

16-19 Tuition Funding; Christ the King College Statement

The [16 to 19 tuition fund](#) started as a £96 million of one-off funding for the 2020 to 2021 academic year only. This has now been extended for the academic years 2021 to 2022 for schools, colleges and other 16 to 19 institutions to mitigate the disruption to learning arising from coronavirus (COVID-19). This time they have broadened the eligibility of the fund to include economic disadvantage in addition to low prior attainment in academic year 2021 to 2022. Including more students allows institutions to offer tuition to all disadvantaged students who have been impacted by the pandemic, while still maintaining focus on low prior attainment.

The money 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.

Although the actual tuition does not need to be for GCSE English or maths, the students supported will be those who have not achieved grade 5 or above in at least one of those subjects at this level by age 16 and who may benefit from small group tuition to reach their full potential. Additionally, those who come from an economically disadvantaged background, defined as students from the 27% most economically deprived areas of the country based on the index of multiple deprivation. All supported students must be on a 16 to 19 study programme. Students with SEND (particularly where they have experienced additional disruption to learning because of their specific needs and disabilities) will also be eligible for additional support to catch up on vocational and academic skills, and skills and learning that are important for their preparation for adulthood, for example.

Christ the King College Sixth Form is eligible to receive a further £7,527 from this fund for small group tuition. We will prioritise support for students who have not yet achieved a grade 5 in English and/or maths at GCSE, disadvantaged students and students with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) where appropriate.

This tuition will be in addition to students' normal timetabled lessons and will include one or more of the following:

- Small group tuition, from three and no more than five (seven only in exceptional circumstances), in college to support academic and study skills.
- Existing teaching staff will be utilised. One permanent tutor in college for three paid hours a week and additional staff as required - depending on students participation numbers.
- The ASDAN , Award and Certificate of Effectiveness (AoPE/CoPE) at Level 3 will be used to support students in these workshops.
- **The Certificate of Personal Effectiveness** includes: Introduction to working with others, Introduction to improving own learning and performance, Introduction to problem solving, Planning and carrying out a piece of research, Communicating through discussion and Planning and giving an oral presentation.

- **The Award of Personal Effectiveness** includes: Team working, Planning and reviewing learning, Tackling problems, Research skills, Improving skills in preparing and presenting information, Learning through work experience and career exploration.

All will be delivered within the 2021-22 academic year. Tuition support offered will be based on an individual needs assessment, the identification of an individual starting point, learning goals, future destinations, expectations and outcomes.