

16-19 Tuition Funding Guidance

The 16 to 19 tuition fund is funding for the 2020 to 2021 and 2021 to 2022 academic year. It is ring fenced funding for schools, colleges and all other 16 to 19 providers to mitigate the disruption to learning arising from coronavirus (COVID-19).

The funding is being provided to support small group tuition for 16 to 19 students in English, maths, and other courses where learning has been disrupted, including vocational and/or academic learning. Although the actual tuition does not need to be for GCSE English or maths, students will be prioritised where they had not achieved grade 5 or above in at least one of those subjects at this level by age 16. All supported students must be on a 16 to 19 study programme. Special regard will be given for the needs of students with special education needs and disabilities (SEND), particularly where they have experienced additional disruption to learning as a result of their specific needs.

Type of provision	Rationale	Success Criteria	Cost
Small Group Tuition	<p>This arrangement will enable the teacher to focus exclusively on a number of small learners, usually in separate classrooms, working areas or virtually over and above the school timetable. Evidence shows that small group tuition is effective and the smaller the group the most effective the tuition.</p> <p>In addition to this student will have access to MyTutor which is an online platform that has 1:1 tutoring in GCSE</p>	<p>Improvement in number of students achieving Grade 4 and above in English and/or maths GCSE.</p> <p>Improvement in number of students achieving target grade or above in A level Maths and Physics</p>	<p>1 session per week @ £25p/h x 10 weeks for two subjects = £500</p> <p>MyTutor 1 hour a week, 4 students at £21 per hour for 10 sessions = £6,930</p>

	English and maths and A level Maths and Physics. Organised through the University of Aston.		
Saturday School Catch up Sessions.	This will enable students to receive catch up support for vocational and academic subjects where time has been missed due to having to isolate or needing SEN support.	Target students to achieve their FFT20 target and complete the course and achieve the size of qualification they enrolled on.	10 sessions @£100 x 2 subjects = £2,000
School Holiday Revision workshops	Intensive revision sessions delivered during school holidays or on a Saturday with a focus on retrieval of knowledge and ensuring any gaps in their knowledge are secured.	Improvement in number of students achieving Grade 4 and above in English and/or maths GCSE	15 sessions @ £100 x 2 subjects = £3,000
Mentoring Support	This will involve an experienced representative working with young people who may be struggling with their studies due to a lack of confidence, resilience and low aspirations. These attributes are commonly attributed to lack of achievement in Maths GCSE. In addition to this some students will receive academic support with homework tasks.	Target students develop an improved confidence towards their resit courses which should see an improvement in number of grade 4 and above achieved in GCSE English and/or maths	Sessions to include one-to-one and small group sessions = £490 per student 10x £490 = £4,900
Laptop/Dongle	Covid lockdown has intensified the digital divide amongst our students. Studies show that digital technology is beneficial for writing and mathematics practice. By providing equipment to those who have no device or may have to share a device within a family we will be able to limit the	Students are able to catch up on missed work, and revise effectively as well as meeting the requirements to attend 100% online lessons and complete all work set.	25 laptops @ £300 = £7,500

	impact to their studies.		
Revision Guides	<p>Students who have not yet passed their GCSE Maths and or English GCSE examination/s have been entered for Level 2 Functional Skills as a GCSE equivalent course.</p> <p>This is an intervention put into place to not only support the students in gaining a recognised GCSE equivalent qualification but also to enhance prospects of progressing onto Higher Education where the qualification is a requisite.</p> <p>Students will also be supported with revision guides for their Level 3 subjects where they have content to revisit that may have been delivered virtual or during bouts of staff and/or student absence.</p>	<p>Additional resource/s provided to students sitting the Functional Skills examination as a Level 2 GCSE equivalent qualification.</p> <p>Students are able to use this as an additional tool in order to boost confidence in sitting the examination/s, with the outcome being that students pass the examination/s.</p>	<p>10 @ £7.49 = £ 74.90 (Functional skills)</p> <p>24 @ £9.67 = £232.08 (GCSE Maths)</p> <p>13 @ £6.99 = £90.87 (GCSE English)</p> <p>23 @ £27.99 = £643.77 (Sociology)</p> <p>17 @ £13.99 = £237.83 (Psychology)</p>
UpLearn	<p>This will be used to support our students in delivering optimal learning outcomes and achieving table-topping academic results. Up learn helps students to learn independently at home, and enables teachers to support their students outside of school hour.</p>	<p>Improved grades at A level, filling knowledge gaps in areas where students were taught topics virtually.</p>	<p>£6,302.40</p> <p>98 student accounts</p>