

Transforming lives through learning

Tribal is one of the country's leading and trusted partners to the education sector. We work across all phases of education and provide a positive contribution to learning and driving improvement at all levels. We are delighted to be partnering with Monkseaton Language College, Microsoft and North Tyneside Council on this pioneering project.

Our education and technology division employs 900 members of staff across the UK. Many are recognised experts with a track record in providing services to the education sector. Our range of services includes:

- innovative e-learning and ICT solutions for a number of sectors
- organisational and strategic improvement services, including benchmarking
- learning materials and qualification development
- professional development and training
- children's services consultancy and support
- school improvement services, including BSF and capital project support

We work with the majority of schools, colleges, universities, work-based learning providers, local authorities and government agencies across the UK. The breadth of our work ranges from the creation of unique IT solutions to developing exceptional leaders of the future; from designing inspirational new schools and colleges to project managing the transformation of those designs into reality.

What makes us different?

What makes us different is our insight and expertise in all areas of education. Through our close working relationships across all levels of education, we are uniquely positioned to promote and enhance collaborative working and to help our clients become leaders in improving education.

Our approach to partnership working and our commitment to a vision of improving services to learners enable us to make a positive impact on the lives of thousands of children and young people, as well as learners of all ages and from all walks of life. Our aim is to transform lives through learning.

What do we do?

Tribal's work across the education sector has a real impact on people's lives and we improve life chances. We work across all segments of the education sector as well as the DfES (Department for Education and Skills). We work with:

Schools

Tribal works with 85% of secondary schools to provide services from performance improvement, to curriculum planning. We also provide technology and multimedia solutions to improve teaching and learning. Some of our projects include:

- working with 51 schools and over 3,000 students to improve GCSE results through our 'Pupils' Champions!'™ project
- project management of academies including four most recently at Finchley, Nottingham, Rhodesway and Mansfield. Academies promote collaboration between secondary education and further and higher education and form a key role in achieving the Government's 14-19 vision

Children's services and local authorities

Tribal provides a full range of services to support all aspects of local government and children's services. We have supported local government and their partners for over 20 years and we work with over 75% of local authorities and partners. Some of our projects include:

- the provision of a new schools admissions software system for Hertfordshire County Council
- provision of ICT consultancy and business case production for Southwark Local Education Authority BSF programme
- provision of a web-based, integrated managed learning environment for the Kent Adult Education Service, the largest adult education provider in the UK. The services has a staff of 1,600 tutors and caters for 120,000 enrolments at 290 locations
- A project to provide benchmarking services to the Department of Life Long Learning and Skills in Wales (ELWa)

FE

Tribal currently works with 85% of all FE colleges across the UK, providing a wide range of services including curriculum design, service improvement and delivery, benchmarking and management information systems. Some of our projects include:

- Beacon award-winning mobile learning equipment and content for Pembrokeshire College
- the provision of our leading ebs4 student management information system in Carmarthenshire College and Deeside College

HE

Tribal is the market leader in the provision of MIS solutions to higher education and we supply 65% of the UK market. A number of our clients are members of the prestigious Russell Group and we also provide benchmarking services to around 35% of the sector. Some of our projects include:

- enabling the University of Edinburgh to become a world-leading institution and UK centre of excellence through the provision of leading edge student and course management software and professional services

Work-based learning

Tribal provides a wide range of technology and training solutions to employers looking to up skill their workforce and improve their business. Our clients range from international fast food chains to motor manufacturers. Some of our projects include:

- providing McDonalds employees with flexible online learning content and facilities to improve their skills and progression opportunities

DfES (Department for Education and Skills) and Non Departmental Government Bodies

We have a track record across all government departments and agencies of quickly identifying the appropriate solution and approach to meet clients' needs, while providing quality and value for money:

- management of improvement advisory service for the QIA (Quality Improvement Agency)
- improving the provision of literacy, numeracy and online learning for post-16 students through the running of the national Move On project in collaboration with the Department for Education and Skills (DfES) and the Quality Improvement Agency (QIA).
- Management of the National Centre for Excellence in the Teaching of Mathematics (NCETM) which includes the provision of a national portal, the management of a network of regional co-ordinators and the delivery / promotion of CPD to promote excellence in mathematics and raise standards.

Our role in the Learning Innovation Trust

Tribal's role within the Learning Innovation Trust at Monkseaton Language College will be to provide access to expert education advice and guidance, along with our innovative technology applications in partnership with Microsoft, to support learning and development. Both our understanding and our wide range of intelligent technology and software solutions may add to the focus on delivering improved outcomes and provide opportunities for pupils to progress with their education.

We will also bring experience and expertise around children's services. Our unique, culture-based approach of combining a diversity of skills and experience enables us to place the well-being of children and young people at the centre of everything we do. We currently provide a wide range of support to local authorities, primary care trusts and the independent sector to address Every Child Matters and the National Services Framework (NSF) for children and young people.

We will provide input to the creation of tailored continuing professional development (CPD) and training programmes and expertise to ensure that Trust staff are equipped with the skills to ensure that the Learning Innovation Trust can drive forward improvement and be a centre of excellence to other schools and the community.

Tribal offers the experience of best practice from across all phases of education. We have a diverse and experienced network of staff across the UK who have the skills and proven track record which is unrivalled within the sector. We are actively involved in current education agendas including 14-19 and FE reform and can provide the facilities for collaboration and partnership development.

The Learning Innovation Trust perfectly represents Tribal's mission and core purpose. We improve services to learners and as a result life chances. Leading improvements in education is at the heart of everything we do. Tribal therefore provides a firm and passionate commitment to the Trust and to the sector as a whole.