All Saints' Catholic College



Year 7 Catch-up funding
Impact Review
2017 - 2018

Overview

Catch-up funding allocated in: March 2017: £8,599

March 2018 £10,303

In total 17 pupils (with a standardised score below 85 in KS2 maths test) were identified for numeracy catch-up and 38 pupils (with a KS2 reading score of less than 100) for literacy catch-up.

Literacy strategies

- 1. Tutor time intervention for reading with Year 9 reading ambassadors
- 2. Year 7, 8 & 9 have tutor time reading using class readers
- 3. Discrete literacy lessons in library for Years 7 & 8 during English with targeted 1:1 withdrawal
- 4. Targeted withdrawal from MFL for last term, small group support in Yr. 11 gained time
- 5. Use of accelerated reader to promote more ambitious reading
- 6. Introduction of new, more accessible texts to use in English lessons

Literacy intervention impact

The reading ages of pupils were checked in September 2017 and again in May/June 2018 using the STAR reading test.

• 38 pupils Average September 2017 Average May/June 2018

Reading age: 8yrs 10 months 9yrs 6 months

• 32 pupils demonstrated progress on the test

Evaluation:

- + Overall progress across the year was in line with chronological development (8 months in 8 months) compared to lower average in previous years.
- + Pupils' attainment in English at the half termly data drops shows a significant improvement from the start of year 7 to the end. The proportion of children now accessing the curriculum is greater.
- Not all pupils demonstrated progress due to outlying factors. For some it was poor attendance in school. For others it was factors surrounding behaviour management. A portion of students who did not meet the final benchmark were transferred into year 7 later in the year and as a result missed many of the interventions

Planned development of intervention strategies for 2018/19:

- Continue with reading intervention during MFL
- Continuing with consistency in teaching staff through to year 8
- Reading ambassadors with our youngest and most disadvantaged students
- Plan alternative curriculum for year 7 in 2018 based on KS2 QLA
- Take part in Pixl Catch up
- Improve links with primary schools to embed required skills for KS3

Numeracy Strategies

- 1. Identified small group taught by lead teacher with TA support (17 pupils)
- 2. Targeted withdrawal of pupils for specific skill intervention (12 pupils)
- 3. Improved formal assessments in mathematics to assess progress and inform future planning
- 4. Develop visibility and profile of numeracy across the curriculum to support the progress of catch-up students. (whole school)

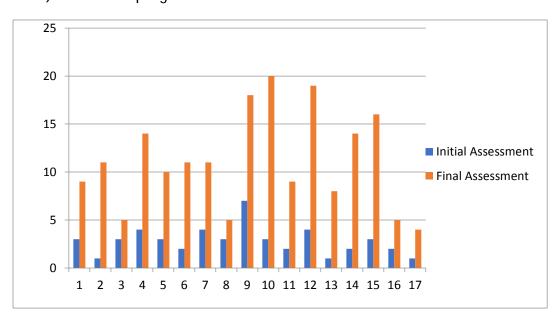
Numeracy intervention impact

A) Skill development

Focus of question	Initial Assessment	Post Assessment
Find 10 or 100 more or less than a given number	59%	82%
Addition (HTU + HTU)	29%	82%
Subtraction (ThHTU - HTU)	0%	35%
Find 1000 more or less than a given number	18%	59%
Short multiplication	6%	47%
Find 10 or 100 more or less than a given number	35%	82%
Add fractions (same denominator)	18%	76%
Dividing 1 or 2 digit numbers by 10 or 100	0%	29%
Adding square numbers	0%	6%
Multiply or divide whole numbers and decimals by 10, 100 or 1000	6%	6%
Recall multiplication tables up to 12x12	18%	24%
Add fractions (same denominator)	12%	94%
Short multiplication	0%	18%
Short division	0%	18%
Subtraction of decimals	0%	41%
Subtracting fractions (different denominators) or mixed numbers	0%	8%
Long division	0%	3%
Adding or Subtracting fractions (different denominators) or mixed numbers	0%	9%
Decimal multiplication	0%	24%

Subtraction (10ThHTU - ThHTU)	24%	82%
Subtraction (10ThHTU - ThHTU)	29%	41%
Addition (ThHTU + ThHTU)	0%	76%
Subtraction of decimals	0%	0%
Short division	0%	29%
Adding decimals (different dp)	0%	24%
Long multiplication	15%	21%
Multiplying fraction by whole number	0%	6%
Percentage of a quantity	0%	18%
Mental calculations involving mixed operations	0%	53%
Fractions divided by an integer	0%	12%
Multiplying fractions	0%	0%
Percentage of a quantity	0%	6%
Long multiplication	0%	12%
Finding the cube of a number	0%	0%
Long division	0%	0%
Decimal multiplication	0%	24%
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B) Individual progress



Evaluation:

- + Identifying Numeracy skills from primary school, using QLA helped to target intervention
- + Recall and interleaving
- + Peer support from Year 9 Pupils
- Technology issues- to use a paper based system in 2017-2018
- To use with Year 7 and 8

Planned development of intervention strategies for 2018/19:

To continue with the above scheme, however to continue to use with Year 7 and 8, using the Maths TA. JDE (Lead Teacher) to have Year 7 Intervention form 2018-2019