Crosshill with BCHS Year 7 Literacy and Numeracy catch-up premium 2019 -2020

The Year 7 Literacy and Numeracy catch-up premium is additional monies given to schools to support pupils who have not met age related expectations associated with progress within Literacy and Numeracy. As we are a special school this is the majority of our Year 7 students and is usually associated to their specific special educational needs. The current funding for this academic year has been estimated at £6320 in total based on DfE Guidance and 18-19 funding. Estimated costs have been allocated to support the progress of Literacy and Numeracy within our Year 7 cohort.

How did we spent 2018 -2019's allocation and what impact did it have on last year's Year 7 students?

In the academic year 2018 – 2019 we received £3552 in total. The impact of this was that 89% of students within Year 7 made expected or exceptional progress within English with only 1 student below, within maths 100% of students made expected or exceeded progress within the academic year. All Year 7's also made a successful transition into school and have settled well.

How we will spend this year's allocation?

This academic year the funding will be spent on the resources identified below. These resources have been purchased to support the acceleration of progress within Literacy and Numeracy within our 3 curriculum offers for Year 7 and specific intervention programmes

Identified Purchase	Estimated Cost of Purchase	Purpose of Purchase
Phonics training for year 7 teachers	£260	Read, write, ink phonics training programme for
		NQTs
Multisensory English Resources	£500	To support our informal English learners with
		reading and writing
Clickr 7 software	£1800	Updating our software to support learners and
		provide consistency from their primary schools
Ipads	£3680	Utilise technology and applications to increase
		engagement in English and Mathematics
RM EasiMaths	£260	Maths programme to increase progress in Maths
		within school and home