

Benefits Guide

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MIS Benefits for Teachers:

- Modern and efficient User Interface for the SIMS MIS system
- Using Everest teachers can efficiently perform daily classroom tasks such as taking attendance, setting Behaviour, Achievements and Communications
- ✓ Reduce classroom administration time by up to 60%
- Your teachers will have more time to spend on teaching and learning activities.
- Rapid access to all important student MIS and LMS data such as grades, timetable, contact information, and attendance history.
- Timetable and any updates (including cover) from the SIMS MIS system are automatically reflected
- Communicate with parents, students, sports teams or clubs via e-mail or in-app notifications that automatically appear as an alert on the phones home screen – no need for SMS!!
- Enterprise Search capabilities across the entire school and MIS and LMS platforms

LMS Benefits for Teachers:

- New LMS features are provided to the teacher in an efficient, easy to use application
- LMS features include gradebook, curriculum management and homework delivery
- Virtually no training required with this highly intuitive interface
- Gradebook module allows teachers the flexibility to enter grades as they mark the homework, whether this is at home or in the school
- Gradebook marks and results are written back to the SIMS MIS system
- Video on-demand Training is available for the Gradebook module
- Curriculum Management features include Lesson planning and bulk scheduling
- Homework features include electronic delivery of material including documents, instructions, web links and this can also be bulk scheduled
- Everest fosters collaboration between teachers by allowing the creation and re-use of Lesson Plans, Homework, and File and Web Link Resources within the school

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Benefits for Parents:

- View your child's Homework including subjects, due dates and all supporting material
- View your child's Achievements merits, house points and other awards
- View your child's Behaviour issues feedback from teachers 'real-time'
- View your child's Attendance for the week, month, term or entire year
- View your child's Timetable including extra curriculum and sports activities
- View your child's subject grades real-time awareness of marks or effort
- ✓ View your child's school reports present and historical
- Everest works with multiple schools so that you can easily switch between children

Benefits for Students:

- View your Homework including subjects, due dates and all supporting material
- View your Achievements merits, house points and other awards
- View your Behaviour issues feedback from teachers 'real-time'
- View your Attendance for the week, month, term or entire year
- View your Timetable including extra curriculum and sports activities
- View your subject grades real-time awareness of marks or effort
- ✓ View your school reports present and historical

Infrastructure Benefits:

- Low cost remote access solution for staff thus eliminating the need for expensive Microsoft & Citrix licenses
- All data is synchronized (two-way) in a highly efficient and secure manner so all MIS data is retained in the SIMS database
- Everest replaces multiple niche applications thus reducing the number of 3rd party applications that need to be managed and supported
- Leverages Azure and Office 365 for authentication providing a single sign-on experience
- Supports Facebook and Google authentication for Parent registration which offloads user creation and management – no need to reset Parent's passwords!!
- Everest is supported on a wide range of Apple, Android and Windows platforms including tablets, smartphones, laptops and PCs making it a truly multi-platform application

Infrastructure Benefits:

- Everest utilizes both push notification and emails to help your staff engage with Parents and Students regardless of the devices used
- Everest holds metadata for non-critical LMS data but all critical MIS data is written back to the SIMS database
- Everest implementation is very straightforward and just requires a new Windows 'service' to be installed on the SIMS platform
- Implementation is typically achieved within 4 hours or less and the entire on-boarding of Everest can be done in less than week
- Everest is secure and highly available and runs in the Microsoft Azure Public Cloud