

# Satchel One and Distance Learning

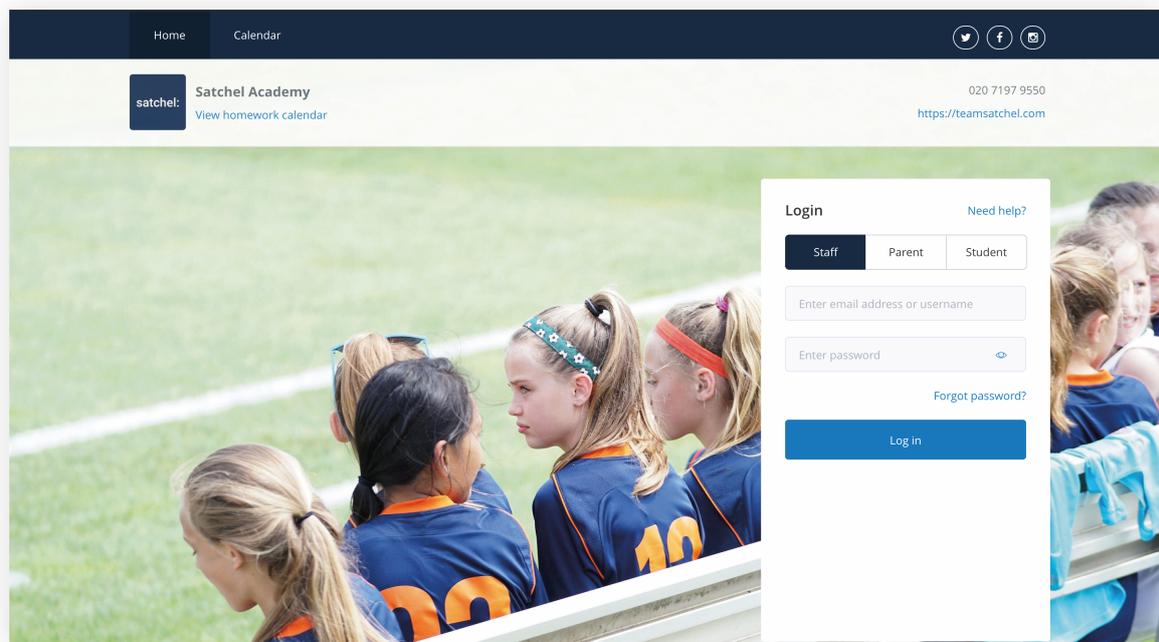
During school closures, it's paramount that teachers have the resources they need to fully support distance learning and ensure minimal disruption to students' learning.

Satchel One is an online learning platform that includes all stakeholders in the learning process. Our apps facilitate distance learning and help to keep students engaged, teachers in control and parents in the know.

## 1. Connectivity

Connectivity, when working remotely, is more important than ever. With **Satchel One**, each key stakeholder has an account, accessible online or on our **Satchel One App**, and receives relevant notifications about schoolwork.

Maintaining a sense of community is difficult when we're not going into school or wearing a uniform. However, schools can maintain a sense of unity with **School Branding** - personalise your dashboard, upload your school crest and replace Satchel's navy for your own school colour.



## 2. Visibility

Ensuring all parties have a clear view of what's going on with regards to schoolwork and homework is vital in ensuring the completion of assigned tasks. It also provides SLT with the peace of mind that teachers and students are working as they should, and parents that their child's education isn't disrupted. With **Satchel One**, all the information you need is visible to key parties:



## Show My Homework

- When teachers issue homework, students and parents are notified instantly via the **Show My Homework app**.
- Parents and students see the exact same information including due date, time to spend on work set, how to submit (online), description and any attachments.
- Any **grades, comments and submission statuses** issued by teachers are visible to students and parents.
- Teachers can see **engagement statistics** for work they've set for both parents and students.
- Students and their parents can view students' **To-do Lists**, helping with the prioritisation of work.
- SLT can generate reports relating to homework issued and submitted to ensure staff and students are engaged.

