



Coppice Academy

Year 7 Catch Up Funding Statement

Allocations for 2017 to 2018

The Coppice will receive £5412 and it will be used in the following ways:

- I pads aiming to improve writing outcomes for students with developing fine motor control.
- Numicon aiming to improve kinaesthetic approaches to learning maths.
- Fresh Start training and resources aiming to improve phonic and spelling for all students at KS3.

Impact

In English 92% of Year 7 students made expected progress against aspirational targets.

88% of Disadvantaged students in English made expected progress against aspirational targets.

In Maths 100% of students made expected progress against aspirational targets.

Kinaesthetic learning approaches were used in 3 different lesson observations, all used to ensure students engagement and raise student outcomes.

Fresh Start was trialled in some small Key Stage 3 groups from February last year. For that short time, it had the most notable impact on students' ability to spell and the confidence with which they approached written work. Indeed, some students' spelling ages had increased by 2 or 3 years when they were re-tested at the end of the academic year, compared to their spelling age in September 2017. We are now implementing it as an intervention programme across Key Stage 3 and are confident that it will improve outcomes in both reading and writing.

Allocations for 2018 to 2019

The Coppice will receive £5999 and it will be used in the following ways:

- The purchase of 2 new e-readers to support non-readers.
- Guided reading books aiming to improve comprehension at KS3.
- PGL educational trip
- Makaton training for 4 staff