



Elmstead Primary School

# Elmstead Primary School Partner With JTRS & Introduce A New iPad Classroom Solution On A Flexible Subscription

Elmstead Primary School based in Colchester with 215 pupils on roll, worked closely with JTRS to deploy an iPad Classroom solution for teachers and pupils using Mini BOS; our iPad Class Set subscription solution.



## THE CHALLENGE

Elmstead Primary School were already a school using iPad within the classroom. Following reflection on how their existing technology was being used, school leadership wished to enhance the use of mobile technologies across all areas of the curriculum. They also had a particular focus on using iPad as a tool to develop the computing curriculum. Funding for a new iPad solution was to be provided by the PTA and they needed to also consider a cost effective way of spreading the cost over time.



## THE SOLUTION

JTRS initially provided technical assistance and redeployed the existing iPads to be utilised as a shared resource across the school. Mini BOS was then chosen as the perfect solution for the new devices. Mini BOS subscription enabled Elmstead to access the latest iPad device and expert services. The Boost options enabled Elmstead to invest in ongoing Apple Professional Learning to support their teachers with the development of iPad across the curriculum.



## THE RESULT

Access to the latest devices combined with bespoke professional development for teachers has been immediately positive. Training in particular has played a pivotal role in developing the use of the iPad across all areas of the curriculum. This has been achieved through the use of meaningful cross-curricular apps and the delivery of coaching and mentoring sessions, where teachers and JTRS trainers work closely to integrate iPad into planning and team teach lessons.

### WE DID IT! FAST ROLL-OUT

A paperless process using electronic signature, with deployment in one go just a few days after contracts were e-signed

### IMPACT

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Mini BOS solution deployed



### ADDED VALUE:

#### FOR ELMSTEAD PRIMARY SCHOOL

32 iPad Classroom Solutions Deployed

One single monthly price including device and expert services, saving them significant time and money whilst providing ongoing support.

No ownership burden

#### FOR PUPILS

Providing a wide range of digital experiences for children through which they will acquire knowledge and develop skills, which can be applied both now and in later life.



### IN THEIR OWN WORDS...

"The Mini BOS subscription was an ideal solution for us as being able to access the latest devices with key services is invaluable. The introduction of our new iPad solution, in conjunction with the Apple Professional Learning, has had an immediate impact on teaching and learning within our school. Our children are reaping the benefits of having access to such a versatile tool that enables a more creative and personal approach to learning across the whole curriculum. The ongoing bespoke Apple Professional Learning programme for our teachers and staff, for just £1 extra per device per month, has enabled teachers to develop their skills and enhance the children's learning experience".

IAN MACDONALD, HEADTEACHER

