

Higham Lane School 16 to 19 tuition fund

2023 to 2024 academic year

The 16 to 19 tuition fund is ring-fenced funding for schools, colleges and all other 16 to 19 institutions who receive annual funding allocations from ESFA for the provision of 16 to 19 education, to mitigate the disruption to learning arising from coronavirus (COVID-19).

The funding is to support small group tuition for students aged 16 to 19 in English, maths and other subjects that have been disrupted, including vocational and/or academic learning. Students aged 19 to 24 who have an education, health and care (EHC) plan are also eligible for support. All students must be on a 16 to 19 study programme and the funding should be used to support the tuition activity above and beyond the programmes of education already planned.

It is for students who:

- have not achieved a grade 4 or 5 in English and/or maths.
- have a grade 4 or above in English and/or maths, are from an economically disadvantaged background and would need catch-up support. These are defined as students from the 27% most economically deprived areas of the country based on the index of multiple deprivation.

Higham Lane School has been allocated £3,216 to fund this tuition in 2023-24. Small group tuition was offered to students in both English and maths. The School timetabled lessons as part of its curriculum offering in the 2023-24 academic year to deliver this. These lessons were in addition to the A-Level choices made by those students and have been delivered each week on Wednesday during periods 4 and 5. Groups were larger than five. The offer of this tuition was made to all students not achieving a grade 4 in English and/or maths.

2023-24 is the final year for this funding stream.