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Dear Mayor Khan,

**Grant Determination Letter Devolution of the Adult Education Budget for
Academic Year 2020/21 – Additional Funding: DfE Grant Reference: GRx152**

This Determination is made between:

- (1) **The Secretary of State for Education** and
- (2) **The Mayor of London**

This letter sets out your additional delegated Adult Education Budget (AEB) for the 2020/21 academic year (AY) and confirms the amount you will receive for the 2020-21 financial year (FY).

Your additional delegated AEB for AY 2020/2021 will be transferred in accordance with Section 39A of the Greater London Authority Act 1999 and will be provided to the Greater London Authority on your behalf.

Amount and purpose of the grant

The additional delegated AEB for AY 2020/21 that has been allocated to you is detailed in Annex A. It forms part of the Department's COVID-19 Skills Recovery Package and wider Government plans to protect, support and create jobs and in turn, to boost the economy.

The separate funding letter issued to you on 23 July 2020 refers and provides for further information.

Payment arrangements

The 2020/21 AY spans two financial years and your additional delegated AEB will be paid in two instalments. The first instalment will be paid in September 2020 and is for the 2020-21 FY. The second instalment will be paid in April 2021 along with your overall devolved AEB for 2021-22 FY. Please refer to Annex A.

Arrangements for keeping in touch

Building on existing collaborative arrangements we would like to continue to keep each other updated on progress, including meeting regularly through the continuation of our COVID-19 meetings.

In addition, the delegation letter¹ agreed between you and the Secretary of State sets out what assurances should be in place when carrying out the adult education functions. The Department for Education also has an associated memorandum of understanding in relation to the delegation of adult education functions.

This letter has been copied to the Chief Finance Officer of the Greater London Authority.

Enquiries

Please contact adult.skillsdevolution@education.gov.uk for further information.

Signed by authority of the Minister of State for Education:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D Hastings', written in a cursive style.

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¹ <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/delegation-of-adult-education-letter-to-the-mayor-of-london>

ANNEX A

Additional Devolved AEB payments to Mayoral Combined Authorities and the Greater London Authority for the 2020/21 Academic Year

	2020/21 Academic Year		
	Total	2020-21 FY	2021-22 FY
Cambridgeshire and Peterborough	£486,297	£305,723	£180,574
Greater London Authority (on behalf of the Mayor of London)	£12,943,836	£8,137,485	£4,806,351
Greater Manchester	£3,911,300	£2,458,942	£1,452,358
Liverpool City Region	£2,170,234	£1,364,375	£805,859
North of Tyne	£959,064	£602,942	£356,122
Tees Valley	£1,243,783	£781,937	£461,846
West Midlands	£5,306,839	£3,336,285	£1,970,554
West of England	£622,573	£391,397	£231,176
MCA/GLA Total	£27,643,926	£17,379,086	£10,264,840

Notes:

1. The payment against the 2020-21 FY is in addition to the amount of devolved AEB paid in April 2020.
2. The payment against the 2021-22 FY and covering the period 1 April 2021 to 31st July 2021 will form part of the overall devolved AEB payment for 2021-22 FY.
3. In addition, funding against the 2021-22 FY falls outside the current Spending Review period and the Department is allocating this amount at its own risk. Confirmation will be provided in January 2021 and will be issued under a separate grant letter.
4. The Mayor of London's budget allocation for 2020/21 AY will be transferred to the Greater London Authority (on behalf of the Mayor of London) in accordance with Section 39A of the Greater London Authority Act 1999. All other budget allocations to MCAs as outlined above will be transferred in accordance with Section 31 of the Local Government Act 2003.