

Children's Services**Educational Psychology and Specialist Support****Traded Services Model and Charges, 2017 – 2018****1. Cluster Contracts (also available for groups of clusters/schools): *Enhanced Core Offer***

- ***An EPSS multi-professional service for designated groups of schools for an agreed number of days per week. Features:***
 - a named Coordinating professional who is the customer's first point of contact
 - depending on specific need, access to the EPSS multidisciplinary services via your Coordinating professional
 - termly operational meeting (usually lasting 0.5 days if one EPSS professional attends and 1 day if the customer chooses two EPSS professionals to attend), where work is negotiated and prioritised
 - broadly even distribution of the EPSS time throughout the year.
- ***Charges are also given for when clusters want the majority of time (66.6% or more) delivered by a specific professional (e.g. EP, SLST). Please speak to JT / HB / JB***
- ***Cost per day decreases as amount of time purchased increases***

1.1 EPSS Subscription. Access to: one day a year consultation time; EPSS Webinars and forums; the full EPSS website and, to one free place a year at EPSS conferences. (**£600**)
(Available free to partner schools with contracts of more than 10 days a year)

1.2 ECO Bronze. EPSS availability for average of one day a week during school year:
£8,560 (£428 per day)
(May be of particular interest to very small clusters or groups of schools)

1.3 ECO Silver: EPSS availability for average of one day a week during school year:
£16,263 (£417 per day)
(May be of particular interest to small clusters or groups of schools)

1.4 ECO Gold: EPSS availability for average of two days a week during school year:
£30,966 (£397 a day)
(May be of particular interest to medium to large clusters or groups of schools)

1.5 ECO Platinum: EPSS availability for average of three days a week or more during school year: **£377 a day**.
Example of **three days a week contract: £44,109**
(May be of particular interest to large clusters/groups of clusters)

2. School Contracts: *Block Purchase*

- ***EPSS multi-professional service for individual schools***
 - a named Coordinating professional who is the customer's first point of contact
 - depending on specific need, access to the EPSS multidisciplinary services via your Coordinating professional
 - termly operational meeting (usually lasting 0.5 days if one EPSS professional attends and 1 day if the customer chooses two EPSS professionals to attend), where work is negotiated and prioritised

- broadly even distribution of the EPSS time throughout the year.
- **Minimum contract of 3 days per year**
- **Typical contract calculated at £438 per day**

NB: Typical contract assumes even split between EP / teacher time

Tailored contracts e.g. (EP / SLST only) can also be offered - if interested contact JT / HB / JB.

3. Specific packages (time-agreed specialist work)

- Purchase specialist interventions to meet identified needs for a fixed time and price
- Purchase training or cluster/school development activities, at a price agreed at the outset
- Purchase professional support not covered elsewhere in the EPSS offer
- **Daily rate: £468**

4.1 Specialist Interventions: Delivery of specialist interventions (e.g teaching of pupils with dyslexia/Solution Focused Interventions /Therapeutic Story Writing/Cognitive Behaviour Therapy/Stress Management for pupils/Support for children with ASD). Most interventions take two days of staff time and the **costing will be calculated on the base tariff rate.**

4.2 Project work and training: £125 per initial consultation then package and price to be agreed

Each cluster/school has a named EPSS professional (the Coordinating Educational Psychologist or CEP) who can discuss the various packages in more detail.

Alternatively contact JT / JB / HB to discuss.