

## **16 to 19 Tuition Fund**

### **Statement of intent 2021-2022**

#### **Overview**

This statement of intent sets out how Shireland Collegiate Academy Sixth Form intends to utilise the additional funding for the academic year of 2021-2022 to mitigate the disruption to learning arising from coronavirus (COVID-19). It is a £96 million one-off funding and is ring-fenced for schools to use. Our share of it is £34,302.

#### **How do we intend to use the funding?**

The DfE state 'all supported students must be on a 16 to 19 study programme and have had their learning disrupted by the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak', this includes the needs of students with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND), particularly where they've experienced additional disruption.

Following DfE guidelines we intend to offer tailor-made support by offering small group tuition. Small group tuition sessions are to take place in addition to the timetabled lessons. These groups will be no larger than 5 unless in exceptional circumstances, such as if the absence of a member of staff requires the merger of 2 existing groups on a temporary basis. We are also offering 1:1 tuition.

#### **What do we intend to offer?**

In compliance with the DfE guidelines we are using the tuition funding to:

- Students who are identified as not securing a grade 4 or above in GCSE Maths and GCSE English.
- Students who are identified as high achieving disadvantaged students who need 1:1 support with academic skills in order to reach their potential
- Students who are identified as having had their learning disrupted and therefore need support technical skills and knowledge in practical, academic and vocational courses.

In all of the above, this will include students with special educational needs and disabilities where applicable.

### **Which staff will we use?**

Wherever possible we are using existing staff however, there will also be academic coaches hired for specific supporting needs. The funding covers the cost of the tuition fees solely, all other expenditure, e.g. resources will be paid for from other Academy budgets.

### **Contact us**

If you have any questions about this statement of intent, please contact the Academy [info@collegiateacademy.org.uk](mailto:info@collegiateacademy.org.uk)