

Catch Up Premium

The literacy and numeracy catch up premium gives schools additional funding to support year 7 students who did not achieve 100 in the standardised test score in English and/or Maths at the end of year 6.

For the financial year 2018/2019 Cockshut Hill School is forecast to receive funding of £30,000 for Catch Up Premium related activities. Expenditure was aimed directly at improving provision for students that attract the premium which in turn further strengthened the schools 'Quality First Teaching' methodology. In brief we have been able to use the funds to:

- Purchase numeracy support software such as Hegarty Maths and Timetable Rockstars
- Provide targeted small group specialist tuition to aid progress and attainment in English; helping to plug gaps in learning and/or tackle underachievement
- Provide additional support to improve literacy through individualised 'Catch up' reading programs
- Fund smaller classes for students that require additional support in year 7
- Strengthen our literacy strategy through additional resources that will help improve our students' ability to read, write and communicate.

In year school data analysis shows that the vast majority of students that attract the premium have made progress since joining Cockshut Hill School and have achieved the following:

Subject	Developing	Assured	Extending	Continuum
English	87%	9%	0	4%
Maths	23%	45%	3%	28%

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