



## Pension Awareness Week - what's going on?

During 9-13 September, we're looking forward to being involved with Pension Awareness Week!

We want to make a positive difference and we're aiming for members to feel more confident about their pension.

There'll be lots of useful information and new resources to look out for via our website and social channels. Plus, exciting member presentations throughout the week.



### Historic contributions factsheet

After taking onboard your feedback in our focus groups, we've created a factsheet that shows the historic employer and member contribution rates for the Teachers' Pension Scheme.

This resource should help you when administering the Scheme and when you're dealing with correcting missing service.

Get familiar with the historic contribution rates and read our factsheet.

[View factsheet](#)

**Employer Forum**



We understand administering pensions can be complicated and we're always looking for ways to simplify the process.

As part of this, we're setting up an online forum where we'll share ideas and gather feedback from employers like you who work on the Scheme. We might ask you to look at a process or ask for your opinion on a new idea.

Your comments will help to improve how we engage with you.

[Sign up today!](#)



### National Insurance numbers factsheet

We've received feedback that members are experiencing issues with temporary or incorrect National Insurance numbers, resulting in them being locked out of the system.

As an employer or Payroll Provider, you'll be able to correct personal details via the Employer Portal.

If you're unsure of how to do this or are wondering what you'd need to do if a member comes to you with this issue, we've created a handy factsheet to guide you.

[Read factsheet](#)

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## FURTHER NEWS

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### Independent Pension Specialist (IPS) for the Teachers' Pension Scheme Pension Board (TPSPB)

The Secretary of State for the Department for Education is seeking to appoint a dynamic and inspirational individual for the position of Independent Pension Specialist for the Teachers' Pension Scheme Pension Board (TPSPB).

Find the application pack and more about the role by reading our full story.

[Find out more and apply](#)

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### Employer Support options

We'd like to remind you that the Employer Support team can only help you with portal-related issues.

If you're having issues with completing or submitting your EOYC, please make sure to

select 'Option 2' to reach our Finance team.

Alternatively, you can use our Employer Secure Messaging function via the Employer Portal.

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## End of Year Certificate deadline

You should be at the stage in your End of Year Certificate (EOYC) process where your audited return is ready to go.

Please send your audited EOYC return to us no later than 30 September 2024, via email, to prevent delays.

[Read further](#)

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## OTHER NEWS

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### Employer Events

Get involved in the training events we host! Whether you need support with administering the Scheme, MCR or you'd like to be part of our 'Increasing Benefits' drop-in session, you can register for a place today.

There are ten different webinar topics we cover and monthly MCR surgeries to allow you to pose questions to our team for support. This month, we're also hosting our 'Increasing Benefits' drop-in session where our team will cover ways members can increase their benefits.

[Book your place today](#)

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### Seeking a TPS Pension Board employer representative

The Department for Education is seeking a suitable candidate to sit as an employer representative on the Teachers' Pension Scheme Pension Board (TPSPB).

Find the application pack and more about the role by reading our full story.

[View full story](#)

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