

Catch-up Premium COVID19 for Academic Year 2020/2021

SUMMARY INFORMATION	
Total number of pupil places	215
Amount of catch-up premium received per pupil place	£240
Total catch-up premium budget:	£51,600

STRATEGY STATEMENT

As a hospital school we are used to providing our pupils with the personalised learning needed to enable them to catch up on missed schooling and to help them to re-engage with education. However, the pandemic has meant that many of our pupils have missed out on significantly more schooling than usual and they have been subject to increased levels of stress and anxiety.

Our Catch-up Premium Strategy aims to:

- Equip staff with the skills, equipment and resources to deliver remote learning where face to face teaching is not an option due to NHS restrictions on site
- Re-engage pupils with an enthusiasm for learning
- Raise the attainment of all pupils to close the gap created by COVID-19 school closures

- Support pupil and staff well-being

BARRIERS TO FUTURE ATTAINMENT

1	Increased anxiety about daily life for staff, pupils and their families. Many pupils have been isolated from family and friends for very long periods due to their vulnerable medical condition and restriction on visitors.
2	Missed schooling due to 1 st lockdown and subsequent quarantine periods
3	Break from usual routines has caused many pupils to disengage with education. This has impacted particularly SEND pupils
4	Much of the teaching in 2020/21 may need to be delivered remotely. It can be harder to engage pupils without face-to-face contact. It is also hard to recreate the practical learning environment particularly for those with medical needs

Planned expenditure for academic year 2020/2021

QUALITY OF TEACHING FOR ALL PUPILS

Action	Detail	Intended Outcome and Success Criteria
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Provision of remote teaching where limitations of space prevent face to face teaching	Purchase of additional IT equipment and resources to enable staff to teach remotely on site or from home	Increase % attendance and engagement in lessons Continuity of learning – educational targets met
Training to equip staff with necessary skills to and knowledge to deliver the recovery curriculum both face to face and remotely	Curriculum development courses – targeted areas as needed IT courses to develop and improve skills at delivering remote teaching	Pupils and families engage positively in curriculum Engagement from home schools Our own curriculum adapted if needed IT accessible and used creatively Continuity of learning – educ targets met
Improve staff well-being – awareness that individual staff have been impacted to varying degrees by the pandemic	Provision of staff group supervision sessions open to all staff half termly. Leadership team access to 1:1 supervision	Staff absence rates remain stable and manageable Staff well-being support response positive Teaching remains judged as outstanding
Total Budgeted Cost		£31,600

TARGETED SUPPORT		
Action	Detail	Intended Outcome and Success Criteria
Ensuring all pupils can access remote teaching	Provision of IT equipment to pupils otherwise unable to access remote teaching	Continuity of learning – educational targets met

	Additional staffing to support online learning	Pupils and families engage positively in curriculum
Re-engage SEND pupils and improve their sensory awareness/movement/co-ordination	Purchase of SENSE Micro -a portable unit (creates colourful floor projections which respond and interact with body movement)	Increase % attendance & engagement in lessons for SEND pupils
Total Budgeted Cost		£20,000