



## Parental reporting

*“Online reporting means parents have secure online access to information on their child’s progress, achievement, attendance, behaviour and special educational needs, when and where they please. This means an improvement to the way you communicate with parents.”*

Extract from Becta

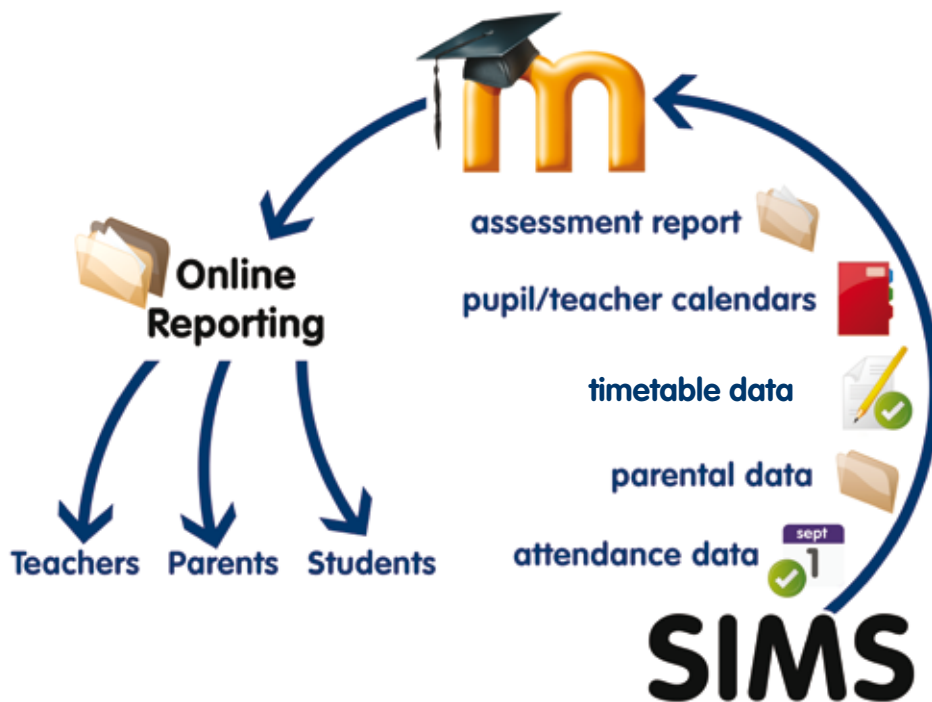
What targets have Becta defined?

Secondary schools will provide parents with online reports by September 2010

Primary schools will provide parents with online reports by September 2012

Moodle and SIMS integration provides a solution to these targets. By having your Moodle VLE and SIMS integrated you can allow:

- Parents to view useful information on their children such as attendance data
- Teachers to take advantage of SIMS data in the classroom and at home
- Students to see a selection of relevant SIMS data within the VLE



**Version 1 (out now) enables:**

- Schools to meet the government’s 2010 real-time reporting targets
- Parents to have their own automatically created account which allows them to see attendance data on their children
- Automated user account generation & synchronisation. SIMS data will populate user accounts in Moodle and will automatically update when a change is made in SIMS
- Automatic creation & maintenance of Moodle courses via linking with SIMS groups
- Timetables automatically populated in Moodle. This will allow students to view their own timetable, parents to view their child’s timetable & teachers to view their own timetable plus any pupil timetable

**Version 2 due to be released February 2010:**

- Assessments and certification, reporting and behavioural data will all be available in Moodle
- Alerts can be set for different users and different triggers e.g. performance alerts can be set for over achievers to congratulate them or attendance alerts can be used to warn parents and staff of unexplained or frequent absences
- Parent write-back facility allows parents to send updated contact details and other information from Moodle to SIMS (verification from admin would be needed)
- Traffic light colour coding system highlights student performance
- Further enhancements to version 1 features

Working through an official Capita partnership, Moodle and SIMS integration is achieved through official interfaces, not by going via the database

All Saints College Moodle Reporting