

Tolworth Girls' School and Sixth Form: 16-19 Tuition Fund Statement

What is the 16-19 tuition fund?

The 16 to 19--tuition fund is additional government one-off funding for the 2020 to 2021 academic year only. 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. For example, vocational courses where assessment has been deferred because of lockdown. Although the actual tuition does not need to be for GCSE English or Maths, the students supported all need to be those who 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.

Providers should prioritise support for students who have not achieved a grade 4 in English and/or Maths.

How will we use the funding?

We intend to utilise the funding to provide additional support to small groups of students (1-3) who have not yet achieved a grade 4 in Maths or English.

- All students with a grade 3 in Maths or English will be offered small group or individual tuition to support them in achieving a Level 2 qualification in the summer.
- All students who currently have less than a grade 3 in Maths or English will be offered small group or individual tuition in the curriculum area that is likely to be of greatest benefit to them.

We will also utilise the finding to provide support for students with grade 4 in Maths or English. This support will focus on small group support for vocational subjects.