



# Cloud School: Overview

Cloud School is the next generation Cloud based Management Information System (MIS) for Primaries, Secondaries and MATs.

Access key performance data, when you need it - anytime, anywhere, from any device - using Cloud School's easy to use dashboards.

## The challenge

The focus for Multi Academy Trusts is to raise student attainment, share the burden of business operations and centralise decision-making. At Advanced, we understand the challenges MATS face and are proud of the part Cloud School plays in helping our customers achieve these goals. Budget cuts and increased learner numbers means schools and MATS have to do more with less.

Teachers are taking on administrative tasks, which results in less contact time and further adds to their workload. Principals, CEOs and IT managers are looking for innovative ways to modernise their systems in order to increase efficiency and improve access to data. Access to real-time performance data improves decision-making and ensures resources can be targeted at initiatives that will have the greatest impact.

## The Solution

Cloud School is a mature, all phase MIS platform. Cloud School delivers the right information to the right people, as and when they require it.

Easy access to relevant, real-time performance data means staff can concentrate on improving learner outcomes and supporting learners to reach their full potential.

## Cost effective

A move to Cloud Schools represents an opportunity for you to save money as we provide and maintain the Cloud School infrastructure. We backup data on a daily basis and apply new releases on your behalf. This means you avoid the time consuming and costly job of applying upgrades and patches and you and your colleagues are always working on the latest version of the software.

## Safe and secure

You can be confident your data is safe and secure as it is hosted within the Amazon Web Services Cloud infrastructure. This means you will benefit from enterprise level security and support. Cloud School is resilient and monitored 24/7, with regular disaster recovery tests. The solution also complies with both the DPA and the European Data Directive.

A move to Cloud School improves safeguarding by eliminating paper-based reporting. Access to on screen data is password protected and crucially, the role based nature of Cloud School means user profiles can be managed to ensure that users only see data relevant to them and their role.

*"Our senior leaders and teachers will be able to access important data to gain a real-time view of learner progress - at the trust, academy, cohort or learner level - facilitating an efficient and rapid response to any immediate issues identified. In short, this software will empower our academies and staff to positively impact outcomes, in an instant."*

Sally Edwards > Head of Business Intelligence > Academies Enterprise Trust Arts



# Cloud School Fact sheet

## Everything under one roof

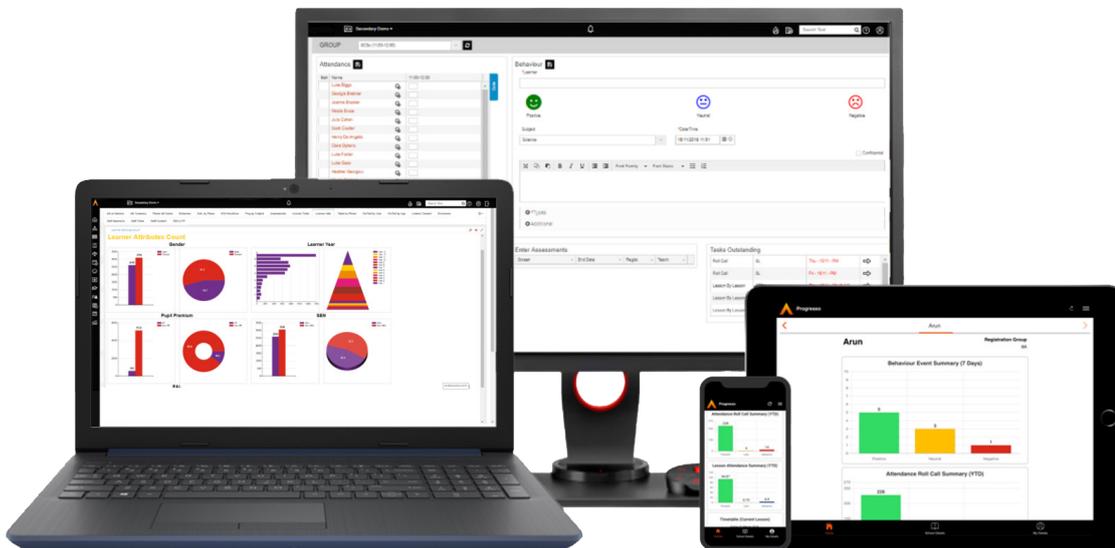
Cloud School users can manage all core functions from one flexible MIS without the need for numerous, expensive add-on modules: attendance, behaviour, census, communications, cover, exams, management information, mark book, parental engagement, safeguarding and SEND, staff management and timetabling.

## Integration and partnerships

Third party suppliers like Cloud School because our open and free to use API makes integration easy. The open API means users have a greater choice of third party technologies and this encourages more 'in school' development. At Advanced, we actively encourage partners to help you get the best out of your investment.

*"We chose Cloud School for a variety of reasons including its ease of use, extensive feature set, Multi-Academy Trust dashboard and reporting. Advanced have been extremely flexible whilst we compared MIS solutions and have provided no obligation demos and quotations throughout. We have agreed a flexible migration plan and schedule that specifically meets our unique needs. Cloud School offers superb value for money."*

Chris Shotter, Trust Business Leader for ICT, Prince Albert Communities Trust



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