

# Student success through empowered teaching



English  
**Mastery**



Mathematics  
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Science  
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# Enabling success for all students

Teachers hold the key to unlocking students' potential, and we are here to help you on that journey.

We help you provide your best teaching to all students, working with you to close the attainment gap. We've seen the impact on disadvantaged students and exist to ensure that all students, particularly those from disadvantaged backgrounds, have the opportunities that an excellent education provides.



### Our curriculum programmes have been proven to:

- Have a positive impact on pupil progress and attainment
- Deepen pupils' understanding of key concepts
- Engage pupils and increase their enjoyment of lessons
- Make more impactful use of teacher time
- Drive change and improve teaching

Our partner schools and trusts are supported every step of the way. We believe in working *with* schools to enable systematic, long-term change to happen from within.

Through improved subject knowledge, pedagogic content knowledge, curriculum and lesson design and formative assessment, we enable teachers to make informed adaptations to ensure all lessons are right for the children in their particular class.

Our programmes are kept fresh with innovation and improvement as necessary, informed by evidence derived from world-leading educational research and feedback from our partner schools.



“ Since launching the programme, maths is now a key strength in our school. Visitors are blown away when they see the enthusiasm and engagement of pupils. Crucially, the emphasis on reasoning and language has raised the bar in other curriculum subjects. We now apply many of the principles elsewhere across the school.”

**Michelle Thomas, Executive Headteacher, The New Wave Foundation**



“ The programme has enabled our teachers and leaders to put subject knowledge and passion back at the heart of what they do, allowing them to spend more time on teacher craft, differentiation and how best to deliver content to meet each child's needs.”

**Alison Enyon, English Mastery Partnership Lead, Oasis Community Learning**



# Our programmes



## Mathematics Mastery

Available for EYFS and Key Stages 1, 2 and 3

Mathematics Mastery provides learners with a deep conceptual understanding of mathematical principles, the ability to confidently communicate in precise mathematical language while becoming mathematical thinkers.

### Also available:



Enabling teaching assistants and other non-teaching staff to deliver high-quality intervention sessions in 1:1 and small group settings, with minimal preparation time.

Available with Mathematics Mastery or as a standalone purchase.



## English Mastery

Available for Key Stage 3

Believing in a rigorous, academically challenging and joyous education, English Mastery provides English students with the academic and cultural literacy to be educationally mobile, whatever their background.

### Also available:



## Writing Mastery

Helping students improve their writing, enabling them to clearly articulate creative, complex ideas. Available within English Mastery or as a standalone purchase.



## Science Mastery

Available for Key Stage 3

Helping you engage students, offering targeted support and increases teachers' confidence in teaching all areas of Science.



# Our approach

We are committed to our partnership together, knowing the journey to full-school transformation takes dedication and a consistent approach over time.

