



Multiply Education Research Trials

Family Numeracy Programme Funding Guidance

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FUNDING OVERVIEW

Providers that sign up to a Multiply Education Research Trial are eligible to receive funding based on the number of learners and the number of additional guided learning hours per trial. Schools recruited by providers will be randomly allocated to either the trial treatment group or control group. Providers will receive the same funding whether schools are in the treatment or control group, but the timing of payment will vary.

PROVIDER FUNDING ALLOCATION

	Admin premium	10% premium of the <u>planned</u> learner numbers (based on intervention costs) to support learner recruitment, submission of trial data, trial training and travel expenses.	
Treatment		• £7.20 per additional guided learning hour (GLH) based	
group /	Intervention	on <u>recruited</u> number of learners to support delivery of	
Control	costs	the intervention	
group		Plus, area cost and disadvantage cost uplifts will be added, as applicable.	
Additional		Tutors will receive free, high-quality training on how to	

INCENTIVE FOR SCHOOLS

		Schools that recruit 8 or more eligible parents onto the
Treatment		Family Numeracy Programme will receive a £500 incentive
group /	School	for participating in the trial.
Control	incentive	The exact form of the incentive will be confirmed in January
group		2025, but as an example it could be a voucher for maths
		equipment.

















FUNDING REQUIREMENTS

Providers must fulfil certain requirements to be eligible to receive funding, including

- Grants signed by the trial deadline
- Meet agreed milestones, as set out in the grant
- Submit invoices in line with the payment schedule

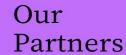
WHEN IS FUNDING PAID?

Providers will receive funding in two payments. The payment dates will vary, depending on whether schools are allocated to the treatment or control group.

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		• 10% premium of the planned learner numbers (based	
		on intervention costs)	
		• 50% of the total Intervention cost, based on submitted	
	First payment	planned learner numbers	
		Plus, one off payment of £1000 per provider	
Treatment		The first payment can be claimed up front, before the	
group		trial begins	
		• 50% of the total Intervention cost, based on actual	
		recruited learner numbers	
	Final payment	The final payment can be claimed after the first	
		payments activities are completed in advance of the	
		final activities	

	10% premium of the planned learner numbers (base)		
		on intervention costs)	
	First payment	Plus, one off payment of £1000 per provider	
		The first payment can be claimed up front, before the	
Control		trial begins	
Group		• 100% of the total Intervention cost, based on actual	
		recruited learner numbers	
	Final payment	The final payment can be claimed after the first	
		payments activities are completed in advance of the	
		final activities	

















EXAMPLE FUNDING ALLOCATION

Trial details

Family Numeracy Programme		
Additional guided learning hours:	12 hours	
Cost per learner per hour:	£7.20	

Example figures and calculation

Additional guided learning hours: 12
Planned number of learners: 11
Recruited number of learners: 10

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	Treatment group	Control group
First payment	10% Admin premium Calculation: (Cost per learner x additional learning hours x planned learner number) x 10% (£7.20 x 12 x 11) x 10% = £95.04 50% Intervention costs Calculation: (Cost per learner x additional learning hours x planned learner number) x 50% (£7.20 x 12 x 11) x 50% = £475.20 The area cost and disadvantage cost uplift will be	10% Admin premium Calculation: (Cost per learner x additional learning hours x planned learner number) x 10% (£7.20 x 12 x 11) x 10% = £95.04
	added as applicable. £1000 one off payment to providers	£1000 one off payment to providers
	50% Intervention costs	100% Intervention costs
	Calculation: (Cost per learner x additional	Calculation: (Cost per learner x
	learning hours x recruited learner number) x	additional learning hours x
	50%	recruited learner number)
Final	$(£7.20 \times 12 \times 10) \times 50\% = £432$	$(£7.20 \times 12 \times 10) = £864$
payment		
	Funding will be adjusted for any overpayment or	The area cost and disadvantage
	underpayment in the first payment.	cost uplift will also be added as
	The area cost and disadvantage cost uplift will also be added as applicable.	applicable.

















FAQs

- 1. When will I know if I am in the treatment or control group? / Do I have a choice?
 - Allocation to treatment or control group is done at random so we are not able to meet preferences for one or the other groups. Allocation will happen in the autumn and providers will be notified quickly after.
- 2. <u>Can I claim AEB funding and Multiply Education Research Trials intervention funding?</u>
 Yes, Providers receiving AEB funding can still take part.
- 3. How do I sign up?

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