

New guide to help with the End of Year Certificate (EOYC) process

We're fast approaching the first deadline for this year's EOYC annual return. Please be mindful that the final day for your unaudited EOYC is 31 May 2022.

We'd like to thank Blackpool Local Authority for kindly creating a guide which can be used to make your EOYC submission easier, with handy hints and tips

If you'd like to share any useful guides or instructions you've created or have any further feedback for us, please feel free to contact us and let us know.



HEADLINES

Changes to My Pension Online and Employer Portal log in process - Multi Factor Authentication (MFA)

We're introducing a new safer, faster, and more efficient way for members and employers to log in to their MPO or Employer Portal accounts. This will be done by incorporating Multi Factor Authentication (MFA) into the log in process.

We recommend MFA as it allows for enhanced security, better user experience and an extended Employer Portal session time.

Learn more



Teachers' Pensions Action Forum March

Our March Teachers' Pensions Action Forum (TPAF) event was a success and over the two days we covered an Update from Teachers' Pensions, Scheme Changes, Employer Developments and Submissions Support.

Overall, every workshop was fully booked, and we'd like to thank you for the positive feedback we received from those who attended.

If you missed the event, or would like a recap, you can download the slides from the workshops from the full news story.

Read more



Transitional Protection videos

We understand with everything happening around Transitional Protection that things may get a little confusing, therefore we've now published three videos to make understanding these changes a little easier. The videos include 'Am I affected', 'What is career average?', and 'What are the changes to the Scheme'.

We think it may be useful to circulate the videos to staff so that they can further understand the changes to the Scheme.

You can find the new videos on our YouTube channel.

FURTHER NEWS

A quick guide to multiple rows of data that cover a pay period

A quick further reminder to you that it's important that any service provided for a member in your April submissions must be split into two lines.

We appreciate this can be a little confusing and have created a quick guide to help better your understanding with April submissions.

Employer delegation access

We appreciate that it can be easier to use a third party to help produce and send your MDC or MCR submissions however, we'd like to remind you that you need to give the provider access to your Employer Portal account.

Possible missing service for potential retirees

We're expecting a high number of retirement applications at the end of the 2022 academic year, therefore there's a few things that you need to ensure including members' service and salary details are up to date and that they submit their applications as soon as possible.

To help you, we'd like to remind you of the processes involved so that you know what to expect.

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OTHER ITEMS

Contribution rate and exit charges

We'd like to take this opportunity to address some concerns employers have shared when their school has considered leaving the Teachers' Pension Scheme.

There are two main misconceptions around contribution rates and exit fees that we'd like to shed some light on.

Find out more

Employer drop-in session

Our next online Employer drop-in session will be held on Thursday 24 May at 2pm and this month's session will include a workshop focused on what your roles and responsibilities are in regard to the administration of the Scheme and to your staff.

Spaces are limited, so book your place now to avoid missing out.

See dates and register

Training

As you may be aware, we offer a wide range of employer training to help administer the Scheme. We offer an Enhanced MCR programme which is designed to help you with your monthly submissions going forward.

Find out more about what these particular webinars offer, our availability and how to book on our website.

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