

# The Most Efficient Network You'll **NEVER** Have To Buy

Providing limitless opportunities for growing MATs



# A Unique Network Just For MATs

No Capex. Reduced Opex. Improved Economies of Scale

Imagine having central control of your entire Trust's IT estate. Imagine how this could reduce your costs, streamline staff workloads and actually, improve your operational efficiencies beyond recognition.

That is exactly what Schools Broadband is doing for Multi Academy Trusts. We're combining our unique Private Wide Area Networks with advanced cloud technologies, transforming IT infrastructure, revolutionising IT capabilities and considerably cutting costs for Multi Academy Trusts across the UK.

Our unique service is based on operating expenditure only, meaning no accumulation of capital funds are required for this cutting-edge broadband solution.

Most importantly, our technology is liberating MATs from the restraints of traditional IT, providing affordable and limitless opportunities for success-hungry Multi Academy Trusts.



Our Virtual Wide Area Networks  
are transforming IT infrastructure



# Access Any Document From Any School



With your own Virtual Private Wide Area Network

All your teachers, every member of staff and every single student across your entire multi school estate will have the ability to securely access any document from any school.

And the safety of your documents as they travel across your network is a top priority for Schools Broadband. Our unique partnership with Fortinet, the global leaders in network security together with our multiple ISPA security awards, we think more than qualifies us to keep even the largest of Multi Academy Trusts safe.

With Intrusion Detection and Prevention, Data Leak Prevention and File Tagging to name but a few features, you can be sure every school across your Trust meets regulatory requirements when it comes to security and GDPR.



Discover financially viable, world-class managed security with our hosted service

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# Simply Add New Schools As You Grow

## No need for new on-site equipment

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With your Trust's Virtual Wide Area Network, adding new schools is simple, quick and does not require the purchase or maintenance of any new equipment.

Your MAT's Private WAN allows you to plug in as many schools as you require to any number of cloud services. That means:

- ✗ No individual licence fees for schools to pay for IT services
- ✓ Essential services such as filtering and security can be standardised immediately
- ✓ All your schools will satisfy filtering & security regulatory requirements immediately
- ✓ School staff can move freely between schools and be familiar with standard operating systems



Connect any number of schools  
to any number of cloud services



# Enjoy Award-Winning Managed Security



## Across your entire school estate

Deliver your board and wider school community complete peace of mind when it comes to protecting your Trust's network against advanced persistent threats.

The Schools Broadband hosted security service is built on world-leading carrier-grade technologies and our Fortinet Managed Security Service is the only one of its kind dedicated to education in the UK. Because this service is hosted it means:

- ✗ Purchasing individual school's on-site firewalls is an expenditure of the past
- ✗ Maintenance & management of schools' on-site firewalls becomes redundant
- ✓ You can connect any number of schools to the most advanced security available
- ✓ You can rely on our security expertise to protect all your schools
- ✓ You can still maintain complete control & visibility of your network



Take advantage of our standard 24/7/365  
firewall monitoring and management service

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# Maintain Safeguarding Compliance



With education-specific filtering across all your schools

Every one of your students and every member of staff across each of your schools will be protected from inappropriate content by one of the most advanced education specific web filters available.

And because your filtering service is hosted on our unique filtering platform, it provides scalability for growth, has zero additional upgrade and hardware costs and automatically supports your DfE and Prevent Duty compliance across all your schools.

Filtering billions of categorised URLs and providing real-time reports and alerts on suspicious searches, this unique hosted service confidently meets every safeguarding lead's requirements. The ability to manage filtering policies both centrally and locally across all your schools also provides new levels of efficiency much needed by busy IT staff.



Manage individual schools' filtering policies from one central location

# Free site-to-site, UK landline And Mobile Calls



There's one more benefit we'd like to share with you for now, to having a Schools Broadband Virtual Private Wide Area Network.

By switching to our schools' VoIP phone service, all your schools could benefit from free site to site calls, free UK landline calls and free mobile calls. You can imagine the savings there!

A VoIP phone service also provides you with the freedom and flexibility to provide a central reception service for your Trust's schools, the ability for any member of staff to take and make calls from home and a host of features to help you improve your Trust's operational efficiencies even further.

**Start planning your improvements now**



Chat with our consultants. We're industry leading experts with cost-effective answers

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