

Edugate Scheme

Tablets for Education

Introduction

A tablet has limitless potential for learning, inspiring creativity and delivering outstanding classroom engagement

We aim to revolutionise teaching and learning by allowing teachers to deliver a more interactive classroom experience through the use of tablets.

As technology has now reached a level of maturity, it can be effectively applied in mainstream education without the technical difficulties encountered in the past.

The Edugate Scheme has been designed to implement tablets into teaching at an affordable price. With our flexible payment plans, the institution or parents can make a financial payment for a fixed term and keep the tablet at the end of the agreement.

We will guide and support you throughout the term of the agreement. Providing project management, support, training for teachers and a commitment to resolving any issues.

There are various payment options such as cash purchase or via a small monthly contribution over 1, 2 or 3 Years.

Example cost

iPad mini 16Gb Wi-Fi from £12 per month

iPad 2 16Gb Wi-Fi from £14 per month

iPad Air 16GB Wi-Fi from £16 per month

Samsung Tab 3 7.0" from £10 per month

Samsung Tab 3 10" from £14 per month

Lenovo Windows ThinkPad from £20 per month

All bundles include 3yrs warranty, 3yrs accidental damage and theft insurance and a rugged case.

KEY BENEFITS

Allow the institution or parents to pay monthly for the tablets

1,2 or 3 year low payment terms

A choice of different tablets from leading brands

The institution or parents own the device at the end of the term with no further cost

We manage any technical/insurance claims making it very convenient for you

We provide consistent training and advice throughout the term of your scheme

No credit agreements to enter into

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Why change?

Today, students live in a world different from the ones their parents grew up in. The level of education they receive is in direct relationship to the extent both teachers and students actively participate in this ever changing environment. If the goal is to get students interested and motivated in their own education, mobile technology is well poised to accomplish this.

Mobile devices like tablets and iPad provide better content-rich resources compared to printed textbooks and require interactivity. There are many studies showing the adaption of tablets can lead to better performance from the students, and are regarded as the future of education.

Many companies have already developed mobile apps for teachers and parents to track individual student progress. The students can now work together with parents and teachers in real time to help with learning outcomes that were not possible before.

Mobile technology not only would make teaching more effective and fun, but also can save a significant amount of money. Teachers can communicate via email with students and parents, delivering homework electronically, which could save a significant amount of printing and binding cost.

Why Edugate Scheme?

We strongly believe having the right education technology will significantly improve the way lessons are taught.

The Edugate Scheme allows education institutions to implement mobile technology without the financial restraints or technical difficulties. We make everything clear and simple for you. From consultation to implementation, we will manage the whole process including training for teachers and technical support when required.

Our flexible interest free payment plans means that the devices are more affordable than ever and will promise to beat any high street prices.

All devices will include a protective case, an extended 3 years warranty and 3 years accidental damage and theft insurance.

EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS

- Tablets can hold many textbooks in one device
- Enrich classroom education with cutting edge functions
- Improve student learning performance and result
- Always up to date with information
- Save on printing cost
- Access information anywhere
- Help students prepare for a world immersed in technology

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Education Benefits

Tablets versus textbooks

Tablets can hold hundreds of textbooks in one device, including homework, quizzes, and many other files, eliminating the need for physical storage of books and classroom materials.

In addition, tablets contain many technological features that cannot be found in print textbooks. Such as the ability to highlight, edit text and write notes without ruining a textbook for the next user.

It also has a search function, a backlighting option to read in low light, and a built-in dictionary to make reading and research more convenient. Interactive diagrams and videos increase student creativity, motivation, attentiveness, and engagement with classroom materials.

Enrich classroom education

Tablet allows teachers to customise student learning more effectively. There are thousands of education and tutoring applications on tablets, which teachers can use to tailor student learning to an individual style instead of a one-size-fits-all approach.

Research shows that it can benefit students to learn faster, reducing the learning time by 30-80%, improving student performance and results.

Always up to date

On a tablet, e-textbooks can be updated instantly to get new editions or up-to-date information. Schools will not have to constantly purchase new hardware, software, or new physical copies of textbooks.

Tablets are especially beneficial for subjects that constantly change, such as biology or computer science. In addition, E-textbooks on tablets cost on average 50-60% less than print textbooks, which can save a significant amount of expenses.

Save on printing cost

Tablets lower the amount of paper teachers have to print for handouts, notices and assignments, helping to save the environment and money.

Accessibility

Files on one tablet can be downloaded onto any other tablet, increasing flexibility and convenience for teachers and students.

E-textbooks and other files can be stored on "cloud" servers and accessed on any equivalent device. Users can sign into an account on a different device and access all of their information.

Prepare to the future

Tablets help students better prepare for a world immersed in technology. By learning technology skills early in life, students will be better prepared to pursue relevant careers later in life.

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Implement & Support

Edugate will work closely together with you throughout the whole scheme, from implementation to support. Assisting you in rolling out the scheme to parents and pupils, we will provide Q&A sessions, literature materials and relevant support to suit your institution.

We will provide free analysis on your current systems and infrastructure, checking your wireless network, security and web filtering to make sure it can cope with the demand of multi-devices.

Our technical engineers will keep you updated with the implementation, making sure everything runs smoothly and the best possible solution is applied.

Choosing from a wide range of tablets and cases, we have the flexibility to tailor every aspect of the scheme to suit your needs and requirements.

A portal will be developed specifically for your institution to manage the entire scheme. Each user will have their own login details so they can manage their own device.

The portal can also be used for processing faults or insurance claims, which we will respond within 24 hours to arrange a repair. This prevents the school being undated with issues on each device, making it convenient for the institution and the student.

Monthly contributions are collected via direct debit and are also managed through the Edugate portal to suit each user and can be tailored accordingly.

Training

Apple Professional Development Training (APD) is a development programme designed for teachers that wish to develop and progress in deployment of focused learning and technology integration.

Apple APD training days are issued free to your institution throughout the scheme, the number of days depends on the number of bundles purchased.

There are also a variety of courses from different organisations that are offered and can be used as part of the roll out program. Please contact us for more details.

Deployment & Installation

Unpack & installation of devices in requested location

Start-up process and software installation

Configuration to connect with your wireless network

Testing and quality check

Meeting regarding the deployment and any issues

Sign off the installation

On-going support is provided throughout the duration of the scheme

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