Year 7 Literacy and Numeracy Catch Up Premium Plan 2017-18

The literacy and numeracy catch up premium gives schools additional funding to support year 7 students who did not achieve the expected level (score of 100) in reading and/or maths at the end of key stage 2 (KS2). Hellesdon High School receives approx £24,000 to support these students. We run several programmes to support these students based on their individual needs.

Catch up premium students at Hellesdon High School

Group	All Y7 students	Below 100 in	Below 100 in	Below 100 in
		Reading and Maths	Reading	Maths
Students	250	50	60	58
Male	135	25	29	29
Female	115	25	31	29
SEND	26	16	20	12

Catch up premium grant allocation for 2016-2017

Approx £21,000

OUTCOME 1	To ensure students reach progress target in English and Maths by the end of Y7	
Strategy 1.1	Small group Tuition	
Description	Students are given additional small group support in English and Maths to support their basic numeracy and literacy skills. Students identified as working below expected levels in KS2 are tutored on specific skills. Programmes used include Word Shark, paired reading and Maths Whizz, these programmes are part funded from Y7 catch up funding.	
Rationale	Evidence from EEF indicates that students tutored in small groups can make up to four months progress compared with larger groups.	
Success Criteria	Improvement in level/grade and reading/numeracy age	

Strategy 1.2	Reading Comprehension	
Description	Access Reading assessment and Numeracy assessment purchased to ensure accurate tracking of progress. Accelerated Reader programme funded. Y7 book boxes purchased to encourage low ability readers to read during tutor time.	
Rationale	Evidence from EEF indicates that reading comprehension approaches improve learning by an additional 5 months progress across an academic year. These approaches seem to be particularly effective for older readers (aged 8 or above) who are not making progress.	
Success Criteria	Improvement in reading age	

Strategy 1.3	LSA Support
Description	Additional LSA time in Maths and English to provide support for students who have achieved below scores of 90 for Maths at KS2. 1 st for Number programme used.
Rationale	These students need intensive support to access the Maths curriculum.
Success Criteria	Improvement in level/grade