



Heathside Year 7 Catch-up Premium report 2015-2016

In 2015-2016 Heathside School was allocated £9,500 for the Year 7 Catch-Up Premium. This funding aims to help students who entered Year 7 with SATs scores of below Level 4 in Reading and/or Maths to 'catch up' to their peers. The table below summarises the funding received and how it was used. 19 students were allocated this funding in 2015-16. Some other students, who were just above this threshold, also received support.

Area of focus	Amount	Strategies	Impact	Evidence
Targeted intervention in English and intensive literacy support	£5,851	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 15 students received small group English tutoring. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 13/15 (87%) achieved their end of year flight path in English. 	Year 7 reports summer 2016
TA time to run Lexia literacy intervention	£242	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 26 students received Lexia intervention supported by a TA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The average reading age improvement after 1 year was 1 year 5 months 	Reading ages
Targeted intervention in Maths	£2,657	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 15 students received small group Maths tutoring. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12/15 (73%) achieved their end of year flight path in Maths. 1/15 (7%) exceeded his end of year flight path. 	Year 7 reports summer 2016
'Hurry to Heathside' transition programme	£750	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 18 students attended H2H in 2015-16. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All students settled well. Average year's attendance of this group was 96% Average conduct points by the end of the year was +8 	School attendance and conduct data HLTA feedback

Total Expenditure = £9,500

In 2016-2017 the planned interventions will continue with additional support to include:

- Use of 'Mathletics' to improve numeracy skills
- Greater use of Lexia at home by targeted students
- Use of sixth form 'Super-hero' mentors to support students with homework