To Improve Outcomes for boys and DA students

Boys and DA student outcomes will improve by:

- Continued commitment to additional staffing More effective use of data
- Creation of additional Year 11 provision
- Personalised action plans
- Raising aspirations and increasing motivation of students
- Targeted intervention

Success Criteria:

DA students and boys progress to improve compared to summer DD4

Increased levels of attendance for boys and DA students

Improved behaviour of boys and DA students (as evidenced by reduction in FTE and loss of Star Points)

Action	Milestones	Timescale	Responsibility	Impact	Resource	Monitoring	Evaluation
a) Use of DDs to identify targeted cohort of DA students and boys for intervention	Students RAG rated and group targeted Intervention planned and delivered Impact reviewed	Nov 2018 Nov 2018 onwards At each DD	PR	Increase in number of DA students on target Yr 8: 75.6% to 80% Gap close to 9% Yr 9: 75.6% to 80% Gap close to 9% Yr 10: 74.3% to 80% Gap close to 5% DD3 uses GCSE grades: A8 85-90% Total A8 Gap to fall from 12.8 to to 10. Yr 11 A8 from Gap 15.32 to fall to 10 for Total A8	Planning time 2 hours Intervention	PR to report to AR	AR to report to evaluation committee See data and evaluation section at the end.

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					Increase in number of male students on target – male only.			
					Year 8 Reach 80% Year 9 Reach 75%			
					Year 10 Reach within 3% of girls			
					Year 11 Reach within 3% of girls			
b)	Increase provision for DA / Boys in Year 11	Intervention and mentoring programme to be created	Nov 2018 onwards	CF / PR CF / PR	A8 of Y11 boys, gap to close to 5 in 2019	Teacher time	PR to report to AR	AR to report to evaluation committee
c)	Departmental DA action plans produced and ragged.	Implementation of plans Review impact.	Nov 2018 January 2019	PR / CM	Increase in number of DA students on target. Clear departmental strategies evaluated.	Meeting time 2 hrs / half term	PR to report to AR	AR to report to evaluation committee
d)	Individual Support Plans for targeted DA students / boys	Barriers to progress identified Action plans developed	Nov 2018 Nov 2018 onwards	PR	Individual improvements to key measures eg attendance, behaviour and progress, ILP created for all DA pupils.	Planning time 2 hrs / student	PR to report to AR	AR to report to evaluation committee
		Impact evaluated	Jan 2019					
e)	Improve attendance for DA students	Improved parental understanding and engagement	Nov 2018	PH/PR	Improvement in DA student attendance from to 93% for year.	Planning and meeting time	PH to report to SLT weekly	AR to report to evaluation committee

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	Implement more rigorous recording and reporting Better awareness of school staff to DA attendance Additional actions as per attendance improvement plan	Oct 2018 onwards Ongoing Ongoing					
f) Targeted behaviour intervention to reduce exclusions of DA students / boys	Students at risk identified Support plans in place Impact reviewed	Sep 2018	PH	Reduced numbers of FTE for DA 16/17 436 17/18 187 18/19 target is 100 Boys 16/17 685 17/18 341 18/19 target is 180	Meeting time 1 hr / week Activities £200	PH to report to SLT half termly	AR to report to evaluation committee
 g) Improve levels of motivation and aspirations amongst boys / DA students 	Identify students with low aspiration / motivation Activities planned and implemented	Ongoing	CF / PR	Improved levels of aspiration and motivation (student voice – ILPs Improved outcomes: attendance, behaviour and progress (compared to 2016-17)	Planning 3 hrs	CF and PR to report to SLT half termly	AR to report to evaluation committee

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h)	Improved awareness of staff re DA students	Students clearly identified by teachers Clear actions after DD for DA students off target	Sep 2018 Nov 2018 onwards	HOLAS	Increase in number of DA students on target (see above targets)	Planning time 2 hrs / half term	HOLAs to report to line managers	Line managers to report to SLT
		Whole staff CPD about culture and correcting assumption that DA=LA.	September 2018	PR	Clear focus on a few targeted strategies.	Free	PR report to AR	
i)	Improved levels and resilience for DA students / boys	Resilience topic covered in PSHCE for Y7 and Y8 - LORIC	Nov 2018 onwards	PR	Students are more confident in their oracy and are closer to work-ready. 6 week scheme on BfL in place and being taught.	Planning 3 hrs Delivery 3 hrs / half term	PR to report to SLT	AR to report to govs Evaluation Committee
		Shakespeare in schools festival – Y7 and Y8 boys DA	November 2018	CS, PR	Primary liaison.	£959	PR report to SLT	AR report to evaluation committee
j)	Implement DA strategy for group of Y11 students to work on 9 GCSEs not 10.	Group targeted Parents contacted	Sept 2018 – June 2019 phase 2	СМ	Data on achievement, behaviour and attendance will improve Progress towards expected progress in core/key subjects will improve DA/PA attendance (currently x 3 of the cohort) will improve significantly	Classroom Core subject resources	CM to report to PR/AR	CM/AR top report to governors

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					Opportunities to engage with further education/apprenticeships/c areers etc. accessed in a smaller, supportive group will ensure all students leave DLS with a post 16 path and action plan			
k)	Institution of homework club on Weds.	Numbers of pupils attending and teachers helping.	September 2018	PR, JBr	Acting upon student' voice taken whilst drawing up ILPs for PP students.		PR, JBr	AR
l)	Distribution of ILPs for PP students to all staff	To be in all teachers' planners.	November 2018	JBr, PSMs	Teachers heed advice from students and numbers of interventions increase.		PR	PR
m)	Use of intervention system on SIMS widened	Each department to have an intervention set up for PP pupils.	November 2018	HoDs	It is easier to record PP interventions and for a strategic overview to be had on what is working.		PR, HoDs	AR
n)	CPD on first/second days.	Greater staff buy-in to schemes for helping PP students – more efficacious actions.	September 2018	PR	Tailored advice from PP pupils to staff.		PR	AR
0)	Some sessions for parents of PP students on how they can help them prepare for exams.	For Y11 parents first then other year groups each half-term. Achievement for All- based programme.	November 2018	PR, JBr, CF	Parents empowered to help build resilience in students.		PR	AR

EVALUATION