

The 2017-18 Y7 catch-up allocated funding is spent on the following resources:

Staffing

Numeracy: one numeracy tutor supplied by Yipiyap. The tutor works with Y7 students who have not secured secondary ready numeracy skills through a structured programme of intervention and extraction teaching delivered on a one to one to small group basis.

The tutor also has responsibility for overseeing the intervention programme Symphony Maths.

Literacy: one literacy tutor supplied by Yipiyap. The tutor works with Y7 students who have not secured secondary ready numeracy skills through a structured programme of intervention and extraction teaching delivered on a one to one to small group basis.

The tutor also has responsibility for overseeing the intervention programmes Lexia and Reading Plus.

Software and Web-based Intervention

Numeracy: Part of the Y7 numeracy catch-up programme is delivered through Symphony Maths. This online programme helps students develop a solid foundation in number concepts and operations that are not at the level needed to full access the BCA maths curriculum. The programme is structured around three key principles:

- Prevent—ensure students do not lose any further ground
- Remediate—to correct misunderstanding and misconceptions developed at KS2.
- Enhance—master new material

Literacy: The literacy intervention programme is delivered using two web-based programmes. Lexia and Reading Plus. Lexia (Stage 1) is a phonics based programme for students identified as having the least well developed literacy skills. Reading Plus is a programme that enhances students' ability to read for meaning and understanding whilst also increasing their reading speed.

Total allocation: £27,162