

Coronavirus (COVID-19) catch-up premium

The Earls High School was eligible for the COVID 19 catch up premium grant in 2020-21. The grant has been used to support the progress and well-being of students and has funded the following initiatives:

- CAT4 Assessments for Year 7
- Appointment of a temporary Learning Mentor for two years
- Provision mapping software licence
- Small group interventions in Science for selected students in Year 9
- Revision materials in all subjects
- Holiday, weekend and after school revision sessions
- Extra support for students with gaps in Non-Examined Assessments for GCSE
- Mathematics Numicon Programme
- GCSE PE Climbing course
- Visualisers for classrooms
- Sewing machines to allow students to continue with GCSE NEA at home
- Art kits
- Educational Psychologist referrals
- An extra temporary TLR3 post in our pastoral team to support Year 10
- Alternative provision placements
- The National Tutoring Programme for selected students

We have chosen these approaches to ensure that students, particularly those who are disadvantaged, are supported to attend school and make good progress. We will assess the impact of the initiatives using student attendance data, behaviour and attitude to learning statistics and the achievement of students in their end of year assessments.