

Year 7 Literacy and Numeracy Catch Up Premium

Funding and Impact Statement 2018 – 19

Funding Allocation

The Year 7 Catch Up Premium helps schools to provide additional support in literacy and numeracy to Year 7 pupils who did not achieve the expected standard in reading and/or maths at the end of Key Stage 2. The funding for 2018 -19 has been based on the funding received in 2017-18 and adjusted to reflect the percentage change in the size of the school's Year 7 cohort, based on the October 2018 census. The Education and Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) pays catch-up funding directly to academies on 1st March 2019.

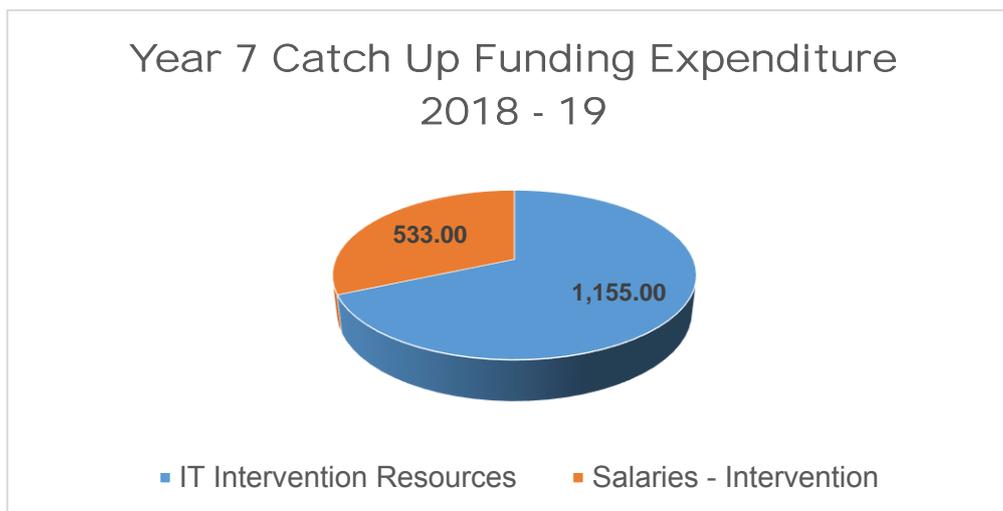
2018 – 2019
Allocation £

1,688

Planned Expenditure

To supplement group and individual interventions with required resources.

Actual Expenditure



Impact Statement

Key Stage 2 data no longer uses National Curriculum levels. We therefore identified the students who were significantly below the expected standard of 100 (Standardised score) in reading, writing and maths at the end of Key Stage 2. The Year 7 pupils identified had individualised intervention programmes provided on a 1:1 basis by specific learning mentors. Progress throughout the year was tracked and monitored closely and interventions altered and adapted accordingly to have the maximum impact for each student. Learning mentors used a range on intervention resources to support literacy and numeracy including Accelerated Reader, Clicker 7, Read Write Inc., Accelerated Maths and My Maths. Learning mentors also supported these pupils in class to ensure quality first teaching experiences.

At the end of the academic year, 89% of Year 7 pupils were on track or had exceeding progress in reading, writing and maths. In reading, all 89% had made exceeding progress meaning that they are closing the gap on age expected goals. In writing 33% had made exceeding progress and in Maths 44% were exceeding.