Body Language Quiz 2020 7y/Ma2 Body Language Quiz 2020 / Insights

Description Insights Assess Comprehension Actions

Mr J. O'Leary set this assignment for group 7y/Ma2 - Drama

**Submission stats** 18/27

A quick view of the entire class submission status.  
[View students who have not yet submitted](#)

**Student views** 18/27

9 not viewed 18 have viewed

Erin Miskelly  
Last activity 10 months ago

Leon Curtis  
Last activity 10 months ago

Jahed Khan  
Last activity 10 months ago

Sunjeeta Kha  
Last activity 10 months ago

Jade Marand  
Never logged in

**Parent views** 0/8

8 not viewed 0 have viewed

Hugh Loan  
Last activity 3 months ago

Homime Provment  
Last activity 20 days ago

Spider Webster  
Last activity 10 months ago

**Class submission**

Select all students (1)

Sabrina Alsop Submitted late

Fletcher Brompton Submitted

Francesca Dakota Submitted

Harley Dicristo Resubmission

Eric Friend Not submitted

You have selected Francesca Dakota

Francesca Dakota  
View profile

Submitted Select a grade + Add comment

**You awarded points:**  
Awarded 15 points for excellent effort 15  
Jan 18th 2021 - 4:00pm

**You updated status: Submitted**  
Dec: 4th 2020 - 8:45pm



## Timetables

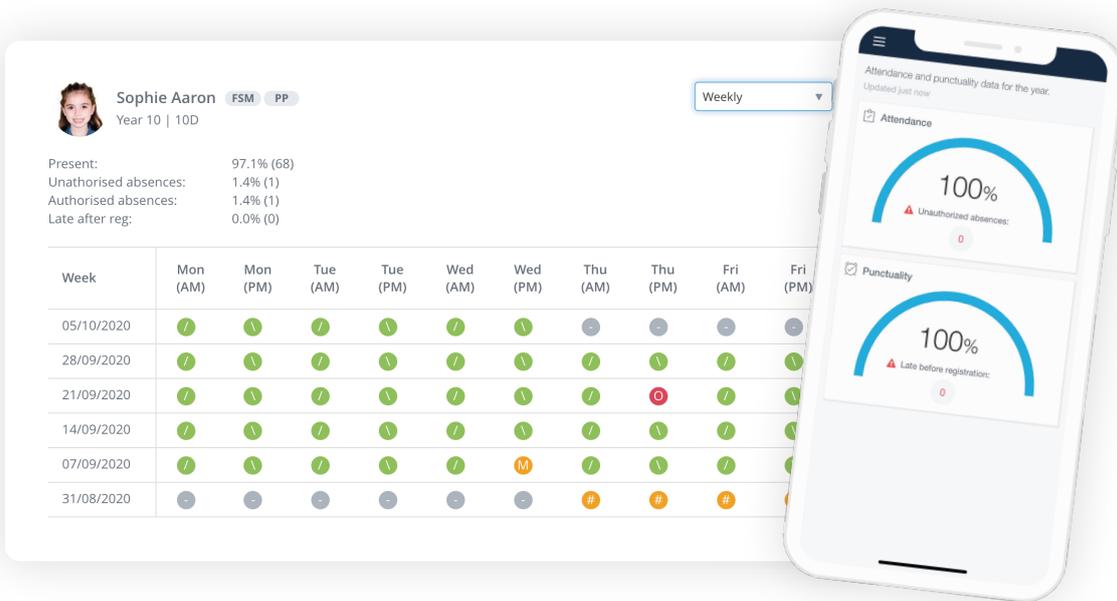
- Parents can view their child's **timetable** and see which subjects they should be studying at what time throughout the day.
- Teachers and students have access to their **personal timetables** so students can prioritise work and teachers can keep track of their school day.

## Behaviour

- Parents, and their children, are notified when teachers award **Behaviour points**, so they can reinforce praise at home.
- Encourage staff to issue **Behaviour points** for remote learning, such as submitting work online promptly and communicating in the right channels.

