

## Year 7 'Catch Up' Funding – 2019/20

The Literacy and Numeracy premium is intended to support Year 7 pupils who have not achieved Level 4 in Reading or Maths at the end of Key Stage 2 (KS2). All maintained schools receive this funding.

Castle's data shows that when our pupils transfer to our school they do not experience a 'dip' in their performance in the transition from Year 6 to Year 7.

We use the funding to:

- Support the transition process with robust staffing and opportunities for the pupils to visit Castle.
- Provide the correct training and support for staff.
- Enhanced staffing ratios to provide for individual and small group work.
- Supporting enhanced reading recovery for key pupils.

The funding has ensured that all pupils transferring to Castle have maintained or exceeded their targets. These outcomes all link closely to our pupil premium.