

The Grange Academy

Tutor In A Box helps students bounce back after COVID disruption

Situated in Bushey, Watford, The Grange Academy has approximately 1000 secondary-age pupils. The school were looking to improve their GCSE results, which historically had been lower than hoped. Tutor In A Box were able to help, improving students' confidence and grades.

Prior to partnering with us, The Grange Academy, like many schools across the UK, found that their students were struggling to progress after the disruption of the COVID pandemic. Vice Principal Jon Nagle said that, in order to improve pupils 'confidence and grades they "needed to make a difference moving forward". Grange Academy understood that, without this extra support, students would continue struggle. Enter Tutor In A Box!

After reading our profile on the National Tutoring Programme (NTP) website and reaching out to our team, Mr Nagle was impressed with our good communication, and friendly staff. He also remarked on how we had both "clear tuition options and good pricing options". We set up a trial lesson to show the school how online tutoring would work, and they liked the lesson so much that they signed up! In total, we were able to support 21 year 10 students with their maths and English studies throughout the summer holidays.

To help students get the most out of their learning whilst at home, all of the lessons were organised on a 1:1 pupil tutor basis. Mr Nagle noticed a huge difference, citing happy and confident students, improved outcomes, and excellent participation rates".

Reflecting on the process, Mr Nagle commented that "the students started with little confidence, however this tuition has given them a new and positive outlook on their GCSEs and future chances". As a tuition partner, praise doesn't get much better than that!

The partnership with The Grange Academy was so successful that we are working together again for the 2022-23 academic year, supporting more students with maths and English tuition.