

Using EducationCity's Assessment Tools to Maximise Teaching & Learning

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It's important to assess students' performance to raise attainment levels and maximise achievement.

EducationCity provides assessment tools for schools to help them manage students' performance.

Springwell Park Primary School, Liverpool, is an avid user of these tools. Phil Nottingham, teacher there, explains how the school has embraced them.

The school has approximately 370 students. Every student uses EducationCity, the award-winning primary resource, both in school, and at home, with Home Access*.



Springwell Park Primary School students using MyCity

Using SuccessTracker to Record Progress

Phil Nottingham explains that Springwell Park Primary School makes particular good use of EducationCity's SuccessTracker to track students' progress.

What's SuccessTracker?

SuccessTracker is a progress tracking feature which creates a portfolio of academic achievements for each student from the content they have accessed.

SuccessTracker offers teachers an effective tool to identify those students that have accessed EducationCity away from school

Also, SuccessTracker automatically records students' scores from Activities and Tests taken which allows the teachers to follow progress. This means they can address any weaknesses, either by tweaking the resources students are accessing or direct teaching intervention.

Making Use of MyCity to Increase Students' Attainment Levels

An assessment tool used alongside SuccessTracker is MyCity. Mr Nottingham looks at the scores recorded in SuccessTracker and uses these to plot the path students will take in their learning by setting content in a MyCity.

What's MyCity?

A MyCity is an area where you can put content from across EducationCity.

For instance, students could master a skill quickly and Mr Nottingham has evidence of this in SuccessTracker and can move on to another area by setting a MyCity that reflects this.

The school also uses the Tracking tab in MyCity, which shows students' progress. As scores are automatically recorded here, they use it to gauge how students are progressing with any set work.

Overall, EducationCity's assessment tools are a great help for Springwell Park Primary School.

“ I use the Tracking tab in MyCity to identify those children that are making progress with independent work.”

*Phil Nottingham
Teacher & ICT Co-ordinator
Springwell Park Primary School*

