

Year 7 Literacy and Numeracy Catch-up Premium Report 2020.

For the academic year 2019-2020, Lacon Childe received £7,369 to support Year 7 learners with literacy and numeracy acquisition.

All student's reading, comprehension, spelling and mathematical computation abilities are assessed when they start the school and this data, alongside Key Stage 2 results and teacher assessment, helps us to identify which students will benefit from additional literacy and numeracy support.

The funding is used to support small group lessons delivered five times a fortnight most often by a Higher Level Teaching Assistant.

The year and interventions were disrupted by Coronavirus, but when students returned to school in September 2020, the average gain was 1 year 1 month in reading age and an average regression of 12 standardised points in mathematical computation. All students are continuing with intervention in Year 8.