

## Year 7 English & Mathematics Catch-up Plan for 2016/17

Catch-up funding is available for students not meeting the 'expected standard' scaled score of 100 in reading and/or maths. For the academic year 2016/17 schools will receive the same level of funding as they did for 2015/16, adjusted for the size of the cohort<sup>1</sup>. Previously an additional £500 was provided for each student in Year 7 who did not achieve at least level 4 in reading and/or maths at the end of KS2. It should be noted that in 2016, the new more challenging national curriculum was assessed by new tests and interim frameworks for teacher assessment. As a result of these changes, figures for 2016 are not comparable to those for earlier years. The expectations for pupils at the end of key stage 2 have been raised and as such, the percentage of pupils who have not met the expected standard in English and / or maths is much higher in 2016.

### Funding

Academic Year	NOR	Number of students	Total funding	Funding per student
2015/16 actual	241	19 (8% of cohort)	£9,500.00	<b>£500.00</b>
2016/17 estimate	240	76 (32% of cohort)	£9,460.60	<b>£124.48</b>

### Planned intervention

#### English

- Quality first teaching for all.
- Support activities on Frog.
- Hi-Lo reading books purchase.
- One-to-one intervention and drop-in support in timetabled lessons.
- KS3 grammar/reading textbooks purchased and used with students.

#### Mathematics

- Quality first teaching for all.
- 'Digit by Digit' mentoring by Year 10 students.
- 1:1 staff intervention during timetabled lessons.
- Lunch time club aimed at catch-up students and also open to any year 7 students who would benefit from practising maths in a different way. Staffed by practitioners who have a particular strength with Year 7 using engaging, fun maths ideas.

<sup>1</sup> <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/year-7-literacy-and-numeracy-catch-up-premium-guide-for-schools>