



PiXL Northern Ireland 2020/21

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partners in excellence

We really do hope that you will continue with us into the 2020-21 membership year. Please find below details of what we trust is an exciting offer, and by scanning the QR code you will be able to access our Overview booklet. PiXL (Partners in Excellence) is a partnership of over 3,000 schools comprising of around 1,600 secondary schools, 550 sixth forms, 1,000 primary schools and 60 providers of alternative education. Together, we share best practice to raise standards and to give students a better future and brighter hope.

We want young people to:

- achieve the best outcomes they can - we call this **Currency**.
- be the best people they can become - we call that **Character**.
- be kind, respectful and live without causing harm to others - we call that **Culture**.

Founded by Sir John Rowling, PiXL emerged from school improvement programme, the London Challenge, in 2004. When government funding for the initiative ceased in 2007, the 50 member schools at that time decided voluntarily to continue with its model of collaboration around leadership and shared resources. PiXL has since grown to become the largest network of schools in England and Wales.

Overview of the PiXL Partnership Offer

- Five **national meetings**.
- Supporting the implementation of regional hubs to facilitate more effective networking.
- **Bespoke associate support** during the year.
- The launch of **PiXL TV** to bring the power of our network directly to your school; docu-series on key pedagogical strategies, as well as explorations into such issues as curriculum planning and the gender gap, filmed in PiXL schools and available to watch on demand.
- A strong focus on **Teaching and Learning**, including a new platform to collect and share research and practice across all phases.
- **PiXL Stretch** (May 2020 Launch) will be expanded to provide more stretching content across a wide range of subjects and issues.
- **Oracy and debating** including new debating mats across all subjects.
- **Precise pastoral interventions**, including attendance and behaviour management.
- Renewed focus on **academic writing** and reading, to include updates to **Unlock** and the **Code**.
- A strong focus on **MFL**.
- Continued focus on our **character** offer, including updates to the **PiXL Edge** programme.
- The option to book on to national Subject Conferences with leading experts to equip your staff.
- More **PiXL Spotlight Events** covering the key issues requested by our schools.
- **PiXL Build Up** will return to support the **underestimated third**, incorporating feedback and responses from this year's pilot.
- A focus on leadership at each one of our gatherings, and through the School of PiXL of Leadership programme.
- Leadership **podcasts** and **book club** will bring the latest thinking directly to you.
- The subject-specific offering for **PiXL Spine**, **PiXL Knowledge** and **PiXL Independence** will be expanded.

We want teachers and leaders in all our schools to feel:

- **Valued** – We listen to your feedback, your concerns and requests and act on them.
- **Loved** – We provide an associate to work alongside you and to support.
- **Encouraged** – We have meetings where we hope you feel energised and inspired.
- **Equipped** – We provide you with the latest research, ideas and strategies to make a difference in school. We aim to connect you to others who can help through our extensive network.

Overview booklet QR code



Membership Costs 2020-21

Cost: £3,375 plus VAT

If you have any questions, then please contact Lara:

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In addition to the above, as part of your core offer we provide access to a wide range of resources via the PiXL website, such as PiXL Knowledge, PiXL Independence, Power to Perform, Character resources, including wellbeing, oracy, Futures and the PiXL Apps, including the PiXL6 Maths App, Classrooms etc.