

Launceston College 16 to 19 tuition fund 2020-21

The 16 to 19 tuition fund is additional funding for one-year only that has been allocated to mitigate the disruption to learning arising from coronavirus (COVID-19).

Launceston College is eligible to receive £7,280 from this fund for small group tuition. It is ring fenced funding to support small group tuition for 16 to 19 students in English, maths, and other courses where learning has been disrupted.

The funding received will be directed to support those learners in Year 12 and 13 who have not yet achieved a grade 4 in maths or English once the results from the November 2020 exams results are released, thereby channelling the maximum support to the most disadvantaged students.

Several streams of support will be considered to accommodate the continuing operational restrictions necessary due to COVID-19.

An academic tutor will be employed to work with students on a one to one or very small group basis. Sessions will be planned around the weaknesses identified by November exam analysis and attendance registers will be kept. Sessions may be virtual and/or face to face depending upon individual circumstances. Students will be provided with additional resources to facilitate tutoring work and provide further revision practice.

Once assessment information for alternatives to GCSEs in the summer is clear, further opportunities, such as Easter catch up classes will be investigated.

January 2021 estimated spending update

- Resources purchased to support at home learning £300
- No of students eligible for one to one or small group intervention support
19 maths
9 English
- Staffing costs £15-30 per hour depending on experience/qualifications

Exemplar projected costings:

*£15 ph x 28 students = £420 for one 1 hour session for every student
£420 X 15 1 hour sessions for each student =£6,300*

*£15 ph x 6 groups of 4/5 students = £90 for 1 hour session for each group
£90 x 70 1 hour sessions for 6 groups = £6,300*

*£30 ph x 28 = £840 for one 1 hour session for every student
£840 ph x 8 1 hour sessions for each student = £6,720*

*£30 ph x 6 groups of 4/5 students = £180 for 1 hour session for each group
£180 x 35 1 hour sessions for 6 groups = £6,300.*