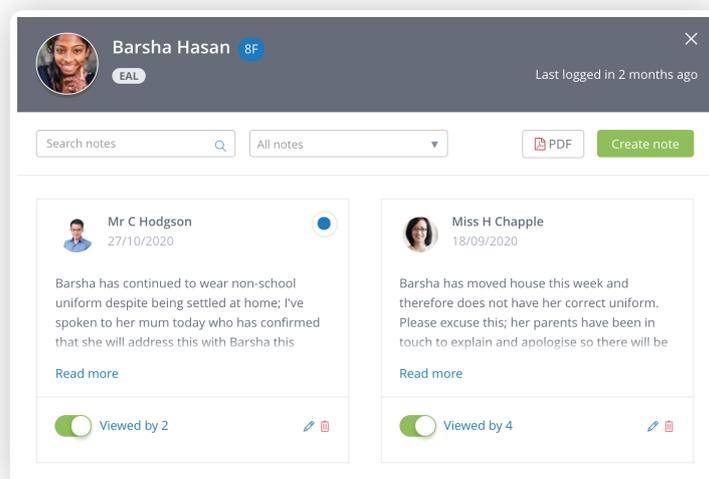
## Attendance Pro

- Teachers can take attendance remotely and have a clear overview of which students are logging in to work.
- Parents can view their child's attendance on the Parent app



## Welfare Notes

- Prepare for your at-risk students by sharing their files with their teachers so they have access to crucial information even when working remotely. These notes are visible only to teachers who work with the pupils in question.



Barsha Hasan 8F  
EAL  
Last logged in 2 months ago

Search notes  All notes

Mr C Hodgson 27/10/2020  
Barsha has continued to wear non-school uniform despite being settled at home; I've spoken to her mum today who has confirmed that she will address this with Barsha this

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Miss H Chapple 18/09/2020  
Barsha has moved house this week and therefore does not have her correct uniform. Please excuse this; her parents have been in touch to explain and apologise so there will be

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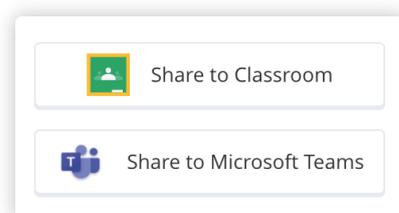
### 3. Communication

Ensuring clear lines of communication between all stakeholders is instrumental in making sure distance learning works. Here are some of the ways Satchel One's apps can help with communication at your school:



#### Show My Homework

- Students can interact with their teachers to clear up any ambiguities or ask questions about tasks they've been set.
- Teachers can respond to their students' **comments** and soon they will be able to include attachments to improve the level of support they can offer them.
- Members of staff can also send **Announcements** to the entire school via the **Notice Board** to issue updates regarding important information.
- Teachers can provide students with **feedback** after marking their work via the **Gradebook** so students know why they've received their score and how to improve.
- **Homepage Zones** allows schools to store and share public school resources and files with staff, students and parents.
- **Homework Discussion** gives students the chance to share messages about tasks between themselves with the supervision of a teacher.



#### Behaviour

- With **Behaviour** teachers are able to provide students with praise inside and outside of the classroom.
- **Behaviour points** can be issued in alignment with:
  - Submission status - if students are handing in work on time
  - Understanding of the topic - how well pupils have performed
  - Effort - teachers can award students points based on the visible effort they've put in
- Rewarding students for their efforts helps to champion good behaviour and sets an example for others.
- Providing students with praise is also crucial in helping students remain motivated and willing to learn whilst at home.

## Premium Welfare Notes

- Communicate concerns surrounding students' welfare, either existing or new, via **Welfare Notes**. Keep relevant teachers informed on what's going on in students' lives so school staff can offer support and tailor assignments where necessary.

