

# Digital skills review

Professional survey – benchmarked report – education focused

Data sheet

**Technology use is expanding, and tools are changing all the time. Keeping teaching staff up to date is more important now than ever before. The digital skills review is the first step to identifying any knowledge gaps and increasing staff confidence in leveraging technology.**

## Services overview

The Digital Skills Review gives you a snapshot of the current knowledge and skills within your organisation around digital technology.

Our survey is designed and delivered by educational consultants with current expertise in driving digital transformation across schools and trusts.

The service offers the design and creation of an online survey, a report covering readiness for change, awareness and understanding of tools and proficiency in the use of tools. This is broken down by school and role to be able to pinpoint areas for improvement.

Business outcome	Benefit
Improved clarity over staff skills	Through holistic reporting understand where your staff are in terms of getting the most out of the technology that is available to them.
Benchmarking data	Review where you are against other trusts and schools in England through the RM benchmarking data around the use of digital tools.
Change readiness awareness	Understand how ready for change your staff are when planning a programme of new technology implementations.
Feed your strategy with expert insights	Talk with our educationalist experts about what you could do to support your vision and build a strategic plan to help work towards that vision.

“ For us, RM were there when we needed them, providing help and advice, and keeping us informed. We are teachers and educationalists – we are not technologists – I just don’t see how a school could have done this without a partner like RM to call upon ”

**Leora Cruddas**  
Confederation of School Trusts

## Key service features

### User-friendly survey

- ✓ Simple to fill out survey that takes no more than 20 minutes to complete.

### Comprehensive skill analysis

- ✓ Includes in depth assessment of skills to identify strengths and weaknesses in specific groups allow for planning cross team collaboration to drive improvement and embedding work.

### Digital pedagogy evaluation

- ✓ Assess the ability of educators to effectively use digital tools for teaching, including their knowledge of online resources, digital curriculum development, and interactive teaching methods.

### Customisation options

- ✓ Allow schools and trusts to customize certain aspects of the survey to align with their specific setup.

### Progress tracking

- ✓ Can be used to track progress on a yearly basis to test the success of initiatives.

### Reporting

- ✓ Generation of a detailed report broken down by school, role and digital skill with educationalist commentary to allow clear insights into the results.

### Recommendations and action plans

- ✓ Provide recommendations based on the assessment results, suggesting areas for improvement, and offering actionable steps to enhance digital skills.

### Privacy and data security

- ✓ Data collected does not include personal information and any information gathered is held securely and not shared.

### Benchmarking

- ✓ The report includes a benchmark against the RM baseline, these scores are derived from our UK wide customer base and able to give an indication of where you stand in each category.

## Why RM?



### Smart

Innovation is at the heart of our business, and we continue to explore advanced technologies, bringing to market pioneering ideas that respond to shifting educational tech needs in an unpredictable world.



### Safe

The safety and safeguarding of our students is at the forefront of our minds and is the number one consideration when designing and delivering our IT services. We are setting the standard in the industry for safe use of technology in and out of the classroom.



### Secure

Cyber threats are a major & growing concern for any trust or school. Our portfolio of IT security services mitigate the risk of a cyber-attack by highlighting vulnerabilities, implementing solutions & building resilience through training to improve your security posture.

## Our certifications

Working with RM you can be assured that you will receive a high-quality service alongside our expertise and knowledge of supporting schools with their technology. Our school IT services are backed up by a range of educational and technology certifications and partnerships.



If you are interested in hearing more about any of our services, please connect with your regular RM contact, or if you don't have one, send us an email at [getintouch@rm.com](mailto:getintouch@rm.com)

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