

## **Year 7 Literacy and Maths Catch-up Premium 2019-20**

### **Introduction**

The Catch-up premium provides funding for students in Year 7 who did not reach expected standards in either Maths or English to support the school in raising the achievement of these pupils. The Catch-Up Premium for Maths and English for 2019-20 was £17, 186. The De Montfort School is committed to providing effective resources and ensuring vital support is in place for our disadvantaged students to improve their academic outcomes. Wider classroom intervention and additional intervention will be implemented to also support catch-up with no cost factor.

### **TDMS Context**

The proportion of students reaching age-related standards is still below local and national figures. Specifically;

- 48% of the year group did not achieve the standardised score (100) in the Maths SATS in 2019.
- 44% of the year group did not achieve the standardised score (100) in the Reading SATS in 2019.
- 43% of the year group did not achieve the standardised score (100) in Writing SATS in 2019.

Some student provision was through Wave 1 teaching with identified weaknesses revisited in the Year 7 curriculum. Retaining students in the same school allows for easy and accurate sharing of information, plus the advantage of students not having the traditional Year 7 'dip' on transfer to secondary school. In addition post SATS students in Year 6 continue to focus on areas of learning need as their ongoing learning curriculum, not, as with the majority of Year 6's across the country, spending time on leavers activities. It was therefore determined that students achieving 97 or above in their SATS did not require small group intervention. This was 8 students in Maths and 7 in English. Their progress and closing of the gap was done through normal Year 7 assessment.

Action	Date	Rationale	Intended impact	Cost	Faculty or Area	Staff
Doodle – English personalised intervention in reading and SPAG	Autumn- Spring 2020	To provide targeted intervention on identified areas of need	To provide activities on identified gaps in knowledge and improve standards.	Doodle: £899.00 Staffing: 6 sessions - £160.80 + 6 sessions with teacher £292.68	English	MCA/Invigilators
Third Space – Maths 1-1 tuition providing personalised intervention – 2 groups	Autumn- Spring 2020	To provide targeted intervention on identified areas of need	To provide activities on identified gaps in knowledge and improve standards.	Third Space: £7960 Staffing: 16 sessions £428.80	Maths	JHp/RW/ Invigilators
Morning reading tuition catch-up	Autumn and Spring	To support a Year 7 group by practicing essential English skills	To provide targeted support on improving reading standards.	Staffing x 24 weeks x 1.5 hrs £465.48	English	JL/MJ
English Skills Catch-up - 4 students	Autumn 1	To support a Year 7 group by practicing essential English skills	To provide targeted support on improving English standards.	Staffing x 4 weeks TA1 £51.72	SEND	JL/MJ
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English Skills Catch-up - 7 students	Spring	To support a Year 7 group by practicing essential English skills	To provide targeted support on improving English standards.	Staffing x 12 weeks TA1 £155.16	SEND	JL/MJ
Reading Comprehension – 4 students	Spring	Encourage students to enjoy reading and story comprehension.	To provide targeted support on improving reading standards.	Staffing x 12 weeks TA2 £310.32	SEND	JL/TJ/HH
Reading and Comprehension	Spring	To support a Year 7 group by practicing essential English skills	To provide targeted support on improving reading standards.	Staffing x10 Asst SENCO =£276.40	SEND	JL

Phonics and Spelling	Autumn	To support a Year 7 group by practicing essential English skills	To provide targeted support on improving reading standards.	Staff x 8 sessions = £103.44	SEND	TJ
Handwriting	Autumn	To support a Year 7 group by practicing essential English skills	To provide targeted support on improving reading standards.	Staff x 8 sessions x 2 = £206.88	SEND	TJ/JJ
Developing English Language Skills	Autumn	To support an EAL Year 7 group by practicing essential English skills	To provide targeted support on improving English standards	Staff x 26 Asst SENCO = £718.64	SEND	JL
Zone of regulation	Autumn	Social, emotion and Mental Health support	To provide emotional regulation to access learning	Staff x 10 = £120.93	SEND	TJ
WADAM – Attendance intervention – 12 students	Autumn and Spring	To provide guidance and training on understanding the important of attendance	To improve attendance to maximise learning	Staffing Time – 8 hours = £390.24	Pastoral	RW
Pastoral support – mentoring, emotional support, social skills	Autumn, Spring Summer	Support students and remove barriers to learning	To ensure all learning can be maximised.	Staffing 35 teacher hours £714.58 SIT hours £1714.58	Pastoral	JG/RW
Pastoral intervention on supporting self- esteem and group working at Adventure Playground	Summer	To build confidence and ensure students have more resilience.	To access learning fully	£27.64 a session (6) – Cancelled due to COVID – 19 £1000 Staffing £164.64	Pastoral	RW

Impact for 2019-20 of the interventions can-not be assessed due to students not completing the year due to the COVID-19 School closure