16 to 19 Tuition Fund

English:

We are running a resit class in GCSE English language. This class is taught by 2 specialist staff members, including the Curriculum Leader, for 2 hours per week. The group contains 15 students; 11 from Year 12 and 4 from Year 13. These students have been selected as they are yet to secure a grade 4 or above in the subject.

We are making small group tuition available during sixth form ready to learn time. These sessions are designed for students struggling with literacy and other writing skills required in their AS/A2 courses as a result of gaps created during the first lockdown. The sessions take place daily and last for 30 minutes.

Mathematics:

We are running a resit class in GCSE Maths. This class is taught by 2 specialist staff members for 2 hours per week. The group contains 22 students; 15 from Year 12 and 7 from Year 13. These students have been selected as they are yet to secure a grade 4 or above in the subject.

In addition, this group has also been given access to SPARX, which is an online package (costing £6000) designed specifically to support KS4 students. SPARX provides a personalised service which differentiates the GCSE syllabus for the individual supporting them through scaffolded questioning and tutorial videos.

During lockdown, the group have been given access to the Year 11 live lessons and live Q&A sessions. These are delivered by 3 specialist Maths teachers, including the Curriculum Leader, on a weekly basis.

We are making small group tuition available during sixth form Core PE sessions and PSHE lessons. These sessions are designed for students struggling with numeracy and other Mathematical skills required in their AS/A2 courses as a result of gaps created during the first lockdown.

SEND children continue to be mentored by a learning support member of staff half termly to review their academic learning and any barriers that need to be targeted. However, this is funded due to their EHCP.

