

# Year 7 Catch Up Premium at Furze Platt Senior School

'High profile, high expectations, no excuses'

## Year 7 Catch Up Premium:

The catch up premium is additional funding given to the school to support Year 7 students who did not achieve the expected standard in any one of the three key stage 2 tests (Mathematics, Reading, Grammar, punctuation and spelling).

## Year 7 Catch Up Premium Planned Expenditure 2019-20

This year 79 students started Furze Platt Senior School not meeting the expected progress from Key Stage 2 in Numeracy and Literacy. The money provided to the school for the support of Catch Up Premium students has been allocated in the following ways for this academic year:

<b>Additional staffing hours in Mathematics and English to support small group, 1:1 and in class intervention work</b> (Specialist intervention workers). Time split between Catch Up Premium and Pupil Premium	£14,640
<b>Literacy catch-up support</b> Targeted reading intervention provided through ABC charity. ABC charity will be explored to hire in small group intervention services.	£360
<b>Total</b>	£15,000

## Literacy Catch Up Premium Year 7 - Number of students and strategies:

In September 2019, 67 students have arrived at Furze Platt Senior School who are not yet meeting the expected standard at Key Stage 2. These students will be supported in the following ways this year:

- Class teachers of students are aware of the students and target support through their input and LSAs or an additional English teacher timetabled to the lesson to focus on literacy skills within the curriculum.
- Use Go4Schools to monitor progress throughout the year.
- Moderation of end of term assessments to ensure accuracy in marking across the department.
- Regular work scrutinies to check consistency of teaching and learning across the department.
- Liaise with SEN department to track progress of students within reading intervention groups.
- Identify Year 7 students for mentoring from Year 10 students within form time.

## Numeracy Catch Up Premium Year 7 - Number of students and strategies:

Whereas 50 students started Year7 without meeting the expected standard of Mathematics at Key Stage 2. These students will be supported in the following ways this year:

- Intervention from our teacher in smaller class sizes during Maths lessons
- Lessons focused on numeracy, using a variety of resources created in house and resources created by organisations to help these students close the gap.
- Every student has access to MyMaths to develop numeracy.
- Regular teacher assessments to see how the students are making progress in numeracy, and this is then used to inform teaching and learning.