The 16-19 Tuition Fund 2021-2022

QEGS Sixth Form

What is the funding?

QEGS Sixth Form has been allocated £2996 for one-year to mitigate the disruption to learning arising from coronavirus (COVID-19). The aim of the funding 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. For example, vocational courses where assessment has been deferred because of lockdown. The funding should be used to support the tuition activity above and beyond the programmes of education already planned for 2021 to 2022.

Who will be able to access the funding?

The students supported all need to be those who had not achieved grade 4 or above in Maths and/or English at this level by age 16. All supported students must be on a 16 to 19 study programme. As a provider we have been told that we should prioritise support for students who have not achieved a grade 4 in English and/or maths, however, we can use it for those who did not achieve a 5 if there is surplus funding available. We will also ensure that the needs of any students who are eligible for this funding and who have special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) are fully supported, particularly where they have experienced additional disruption to learning as a result of their specific needs and disabilities.

What are we using the funding for?

To provide students in years 12 and 13, who are eligible for this funding, to receive up to two hours of small group tuition per week (5 students in each session maximum). These sessions are being led by fully qualified and experienced subject specialists who currently work within the school. The sessions are currently being offered after-school at the Sixth Form Centre. In English there will also be an opportunity to hear from Linguist David Crystal via webinar to provide extra support in the subject.

What are the costs?

Individual tuition session have been provided at £30 per session.

How many students will be accessing this funding?

There are 9 students who meet the criteria for this funding via a resit plus more potentially eligible through other statuses. All of the resit students have been provided with access to at least one extra weekly tuition in small groups (no more than 5 max). These sessions started from the Autumn Term onwards and take place after school.

How many sessions will be offered to each student?

Students in year 12 and year 13 English will have access to potentially 27 extra sessions over the course of this academic year should they require it along with the webinar. Students in year 12 and 13 Maths will have access to potentially 40 sessions over the course of this academic year.

What is the intended outcome?

To improve the students grades in GCSE English and/or Maths and to ensure that these students are supported to catch up with their Level 3 studies following remote learning during the first lockdown.