

BRAMPTON MANOR ACADEMY

CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) CATCH UP PREMIUM

The Department for Education has allocated **£36,460** to help targeted students catch-up on missed learning after the first lockdown period, during which schools were closed.

In 2020-21 these monies are being used to fund:

- A reading intervention programme: Lexia.
- Individual reading sessions with teachers for those students who have fallen behind in reading.
- Additional teaching in English in small groups to improve reading for meaning and writing.
- Reduced class sizes in English and Maths to address the needs of targeted students.
- LSA support and intervention throughout the curriculum.
- The purchase of texts and resources for small, specifically focused classes in English and Mathematics.
- Additional teaching in Mathematics focusing on developing the numeracy and algebra of targeted students. Additional Mathematics homework clubs support targeted students.
- A specialised curriculum in Maths and English in specific classes for those students who are most behind.
- Extra staffing used to support students in both Maths and English classes, and across the school.
- After-school catch-up sessions in all years and in all subjects to support students who have fallen behind at the start of the academic year.

How will the effect of this expenditure on the educational attainment of identified pupils at the school be assessed?

- All year 7 students are assessed on entry to the school and those students who need to 'catch-up' have been identified. In other years assessment took place at the start of the autumn term to identify those students in need of catch-up support.
- Students are monitored over three formal periods of assessment in the academic year. There is one formal assessment per term.
- The assessments will identify those students who are not making appropriate progress. Additional support will be put in place to support these students.
- The final assessment of summer 2021 will show that the vast majority of students have caught up. However, the assessment cycle will identify any students who have failed to catch-up and if needed additional support will be given in the autumn term of 2021.