



West Exe School

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West Exe School – Catch up funding 2018-2019

During this academic year we will receive £11,170 to support students who arrived below national expectations in literacy and numeracy. You can find out more about the Year 7 literacy and numeracy catch-up premium here: <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/year-7-literacy-and-numeracy-catch-up-premium-guide-for-schools>

As a School this money goes towards

Literacy Support

- Students who need extra literacy support have an hour of English every day
- The Lexia programme provides reading and spelling catch-up support for students who performed significantly below in the key stage 2 SATS
- Accelerated Reader monitors the reading development of all key stage 3 students, providing books within a student's zone of proximal development thus ensuring sustained, measurable progress
- Read Write Gold is a computer programme which acts both as a reader of texts and of the student's own writing. It is used successfully in exams as a recognised access arrangement
- Our Rise and Read breakfast club is open three mornings per week to year 7 students, with both guided reading groups and quiet independent reading corners
- Spellzone is an online bespoke programme designed to support and test children in spelling

Numeracy Support:

- Students who need extra numeracy support have an hour of Mathematics every day
- By appointing an additional teacher we have been able to keep our numeracy support maths classes to a maximum of 18 students
- One to one and small group intervention using the Success at Arithmetic program
- Year 7 have bespoke homework written by Sparx. This is monitored on a weekly basis and linked to parental communication