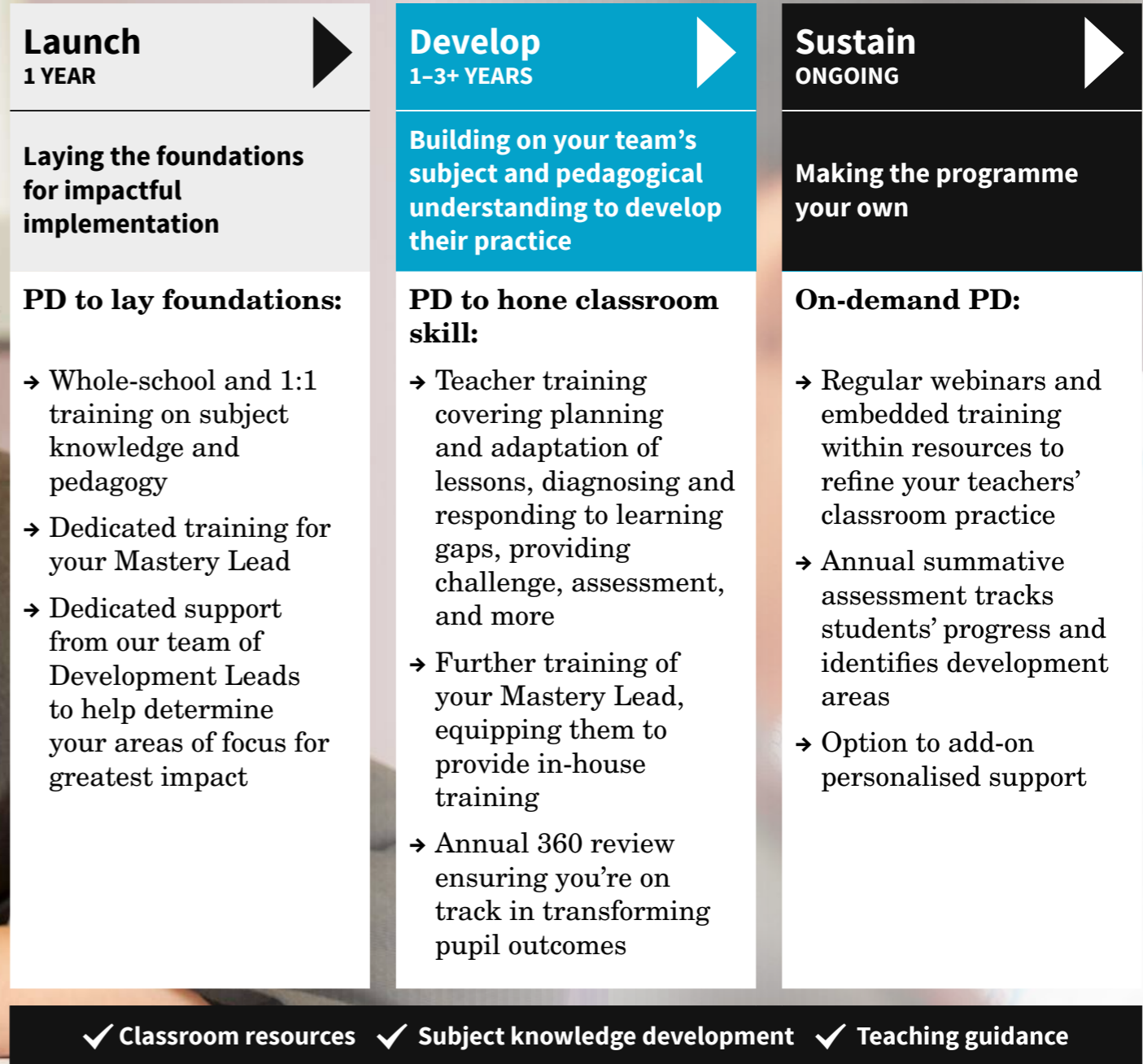
## Providing integrated, consistent professional development, helping you improve students outcomes

We work with a goal in mind – to help your teachers deliver their best teaching possible. Our style of support responds to your team’s growing confidence and expertise.

