Covid Catch Up Premium Statement: 2020-21

1. Number of Students and Catch-Up Funding due	
Total students on role	899
Total amount of Catch-Up funding received	£73,453

2. What is the Covid Catch-Up Grant?

The government has announced one-off funding to support children and young people to catch up lost educational time due to school closures. For mainstream schools this is £80 per pupil in years 7 to 11.

Schools must use this funding for specific activities to support their pupils to catch up on missed education.

Catch up premium - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)

2020-21 Actual Spend

The school has used the catch up funding in a number of different ways:

- · Recruitment of Interventions Teacher with a focus on covid catch up;
- Targeted intervention programmes for years 10 and 11;
- Additional counselling/mentoring support, with a focus on vulnerable and disadvantaged students;
- Team building activities for years 7-9;
- · Activity day for year 10;
- Weekend booster classes for year 11;
- Online subscriptions in core subjects;
- · Revision booklets;

Total spend in 2020/21: £29,100

Funds carried forward to 2021/22: £44,353

2021/22 Proposed Spend

The school intends to use the majority of the remaining catch up funding on intervention teaching.

How we will measure the impact of the spend:

- Access Reading Tests, CATS, other assessments;
- Measuring ATL scores in reports;
- · Measuring in class progress data;
- Close monitoring of students' current and predicted grade forecasts;
- · Learning walks and book looks when students return to the classroom;
- Attendance monitoring of vulnerable/disadvantaged students once school is open to all students;
- · Pastoral team monitoring student well-being;
- Monitoring numbers referred for counselling;
- · Monitoring exclusions and positive behaviour data.