## 4. Content delivery

Arguably one of most critical tasks during a period of enforced distance learning is the delivery of content. **Satchel One's** core app, **Show My Homework**, provides effective content delivery to students and is enhanced by the Content app:

### Show My Homework

- All relevant information relating to a task is communicated so students know exactly what is required of them - parents also have a full view so can provide support at home.
- Easily attach additional links for extended tasks and further learning.
- **Flexible Tasks** don't require a due date - perfect for reading and in-class tasks that don't require grading. For the tasks you are setting and grading online, make sure **'Online submission'** is selected so students are able to submit work digitally.
- **Quizzes and Spelling Tests** are auto-graded so you don't have to mark work but still see results, making it easy to identify any gaps in learning - which is especially helpful for distance learning. Auto-grading also means that students get instant feedback!
- **Community Resources** is a bank of assignments created by the Satchel One community that every teacher has access to. Simply filter by age group, subject or search for a key term and issue quality resources to your class. This can be a huge help if you are faced with covering any staff sickness in a department other than your own.
- Teachers can also **reuse** their own or their colleagues' tasks to help save time.
- It's also possible to set **homework tasks** for individual students in a class that may need extra support or for those who have exceeded the work set.

1 Notice today [View Notice board](#)

<p><b>Rehearsals</b></p> <p><b>Thu, Jan 21</b> Event</p> <p>Rehearsals for 'Grease! The Final Frontier' will be taking place at 7pm on each Thursday until Christmas in our school hall.</p> <p>The main performance will take place on 23rd ...</p> <p><a href="#">Read more</a></p>	<p><b>Football Practice</b></p> <p><b>Mon, Jan 25</b> Event</p> <p>Football club Astroturf pitch 12-1pm Bring some lunch with you if you like and make the most of your break time.</p> <p><a href="#">Read more</a></p>
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[Use homework](#)

**Attached resources**

- [Combined\\_Science\\_-\\_Higher.docx](#)
- [Combined\\_Science\\_-\\_Founda.docx](#)

[Download all as zip](#)

## Timetables

- Make video lesson links easily accessible to students by attaching them to specific lessons via the Timetable
- Teachers can also see from their personal timetable which lessons have tasks due for collection

The image shows a Microsoft Teams interface. On the left is a lesson card for '8y/Ma1' in 'Maths Room 7' by 'Miss R Hatchett'. The card lists the subject as 'Mathematics' and the time as '10:15am - 11:15am'. It includes a 'Homework set' section with links to 'The Amazon Rainforest: A Description', 'Bon Jovi - Living on a Prayer' (marked as 'Homework due'), and another 'The Amazon Rainforest: A Description'. A Teams link is also present. On the right is a timetable grid showing various lessons across different rooms and subjects. A pop-up window is visible over the grid, showing details for an '8y/Ma1' lesson in 'Maths Room 7' by 'Miss R Hatchett' at '1:35pm - 2:35pm'. This lesson includes a 'Homework due' section with links to 'Othello and the Introduction of Madness' and 'The Blues', along with a Zoom link.

## Content

- Satchel exclusively hosts **Collins' online textbooks** on our learning platform, **Satchel One**.
- Teachers can access textbooks, resources and tasks created by Collins which are all **quality-assured and in line with major examining boards** and attach them to a task for students to complete.
- Available for **KS3 and KS4 students in English, Maths and Science**.

The image shows the Satchel Academy interface. The main header is 'Collins Content' with a search bar. Below the search bar are several resource cards for English textbooks, including 'Aiming for Progress in Reading, Writing and Grammar Book 2 v1.6', 'Aiming for Progress in Reading, Writing and Grammar Book 3 v1.8', 'AQA GCSE English Advanced Book', and 'AQA GCSE English Core Book'. Each card has a 'View resources' button. Overlaid on the right is a quiz interface for 'English' with the question 'Revise poetry terms and techniques' and 'When a word or phrase is used more than once, the correct term for this technique is...'. The quiz shows three options: '1 repetition' (selected and correct), '2 nagging', and '3 alliteration'. There are 'Continue' and 'Exit' buttons.