



The Priory School
Educating Students for Success in Life

Year 7 Literacy and Numeracy Catch-Up Premium Summary Statement 2019 - 2020

Background information

The literacy and numeracy catch-up premium gives schools additional funding to support Year 7 students who did not achieve at least a scaled score above 90 in reading or mathematics at the end of Key Stage 2 (Y6). Where possible the school will always look to add additional resources and funding to support this cohort of students in addition to the catch-up premium.

Funding allocation

Financial Year	Amount Received
2018 - 2019	£18,241
2019 - 2020	£17,809

Interventions 2019/20

Intervention	Cost	Duration	Overview of intervention used
A TA dedicated to working in maths	£13 500	12 months	Additional support is provided to the 2 equivalent lower ability sets. Learning support assistants work with classroom teachers to ensure progress, support and effective differentiation.
Access to learning practice across the school	£2000 (one hour per week)	12 months	Our SEND and literacy/numeracy team ensures that all teachers are provided with information and support to build access to learning provision maps covering all Year 7 classes. This development supports teachers in their practice and planning, improving differentiation for students with low literacy and numeracy levels. Additional support is provided to teachers through a regular numeracy and literacy briefing which supports teaching practice across the curriculum.
Small group tuition Numeracy and literacy – MFL withdrawal	£12 000	KS3	Students are withdrawn from MFL lessons for the duration of KS3.
Literacy intervention - LEXIA	£1000	12 months	A dedicated member of the SEND team works with all Year 7 students with English below L4 as part of their role. All students have at least an hour a week across the whole academic year. Progress is tracked at 3 points during the year and support differentiated accordingly.
LASS testing to identify literacy areas of concern	£750	Annual test	LASS is used to inform staff of the appropriate interventions for students to improve their literacy. It identifies which aspect of their learning they need support with.

Lexonic (was Sound training)	£3000	10 weeks per group	The programme aims to improve the reading age of students and improve literacy across the whole curriculum.
Maths Intervention	£1600	50 mins per week	Morning registration activity focusing on basic maths skills, e.g. times tables, fractions, decimals.
123 Maths	£375	50 mins per week	Morning registration activity focusing on basic maths skills. This is an online programme that is supported by 2 learning mentors that work with students on specific areas of concern when they are flagged up. (This happens after 3 failed attempts.)
Read and Write Software Purchased	£1500	Ongoing	Uses a E reader and learning toolkit to give literacy support.
Lucid Extract	£1000		A comprehension booster programme.

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