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PRIMARY

RESOURCE AWARDS 2018



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*fantastic resources
that are worth
the money*



Hello!



It's no secret that funding in schools is extremely tight at the moment. If your budget has been slashed, it's even more essential that the resources you do splash out on are top-notch and enable you to deliver the education that your pupils deserve. But with such a crowded marketplace when it comes to

resources, how can you ensure that you're using the very best?

The new Teach Primary Resource Awards are our way of throwing the spotlight on some of the best products available. This is the first time we've put the call out to the sector but the response has been fantastic. We have some very worthy winners to share with you here, all assessed by our expert judging panel.

In each category you'll find a five-, four- and three-star winner. Our finalists were judged on their suitability, originality, educational impact, value for money, accessibility and capacity to withstand the rigours of use in a busy primary setting!

Some of the resources you'll find on the following pages are straightforward, others more complex, but all offer children and teachers something different. We hope you enjoy seeing who has emerged triumphant this year – and that you'll find something your school could use...

Elaine Bennett, Editor



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Our judges

THE FINALISTS IN THIS YEAR'S TEACH PRIMARY RESOURCE AWARDS WERE ASSESSED BY OUR PANEL OF EXPERTS – HERE'S A BIT MORE ABOUT THEM ALL...

Literacy & English



TRACY PARVIN
President of United Kingdom Literacy Association

Geography



ALAN KINDER
CEO of Geographical Association

Music



GARY SPRUCE
Visiting lecturer in education and academic consultant

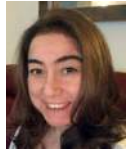
Citizenship & PSHE



DAVID KERR
Consultant director of education at Citizenship Foundation

Maths

MELANIE MULDOWNEY
Chair of teaching committee at Mathematical Association



Thank you to all of our expert judges for their verdicts



Computing & Digital Device

SARAH ZAMAN
Regional coordinator at Computing at School North West Manchester

Science



KULVINDER KAUR JOHAL
Chartered science teacher, assistant head and science coordinator

MFL



ANNA LISE GORDON
President of Association for Language Learning

SEN



ALISON WILCOX
Head of education at National Association of Special Educational Needs

Free resource



JOHN DABELL
Teacher and regular Teach Primary reviewer





Qubizm

IZAK9

Izak9 has been developed by Qubizm in Northern Ireland, where it is already in use in 45% of schools. It combines the use of a set of physical cubes with a portfolio of online support material, facilitated by two animated characters, Abacus and Helix, who have their own virtual set of cubes, identical to those used by the children. While its developers encourage teachers to use the cubes to suit individual schools' planning and the needs of your particular class, the online resources feature more than 30 tasks to get you started. The cubes can be used to teach fractions, percentages, decimals, equivalence, shape and more.

Visit izak9.com



"The cubes are very tactile and we couldn't resist coming up with ideas about how we would use them in lessons."

MELANIE MULDOWNEY



Buzzard Publishing

CANDO GEOMETRY

CanDo Geometry consists of three parts, with each objective from Y1-6 broken down into key learning points. The first of these is Colin's TV - a sequence of animations featuring Colin the CanDo Caribou to guide your teaching of geometry. The second is PDF learning mats which can be printed onto A3 paper to act as discussion prompts. The final part comprises the 'Red Button' - these are PDF activities to explore the topic in more depth. Each objective from Y1-6 is broken down into key learning points. Visit buzzardpublishing.com



"There are problems to solve, reasoning activities, purposeful practice and support for teaching through the learning mats and Red Button activities."

MELANIE MULDOWNEY



3P Learning Ltd

MATHLETICS

Mathletics is an online maths resource designed for personalised teaching and learning. Pupils have access to over 1,200 curriculum-aligned learning resources, including activities, eBooks, videos and a times tables challenge. Each activity adapts automatically, evolving as students progress in understanding, while games in the 'Play' area target maths fluency. For teachers, Mathletics offers immediate snapshots of student results, automated reports, customisation capabilities and an 'Assign' function which allows you to plan ahead. Visit uk.mathletics.com



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