



COVID-19 catch up premium grant 2020-2021

The government announced £1 billion of funding to support children and young people to catch up lost time after school closure. This is especially important for the most vulnerable and disadvantaged backgrounds.

School allocations will be calculated on a per pupil basis. Mainstream school will get £80 for each pupil.

Payments will be made in three stages - Autumn 2020, Early 2021 and Summer 2021.

In this document we will outline:

- how it is intended that the grant will be spent
- when the effect of this expenditure on the educational attainment of those pupils at the school will be assessed

The funding should be used for:

- specific activities to support pupils to catch up for lost teaching over the previous months.
 - Supporting great teaching
 - Pupil assessment and feedback
 - Transition support
 - One to one and small group tuition
 - Intervention programmes
 - Supporting parents and carers
 - Access to technology
- specific activities which will help pupils catch up on missed education.

Accountability:

- School leaders must be able to show they are using the funding to resume teaching a normal curriculum as quickly as possible following partial or full school closure.
- Governors and trustees should scrutinise schools' approaches to catch-up from September 2020, including their plans for and use of catch-up funding. This should include consideration of whether schools are spending this funding in line with their catch-up priorities, and ensuring appropriate transparency for parents.

Catch Up Premium due to be received from the government: £46000

*The amount of funding to be received does not cover all of the above.

Item	Details	Cost	When will this be reviewed?
Agency Teacher	Agency teacher will support pupil catch-up (through 1:1 and group work), covering teachers to enable them to provide catch-up and teach mental well-being lessons with support from the Assistant Headteacher/SENCO.	£38,000	Termly (linked to Pupil Progress Meetings)
Additional hours for TAs	TAs will be used to work with children 1:1 or in small groups to support their catch-up.	£10,000	Termly (linked to Pupil Progress Meetings)
Remote Learning – Bug Club	Purchasing a Bug Club subscription will enable all children to be able to access a quality reading scheme in situations of lockdown and also in times where books cannot be sent to home and back.	£1,399	Annually
Remote Learning – RM Easimaths	Purchasing an RM Easimaths subscription will enable children to access additional maths resources from home.	£640	Annually
Remote Learning – Purple Mash	Purchasing a Purple Mash subscription will enable children to complete activities at home and communicate with the teacher.	£1,000	Annually
Pupil Wellbeing Resources	To support our change of PPA to Wellbeing, resources will help children with a number of different concerns, including dealing with grief, anxiety and returning to school.	£500	Half-Termly