

Catch up Premium 2014-15

Who are our eligible pupils?

For the academic year 2014-15, there are 28 pupils who are being monitored through Year 7 as being eligible for the catch up premium. Their prior attainment at KS2 in reading and Mathematics is shown in the table below:

	Number of pupils
Below Level 4 in reading test	4
Below Level 4 in Mathematics test	18
Below Level 4 in both	6

What was the impact of the catch up premium?

Progress by the end of Year 7 (Summer 2015)

Following the removal of “levels” and the introduction of the new national curriculum at KS3, Darrick Wood School has introduced a revised assessment framework for Year 7 which is being rolled out. Baseline data was collected in October 2014 with further assessments made during the year with a final data collection in June 2015.

In mathematics, the assessment data shows that 16 out of 24 pupils have made progress between October 2014 and June 2015.

In English, the assessment data shows that all 10 pupils have made progress between October 2014 and June 2015 with the majority making better than expected progress.

What are our next steps?

Progress last year in English for those children eligible for the catch up premium was very pleasing and we will continue to monitor this cohort during Year 8 this year to ensure that their progress continues. Whilst progress was made in mathematics by the majority of children, those who have not made progress will receive additional, targeted support in the autumn term of Year 8. Their progress will be reviewed in December 2015.