Catch Up Funding 2020 - 2021

Hazelbeck was allocated £34,560 for catch up funding due to Covid pandemic. Assessments were carried out on students' return to school to identify where skills had deteriorated or where restrictions due to Covid were having a significant impact on access to the curriculum.

Identified need	Actions	Spend	Desired outcomes
Communication strategies used within class – students skills have deteriorated during lockdown – focus needed on this as identified through drop ins	Extra additional 3 ½ hours per week of SaLT input to observe students and work with staff to enhance communication and delivery of Elklan to teachers of PMLD students	£7000 £700	More communication opportunities for students available. Improved quality of teaching. Staff being better equipped to meet the dips in students communication
Physical and regulation skills have deteriorated	Training staff to use sensory integration equipment. Buying hydrotherapy equipment for the pool Developing playground with outdoor equipment that would develop students physical needs (e.g. trim trail/ wheelchair swing)	£640/day (8days over the year = £5000 + fogger - £300) £1000 - hydro £7000	More opportunities for students to be physically active and have sunray integration needs met. Quality teaching improves as staff have better understanding of sensory integration and readiness for learning. Student physicality and health improves.
Life skills – adaptations to the curriculum required due to covid restrictions. Need to maintain and enhance lifeskills in different ways	Smoke detectors changed Additional microwave for each class	(14,000) £4000 £500	Students will understand safe use of simple kitchen equipment and be able to use to create a variety of meals. Lifeskills will be maintained an enhanced – often at a level which is more appropriate to independent living.
Developing IT skills to enable more access to blended learning	Set of ipads for classes in school	£5000	Students will build skills and become more familiar with activities set on ipads should a bubble close.