

Windsor Park CE(C) Middle School - 2015-16 Year 7 'Catch-up'

Windsor Park Middle School will receive 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.

- **In 2014, 91% of students nationally achieved Level 4 or above in Reading. In 2015 89% of the WPMS Year 7 cohort achieved Level 4 or above in Reading.**
- **In 2014, 86% of students nationally achieved Level 4 or above in Maths. In 2015 79% of the WPMS Year 7 cohort achieved Level 4 or above in Maths.**

Reading Tests:

All Year 7 students are tested on Reading.

The 9 catch-up students for Reading have an average Reading Age of 8 years 5 months.

The catch-up students will be tested regularly through the school year.

Accelerated Reader:

All Windsor Park Middle School students were tested on Accelerated Reader. Accelerated Reader (AR) can produce up to two years' reading age growth in just one year. AR monitors the Reading that pupils undertake when pupils take a quiz on each book read.

Students will be assessed on AR every half term to measure progress.

Using the initial test results, Group Tutors can help students select books that are challenging, but not too difficult so as to cause frustration. Over the past two years AR has helped to improve Literacy and Reading skills.

Use of Accelerated Reader at Windsor Park has improved the focus of all staff on promoting Literacy skills and has ensured that students are reading widely and often.

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This year's cohort shows a mixed trend for Catch-up students at the beginning of Year 7:

2012 – 2015 Catch-up Students			
2012: % of Students	2013: % of Students	2014: % of Students	2015: % of Students
25%	19%	7%	23%

Target Setting for Catch-up Students:

For 2015 onwards, we have changed to a 'Life after Levels' system where pupils are assessed on the objectives for their year group. Pupils will be required to make at least expected standards for their year group.

Catch-up Intervention:

Pupils identified as 'catch up' for Reading are currently involved in intervention sessions to accelerate their progress.

Pupils identified as 'catch up' for Maths are receiving a tailored curriculum with intervention support for those where the least progress is being made.

Catch up students who are on the SEN Register are additionally receiving specialist SEN intervention.

Progress Check: 'Catch-up' students 2015-16 – as of July 2015

Reading:

33% (3/9) of the Catch-up students are now working at Level 4

66% (6/9) of the Catch-up students have made at least one sub level of progress from KS2 SAT

22% (2/9) of the Catch-up students have made more than one sub level of progress from KS2 SAT

Mathematics:

50% (10/20) of the Catch-up students are now working at Level 4

75% (15/20) of the Catch-up students have made at least one sub level of progress from KS2 SAT

50% (10/20) of the Catch-up students have made more than one sub level of progress from KS2 SAT

All students including Catch-up students receive a termly Progress Check report, reporting current Working at Grade and target grades for the end of the year. There are 6 progress check points during the year, three detailed reports will be sent home during the academic year:

Progress Check 1: October 2015

Progress Check 2: December 2015 + Report

Progress Check 3: February 2016

Progress Check 4: April 2016 + Report

Progress Check 5: June 2016

Progress Check 6: July + End of Year 7 Report

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Progress Check: 'Catch-up' students 2014-15

Reading:

50% (2/4) of the Catch-up students are now working at Level 4

100% (4/4) of the Catch-up students have made at least one sub level of progress from KS2 SAT

100% (4/4) of the Catch-up students have made more than one sub level of progress from KS2 SAT

Mathematics:

56% (4/7) of the Catch-up students are now working at Level 4

85% (6/7) of the Catch-up students have made at least one sub level of progress from KS2 SAT

42% (3/7) of the Catch-up students have made more than one sub level of progress from KS2 SAT

Funding: refers to the financial year 2014-2015

Activity	Action	Funding Cost
Easter School	Staffing - TA	£1,755
	Teaching Staff	£2,437.50
	Activities	£465
	Recourses	£265
	Software	£180
	Refreshments	£410
	Total Spend	£5,512.50