Stage 1: Launch







Stage 2: Develop

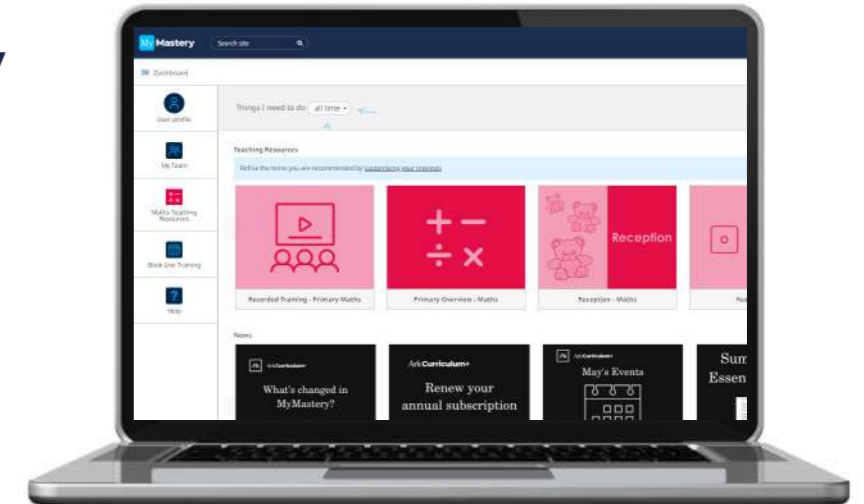
Stage 3: Sustain








# What do our Mastery programmes include?

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|  <p><b>Subject curriculum</b></p> <p>A well-sequenced and interlinked curriculum that ensures students develop the skills they need to succeed.</p>                        |  <p><b>Support and training</b></p> <p>A wide range of professional development and training that develops in-house expertise, pedagogical understanding and classroom practice.</p> |  <p><b>Planning tools</b></p> <p>Comprehensive support for delivering each unit including lesson overviews, key learning summaries and video tutorials.</p>   |
|  <p><b>Fully adaptable lesson resources</b></p> <p>A suite of flexible classroom resources including editable lesson slides, activities and tasks to support learning.</p> |  <p><b>Integrated assessment</b></p> <p>Formative assessment is integrated throughout each programme, enabling teachers to assess depth of understanding and scaffold learning.</p>  |  <p><b>Intervention resources</b></p> <p>Intervention tasks provide opportunities to identify misconceptions and gaps in learning. Catch-up activities can then be used to consolidate understanding.</p> |



Our MyMastery learning platform is at the heart of each mastery programme – offering easy ‘anytime, anywhere’ access to the full suite of content.

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|  <p><b>Overview</b> areas guide you through the journey students will go through as they progress through the key stage, and how you as a teacher will navigate the curriculum to best support them.</p> |  <p><b>Year group</b> areas allow you to journey through the programme, unit-by-unit.</p> <p>Here, you’ll find lesson slides, collaborative planning resources and lesson overviews integrated with evidence-informed hints and tips on each unit from expert teachers, which you can choose to incorporate into your teaching.</p> |  <p><b>Training</b> areas provide your teachers with a range of professional development opportunities with sections relevant to early career teachers, non-subject specialists and experienced teachers.</p> <p>Our highly-rated induction training is also found in this area.</p> |
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# Mastery for all

Mastery is an **impact-driven, knowledge and disciplinary-rich approach** to curriculum, planning, assessment and professional development.

We believe:

- That every child can succeed, regardless of background
- That the teacher makes the difference
- In being informed by evidence and research
- In working in partnership with schools



## Proven impact

Mathematics Mastery has been shown by the Education Endowment Foundation (EEF) to give pupils on average one month's additional progress after one year on the programme.



The Brilliant Club found that on average, English Mastery pupils make four months additional progress when compared to pupils not studying the programme.



**96%** of school leaders say the programme has deepened pupils' understanding of mathematical concepts.

**98%** say pupils enjoy maths lessons.

“It's very cool to see how students really get into the material. We're in a city school with some very difficult students and now they are engaged and having arguments about maths.”

**Tom Vinten, Deputy Head of Maths, Ark All Saints Academy**


Visit [arkcurriculumplus.org.uk/impact](http://arkcurriculumplus.org.uk/impact) to hear more about the positive impact our programmes have had in schools just like yours.

“The English Mastery programme does so much more than improve pupil outcomes. It is a key way to address the cultural capital deficit that our children experience. The programme prepares pupils for their future.”

**Becky Curtis, Principal, Ark Elvin Academy, Wembley**

“I would really recommend Science Mastery for any schools that are looking to see impact in their science curriculum and for their pupils science knowledge to develop in a short space of time. Also, it's really great for developing teacher expertise and as a bonus it really saves teachers time.”

**Georgie Pick, Head of Science, Ark Pioneer Academy**

A woman with dark hair styled in a bun, wearing a dark blue blazer and a black lanyard with 'STAFF' written on it, is smiling and looking down at an open book she is holding. The background is a bright blue wall.

## Choose the package that's right for your school

Our friendly partnerships team will be happy to talk you through the programmes and help you decide on the right approach and package for your school.

To book a demo, or sign up for a free trial, contact us on:

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