

The 16 to 19 tuition fund 2021 to 2022 academic year

The 16 to 19 tuition fund is ring-fenced funding for schools, colleges and all other 16 to 19 institutions who receive annual funding allocations from ESFA for the provision of 16 to 19 education, to mitigate the disruption to learning arising from coronavirus (COVID-19).

This funding will be used to provide tailored support through small group tuition for specific cohorts of 16 to 19 students in English, maths and most affected vocational areas. Eligible students must be on a 16 to 19 study programme and will be focused on those who have not achieved grade 4 or above in GCSE maths and/or English by age 16, or those who are most affected in the vocational practical based areas.

Students with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) aged 19 to 24 who have an Education, Health and Care (EHC) plan will also be eligible for support via the 16 to 19 Tuition Fund. The College commits to using the small group tuition funding to provide tailored intervention in order to improve English and maths skills as well as catch up on lost learning in the vocational areas. These sessions will be limited to five students per group, or up to seven students in exceptional circumstances, and will be above and beyond normal timetabled hours.