

The Connect Platform



A new language programme for all schools & pupils

After more than a decade of teaching Mandarin Chinese in schools and in homes, we are now launching our new Multi-Lingual Online Classroom programme across the UK. The Mandarin programme ran in around 50 schools last academic year.

How does it work?

We believe in small group teaching online! A standard class is split into four manageable groups, taught by two experienced teachers over the course of a timetabled class. Students will either be with the teacher for the first half of the class or engaged on our Online Learning Platform before swapping for the other half.

Fun and effective – students love the small group format, enabling a higher level of interaction

Great teachers – the online nature of the offering means that we have access to teachers nationwide

Flexible – the lessons can take place at any time during the week and fit into any school timetable

Budget-friendly – 2 great teachers are provided at a manageable cost, with all course material included

Measureable results – our Online Learning Platforms record all the students' online work

Interactive games – the Platforms are made up of interactive and engaging online games

Supporting the 1 in 5 primary school children in the UK with EAL.

Help decrease the academic attainment gap and mitigate the impact of (lockdown?).

Classes can connect children from different schools and locations in a fun, social learning environment

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Dragons Teaching did a fantastic job for us with our taster course for Year 6. The last two terms have been challenging for everyone, but year 6 really enjoyed having the experience of learning Mandarin via Zoom in their own homes.

Mr Edward Ball
Deputy Head, Orchard House School





About our EAL Programme

- EALConnect aligns with the Common European Framework levels A1 and A2
- Perfect for young learners new to the UK who want to master basic English in a fun, structured way
- Schemes of work specially created for Dragons by experienced, professional EAL teachers
- Accompanying app consolidates learning through colourful, fun games and activities
- Parents can follow their child's progress on the Parent Dashboard

Fun, engaging content led by outstanding EAL teachers

Content linked to the award-winning Study Cat EAL platform

Helps Key Stage 1 and 2 children master the early stages of the English language



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The enthusiasm of the girls is outstanding – they really enjoy the lessons and also the interactive resources outside class.

Rosalynd Kamaryc
Principal, Queen's Gate School



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Dragons Teaching have a great solution to the difficulties that schools face in recruiting high quality language teachers.

Matthew Cornish, Head of Year 6
Chiswick and Bedford Park School

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The online teaching went very smoothly. Dragons Teaching sent over all of the details regarding the setup. The staff were friendly, organised and knew exactly what they were doing.

D McNicholls, Head of IT,
The Mall School, Surrey

Get Started

Connect runs with 4-6 students per class.

The only requirements are:

- Broadband DragonsConnection
- 1 x PC/Mac/iPad per student
- 1 x headphone with mic per student
- A member of school staff to supervise the class

Learn more

Classes cost £15/hour, and run typically after-school or at weekends. This includes all learning resources, set-up support and teaching time. This price also includes a set of student results and certificates, which will be provided at the end of the course.

Contact us on enquiries@dragonsteaching.com
or
check out www.dragonsteaching.com

Why do this?

- Engagement – pupils have shown high levels of engagement when learning online, and supported by an Online Learning Platform
- Measurement – the course allows full tracking of pupil progress and provides data/metrics for reporting purposes
- Literacy/numeracy combined with cultural studies – students are able to gain invaluable cultural knowledge whilst simultaneously learning basic language/number skills

