

The Issues



The accurate and timely monitoring of pupils' performance is essential as teachers need to be able to track how each pupil is performing against their targets.

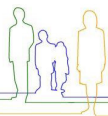
The traditional answer is the hand-written school report that we all know

and love. But their preparation and production at the end of each year is a complex and time consuming activity, and places a major administrative burden on busy teachers at a busy time.

A typical school report demands input from a number of teachers, including the class teacher and head teacher, and needs to be professional, easy to understand and an accurate measurement of the pupil's performance. It also needs to be easily understood by parents and pupils.

At the same time, the report needs to be flexible in meeting the needs of each school and statutory Government requirements.

Schools use a variety of solutions to produce their reports, but none can currently provide the information in real time, online and accessible at any time whether at school or at home. Many schools use reporting systems that cannot easily be shared and this creates particular difficulty for job share and part time teachers.



“For us as teachers, the feedback we have received from the parents has been very encouraging and further confirmed to us that the project was of real benefit to everyone involved with the school.”

School Head Teacher



“We designed **School-rapport** to make the production of the annual report a more purposeful exercise and to provide continual online assessments of children that are available for teachers and parents” said deputy head Elaine Merriman. “It has given us a holistic approach to understanding levels of attainment across the school, feeding into the development of outstanding target setting which fully involves the children and parents. It provides a living document that we use throughout the academic year.”

“School-rapport solves problems of monitoring performance with complete flexibility”



The Benefits

School-rapport overcomes the problems associated with traditional, manual, and non-integrated reports by providing a solution which is continuously updated throughout the year, online and in real time.

School-rapport creates a living document that is easily accessible in the relevant formats for staff, children and parents to use. A key benefit is that, as a web delivered application, the software can be accessed at school or from home.

The need for flexibility is core to the system and ensures that each school can develop its own formats whilst still conforming to statutory Government requirements.

School-rapport combines pupil targeting and tracking, and avoids the need for two separate systems. This ensures that the pupil's performance can be tracked throughout the year against their details and cuts down the time needed for the creation of the annual report.

School-rapport is delivered as “Software as a Service”. This means it is delivered over the internet and is accessible in real time by teachers from school or at home. This ensures there are no data input bottle necks and removes the danger of data being lost or over written.

School-rapport is a powerful, flexible application ideally suited to all school environments.





The Differences

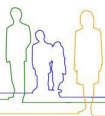
School-rapport provides continuous assessment and performance monitoring throughout the year unlike many conventional school reporting systems. It is a living set of data which can be continually updated in real time.

School-rapport combines pupil targeting and tracking alongside the compilation of the end of year report, rather than requiring three separate programs.

As a web based application, **School-rapport** is easily accessible to all teaching staff at school or at home giving much greater access than conventional systems. When used as a pupil tracking and target tool, our report program enables staff, pupils and parents understand targets and see ongoing progress throughout the year. This is enabled through the program's functionality in producing target sheets for the use in the front of children's books.

The flexibility of **School-rapport** ensures that each school can adapt it to their local requirements. The school can create its own set of statements and maintain these within their own "statement bank".

Using **School-rapport**, pupil information is available throughout the year to help the teacher monitor progress and help the pupil attain expectations. It also provides critical information for parents' evenings and on other occasions when discussing the achievements of pupils.



Key Features

- Can be shared amongst teaching staff and solves the problem of job share.
- Provides continual assessment of pupils in a living document.
- Each annual report builds on prior year assessments.
- Conforms to Statutory Government requirements.
- Easily integrated with existing programs.
- Accessible from work or home.

A very useful report —just the right level of detail.

A very easy to read and transparent document

Parents comments



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