



What is TeachSted?

TeachSted is a service offered to schools that may face an Ofsted inspection – some 900 are inspected each year. The service provides a set of up to timely data showing the number of job adverts by subject in the school's local area. This information can be used to indicate the ease or difficulty in recruiting subject teachers and inform a response to Ofsted questions on teacher recruitment and retention during the inspection. Data is sent by email, normally within one hour of the request. Currently TeachSted is only available to secondary schools within England.

TeachSted makes use of data collected by TeachVac, the free national vacancy service which monitors teaching and leadership jobs across England.

Operation

The fastest and most efficient way of using TeachSted is to pre-register. A school registers their contact details and a specification for their local area with TeachSted. There is a small fee for this. Once registered, an email is sent through to the contact person including a information sheet to be placed in the school's action file for Ofsted inspections. This information sheet describes the short process to complete when the school is informed of their inspection. When the school is informed of an inspection, pre-registered schools log into TeachSted, request and pay for the report which is emailed through to the contact person, usually within an hour. Multiple reports may be requested, the second and subsequent ones are at a considerably reduced price.

If the school has not pre-registered then they can register and then request a report. This option can take a little longer - not what you really want when you have just been told of an upcoming Ofsted inspection!

Costs

Registration - £10 + VAT per calendar year

The first data download each year costs £75 + VAT

The second and subsequent downloads each year are charged at £25 + VAT.

Payment can be made by Paypal / Credit or Debit card.

Special Offer

If you register now, your registration will last until the 31st of December 2017 at no extra charge.

For any questions, please email enquiries@oxteachserv.com or telephone 01983 550408



Sample School

Local Authority: Somewhere

Below are the number of adverts found by TeachSted in the local authority stated above.

Subject	Jan 2016 to Aug 2016	Jan 2015 to Aug 2015	Jan 2015 to Dec 2015
Art	3	3	3
Business	2	3	3
Design & Technology	1	6	8
English	5	10	12
Geography	6	5	7
History	4	1	3
IT	1	1	1
Languages	9	12	14
Mathematics	10	15	18
PE	3	1	1
Science	6	14	15

The sample report above shows data collected for a local authority. Alternatively a radius around the school may be specified to define the local area. This choice is made during registration but can be amended afterwards.