

Who is already working with The Key?

Around 40 local authorities are already partnering with The Key to drive efficiency savings in light of reduced budgets.

Here are just a few examples:

Manchester: Manchester Education has included The Key in the core offer of their SLA with 170 schools from April 2011. It aims to cover the cost through the efficiencies arising from working in partnership with The Key.

Shropshire: two leading heads are working with the local authority to promote using The Key in local schools.

Somerset: facilitated access for all its 267 schools for three years.

West Berkshire: purchased The Key for all its schools for three years as part of its Digital Infrastructure Agreement.

Slough: subsidised membership to The Key for its schools for a second year.

Durham: purchased The Key for all its new headteachers for the past two years and has subsidised access for 50 schools.

Bradford: bulk-bought 75 subscriptions; 70 have since been sold on to its schools and we are working closely with the authority to ensure schools make full use.

Suffolk: purchased access for 65 of its schools.

Essex Primary Heads' Association: negotiated a special discounted rate to encourage its schools to use The Key.

