



## All round benefits

MarvellousMe inspires parents to take an active interest in their children's learning.



MarvellousMe helps families to celebrate their children's good work and reinforce the positive behaviours that you are encouraging and praising in class.

Children are happier, more confident and motivated, and behave better when they know that you are connected with their parents and giving them positive news.

MarvellousMe saves you time, helps you to maintain a strong and enjoyable teaching and learning environment, and gets you better outcomes.

'Parent engagement is one of the most effective ways of improving test scores, boosting character development and confidence, and helping children become more powerful learners. The more parents and children have good conversations about their school day, the better pupils achieve.'

**Bill Lucas,**Professor of Learning at the University of
Winchester and co-author of 'Educating Ruby'.



## Tips for Teachers

Use MarvellousMe to give positive feedback to parents and to praise children. No negative messages please.

Log in to MarvellousMe on your desktop/interactive whiteboard and minimize it, so it's always ready to use with the children. Please use Chrome as your internet browser.

'At the age of 7, parental influence on learning is 6 times that of the school.'

## Professor Charles Desforges,

The Impact of Parental Involvement, Parental Support and Family Education on Pupil Achievements and Adjustment.'

Download the app on to your tablet and use it on the go with individuals and smaller groups.

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Use MarvellousMe in plenaries. It is a great way to prompt children to recap on their learning and engages parents at the same time.

Add a comment when giving a badge. It makes it more personal and helps parents to praise their children too.

As an extra motivation and reward, let children choose their own MarvellousMe characters (parents will instantly see the changes), or link prizes to the number of badges they receive.

Many teachers have 100% of parents engaged with MarvellousMe and are getting lots of 'Hi5s'. Ask the children to remind their parents to join up, and remember to mention it on social media and at parent meetings.

Enjoy using MarvellousMe along with the children.

