

### Year 7 Catch Up Funding 2016-17

Year 7 Catch Up funding is in addition to the school's budget. The Department for Education allocate an additional £500 for each pupil in Year 7 who did not achieve at least level 4 in reading and/or maths at the end of KS2.

Schools are free to decide how to allocate this funding to best support the raising of attainment for these pupils.

Spending should be closely linked with supporting Y7 students' individual progress in closing the attainment gap. All of Moor Hey students are working well below the attainment of their mainstream peers, nevertheless 'closing the gap' is still an important priority. Students' attainment is tracked and those who are felt not be progressing at the expected rate are subject to closer individual scrutiny, monitoring and support. Catch up funding is used to maintain that support element. Spending is used for a variety of interventions including computer programmes, the software and appropriate licensing, one to one learning, immersive technology, sensory equipment, resources and activities to enrich learning and narrow achievement gaps. Progress made against individualised outcomes is recorded and tracked by the school through assessment.

Catch up funding and its impact is reported to Governors and parents via assessment data reporting following full year evaluation of tracking information and Individual educational plan target evaluation which then feeds into the annual review process.