



## GET FURTHER

Getting students ahead in further education

### HELPING STUDENTS GET FURTHER

Get Further is the first charity dedicated to providing catch-up tuition to students facing challenges in further education, helping them to gain gateway qualifications and **get further** in education and work.



We work directly with colleges to match students in need of extra help in English or maths to a top tutor, who delivers catch-up tuition tailored to the strengths of each student.



All our tutors are talented, subject-specialist graduates, trained by expert teachers and supported by a bespoke curriculum that is tailored to the strengths of each student.



Students join our Get Further Alumni Network, where they are signposted to opportunities and receive support with the transition into higher study and work.

### COVID-19

*Now, more than ever, young people who miss out on crucial English and maths qualifications need extra support to help them progress to their next steps in education and work.*

This autumn, many young people will enrol in college after a six-month gap in education. We know that having a tutor to provide tailored support and rebuild confidence can help students close gaps in their education<sup>1</sup> – but too often, this is out of reach for the poorest young people in further education. Rather than be overlooked, these young people deserve the strongest possible offer to ensure that they **get back on track** and are not held back for the rest of their lives.

### OUR IMPACT

Get Further launched in 2018. Following a successful pilot, we expanded our reach across London, delivering **~470 tuition sessions** to students in the 2019-20 academic year:



**165 STUDENTS**

### OUR REACH



**7 COLLEGES**



**~470 TUITION SESSIONS**

The results we have achieved so far are impressive; last year almost three quarters of students on our programme moved up a grade between the start and end of the programme - **twice the national average**.

With our support, students are **more likely to gain a grade C** at GCSE, get back on track in education and have greater opportunities for progression in their chosen career.

<sup>1</sup> Research has shown small group tuition to be one of the most effective interventions for students from disadvantaged backgrounds, adding an average of **four months progress**. Education Endowment Foundation, (2018), '[Small Group Tuition](#)'.



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# 73%

improved by at least one grade – twice the national average

# 63%

who previously achieved a grade D went on to achieve a grade C – twice the national average

# 1 in 5

improved by at least two grades – compared to less than 1 in 20 nationally

### TUITION CURRICULA AND RESOURCES

Our English and maths curricula have been designed by expert, qualified English and maths teachers, based on:

- Analysis of common misconceptions;
- High-value topics and their frequency in GCSE exams;
- Research-based strategies in curriculum design.

“After a few months of tuition, I completed a mock GCSE English Language exam. I couldn’t believe that I received a Grade 6 - I had jumped four grades with the support of my tutor. I never thought I would get such a high grade.”

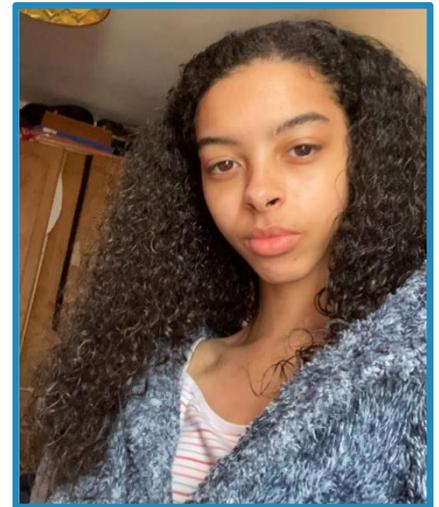
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All our tutors undertake training to support them to make the most of these resources, as well as training in safeguarding, checking for understanding and adapting resources to different student needs.

### MEASURING SUCCESS

Get Further is committed to measuring and evaluating the impact of our work. As part of our partnerships with colleges, we collect data on the following metrics to support with impact evaluation:

1. **Student attendance** at tuition sessions (collected via tutor session reports)
2. **Student baseline** assessment data – we run a baseline quiz at the start and end of the programme to compare progress. Students also can access weekly quizzes throughout the programme to promote independent study.
3. **Student final exam** data
4. **Student motivations** towards English / maths (via surveys at the start and the end of tuition)



Throughout the delivery of the tuition programmes the Get Further team will keep the college updated with weekly attendance reports and to lead teachers and tutor feedback from tuition sessions.

### OUR SUPPORTERS

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