

## TEACHING ASSISTANT DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

Make the  
most of your  
TAs!

Juniper Education is pleased to announce a new partnership with the National Association of Professional Teaching Assistants (NAPTA) to offer the Teaching Assistant Development Programme (TADP).

### How it works

Each Teaching Assistant completes a simple online self-evaluation which analyses their professional development needs.

Based on their responses, the system builds an individually tailored programme of courses from Juniper's CPD Library. Each course will target an area they wish to improve upon. This will help TAs to gain confidence in weaker areas, build on strengths and have a say in their own development.

### Give TAs a say in their own development

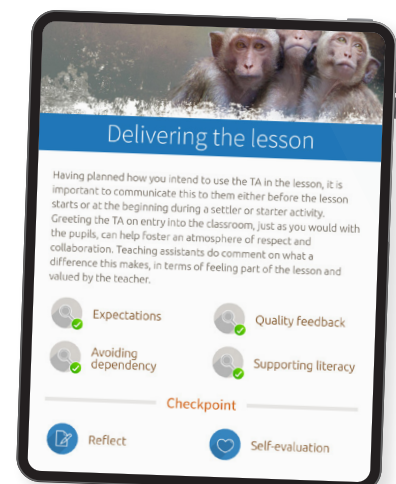
The mobile and online CPD courses can be completed flexibly at any time or place, and built into existing staff training provision.



### Why adopt the TADP?

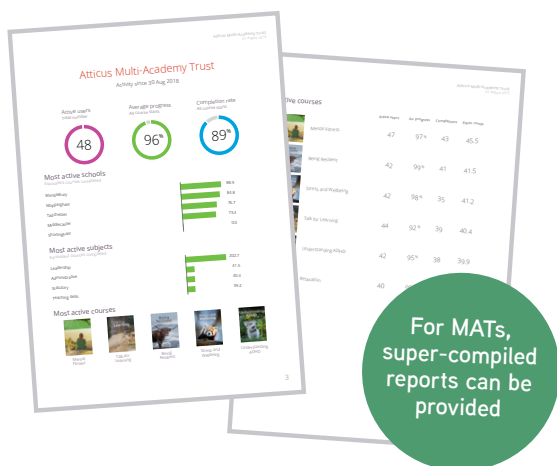
Confident, expert TAs make a real difference to educational outcomes and when well deployed, can help to control costs. The effective training and development of TAs can therefore be crucial. With the TADP, schools can:

- › Save management time
- › Offer highly personal and flexible professional development
- › Improve recruitment, retention and deployment of TAs
- › Promote feelings of confidence, ambition and empowerment
- › Reduce costs in schools
- › Provide evidence of effective professional development
- › Improve educational outcomes.



## Convenient reports

The school receives a report summarising all the TAs' responses, helping leaders to make decisions about deployment. Those managing the programme also receive reports for each TA detailing the CPD courses they are working on and how they are progressing.



## About NAPTA

Founded in 2003, NAPTA aims to help teaching assistants (TAs) in schools and other education settings to develop as professionals. Working in partnership with member schools, NAPTA provides TAs with the tools and resources they need.

NAPTA has worked with over 5000 schools and 125,000 TAs. It is run by education specialists, including experienced teaching assistants.

## Order the TADP

The TADP can cost as little as £50<sup>+VAT</sup> per TA, when discounts for larger orders are applied

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## Interested?

We'd love to discuss how the programme can help you.

## Get in touch

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## Courses for TAs include, but are not limited to:

### Teaching skills

- › Active Questioning
- › Assessment for Learning: TAs
- › Inspiring Images
- › Managing Cover Lessons
- › Marking and Feedback
- › Positive Behaviour: TAs
- › Promoting Inclusion
- › Speaking and Listening: TAs
- › Supporting EAL Learners
- › Supporting Literacy: TAs
- › The EYFS Framework
- › Working as a TA

### Pastoral care

- › Being Resilient
- › Education Issues
- › Family Issues
- › Learning Needs
- › Medical Conditions
- › Mental Health
- › Partnerships with Parents
- › Stress and Wellbeing
- › Supporting SLCN
- › Understanding ADHD
- › Understanding Autism
- › Understanding the Child

### Statutory requirements

- › Child Protection
- › Equality and Diversity
- › Safe Information Handling
- › Whistleblowing