the academic year 2018 -2019

Cost of Read Write Inc Programme for catch up pupils - £13,648
 Cost of Personalised learning for catch up pupils - £4,125
 Cost of Literacy for catch up pupils - £17,050
 Cost of First Class numeracy programme – £14,325
 Total costing - £49,148

Outcomes of 2018-2019 spending - English	
Pupils arriving in Year 7 below the expected standard	54
Pupils reaching their target by the end of the year	47
Pupils remaining below their target by the end of the year	6
How will we improve the attainment of those remaining below their target grade?	
<p>The majority of students have made excellent progress and 36 of them reached their end of year target. Out of the 6 students not on track 4 of them are still on track to reach a grade 4 or 5 by the end of year 11. The other 2 are currently on track to reach a grade 3 at the end of year 11 and still receiving 2 lesson of RWI intervention to help with their progress.</p> <p>31 of the 54 students are now on track to reach a grade 4 or above.</p>	

Outcomes of 2018-2019 spending – Maths	
Pupils arriving in Year 7 below the expected standard	48
Pupils reaching their target by the end of the year	32
Pupils remaining below their target by the end of the year	16
How will we improve the attainment of those remaining below their target grade?	
<p>The majority of students have made excellent progress this year. Of the 16 that have not reached their target 8 of them are on track to reach a grade 4 at the end of year 11. 12 of the students are only 1 sub grade off their target grade.</p>	

Use of the Year 7 Catch-Up Premium 2019 -20

Year 7 Catch-Up Premium 2019-20	
Total number of pupils on roll:	360
Total number of pupils eligible for Year 7 Catch-Up Premium:	82
Total amount of Year 7 Catch-Up Premium received	£19 000 (approx)

Planned Use of the Year 7 Catch-Up Premium 2019-20
<p>All students will be provided with similar targeted interventions as in previous years where appropriate, this will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literacy intervention • Read Write Inc Programme • First Class numeracy intervention • Personalised learning • Smaller classes with subject mentors to support