**Do you understand your member type in the Teachers’ Pension Scheme?**

Making sense of your pension is important whatever stage of your teaching career you’re at.

Just as important is knowing what Teachers’ Pensions member type you are so you can understand how the Scheme works for you as an individual.

If you’re currently working in teaching then you’ll be one of the following:

* A protected member who has remained in the final salary arrangement
* A tapered member who’ll move into the career average arrangement on a date specific to when you joined the scheme and when you were born
* A transition member who moved into the career average arrangement on 1 April 2015 or after your tapered protection ceased
* A new member to the Scheme who will have joined the career average arrangement

Watch the videos on the Teachers’ Pensions website which break down exactly what you need to know about your specific member type. Visit:

[www.teacherspensions.co.uk/members/TPTV](http://www.teacherspensions.co.uk/members/TPTV)

To make sure you’re getting the most out of the Teachers’ Pension website, register for My Pension Online: [www.teacherspensions.co.uk/register](http://www.teacherspensions.co.uk/register)

All you’ll need is:

1) Your Teachers’ Pensions reference number (also known as your DfE number)

2) Your National Insurance Number

3) An email address