HIGH FLYING ANALYTICS FOR EDUCATION LEADERS

Questa
Educational Intelligence

What is Questa?

Questa is a professional leadership and management tool designed to support executive educators, senior leaders, managers and teachers working in Multi-Academy Trusts (MATs) and their schools.

Questa's web-based, 24-hour service with Office365 single sign-on, provides 'real-time' data reporting and analytics using a powerful combination of Questa Educational Intelligence and Microsoft Power BI.
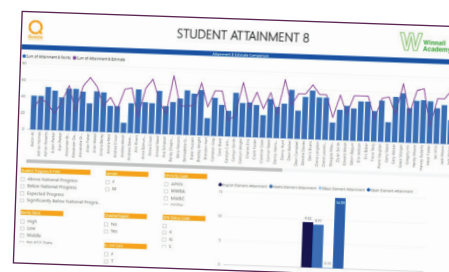
This enables users to effectively manage their trust and school business and finances, at the same time as monitoring and comparing the performance and progress of every student, subject, teacher and school.

Questa users can make quicker, more accurate and better informed decisions about their students and schools. They can spot behaviour and attainment trends early, allowing them to direct interventions and identify best practice.

A wide range of customised dashboards allow appropriate strategies to be developed and implemented promptly, raising standards and driving improvement, not just at individual schools but ultimately across the whole of the trust.

As Questa is designed for both School and Trust use, there's no need to buy different systems – Questa does the job for everyone!

Questa's analytics are fully interactive and hosted using Microsoft Azure, in a Level 1 data centre. Data is uploaded directly from each school, via multiple sources, including MIS systems, spreadsheets, behaviour management systems, assessment tracking systems, lesson observation systems, finance systems or individual school databases. Questa then carries out analysis and correlation of the data, at both trust and school level.

Questa enables teaching and administrative staff to scrutinise a wide selection of key information, ranging from behaviour incidents, progress scores and targets through to termly assessments and final exam grades. Filters can be set for particular student groups E.g. SEN, FSM, disadvantaged or gender. These groups can then be compared and monitored trust-wide.

Since Questa is an online service, it requires no technical expertise on site, internet access and a browser is all that is required. Exam results can be uploaded in a fraction of the time and performance instantly measured against other schools using the integrated National Data Set.

Questa presents the data to users in a series of over 100 easy-to-navigate dashboards – all fully automated, updating instantly as new data is uploaded at either trust or school level.

Comparative dashboards for each school include 'Attainment & Progress', 'Behaviour & Attendance' and 'Lesson Observation'.

Questa provides a module for Trust Management, containing business critical elements, which includes dashboards for Catering, ICT, HR, Resources, Finance.

Questa fully understands that data and analysis requirements differ between users and has customised dashboards for Trust Management Boards, Senior Leadership Teams, School Middle Leaders, Classroom Teachers and Governors.

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