

# BECKFOOT THORNTON 16-19 TUITION FUND STATEMENT

## **What is the 16-19 tuition fund?**

The 16-19 tuition fund is one off funding for the 2020/21 academic year that is ring fenced to support students and mitigate disruption to learning arising from the COVID-19 pandemic.

The funding is being used to provide small group tuition for 16-19-year olds where their learning has been disrupted and they have a GCSE Maths and / or English. Although targeted students are identified based on their prior attainment in English and Maths, the funding can be used to support students in their learning across a variety of subjects.

Examples of disruption that these students have faced / will face include assessments being deferred due to lockdown or self-isolation, falling behind in their learning due to long / multiple periods of self-isolation and not being able to complete external examinations due to positive COVID-19 cases.

## **How will Beckfoot Thornton use the funding?**

At Beckfoot Thornton, we intend to utilise the funding to provide additional support to small groups of students that have not yet achieved a grade 4 in Mathematics. Within this cohort targeted student intervention will be focused on as follows:

Students that have yet to achieve a grade 4 in Maths

Priority for tuition will be afforded to the most disadvantaged students based on their socio-economic background, SEND status and volume of disruption to their learning through COVID-19.

Beckfoot Thornton has used the funding, as follows:

- To provide additional support/lessons for students who have not yet achieved a grade 4 in their maths GCSE.
- To purchase bespoke resources for students to support their learning

This statement is in line with the Government guidance and we have published this statement to demonstrate how this additional funding will be utilised in the academic year 2020/21. This document may be updated to reflect any changes in ESFA guidance.