

Explorify: making an impact

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Explorify is a free digital resource of engaging, creative science activities designed for educators teaching primary school children. It is designed to stimulate curiosity, discussion and debate amongst primary school children and support educators to grow children's science capital and scientific skills. This document celebrates Explorify's achievements at the beginning of 2023, from evidence collected from users.

IMPACT ON LEARNERS



93% of educators report Explorify has a positive impact on their pupils

- increases engagement in discussions
- children ask more questions
- greater enjoyment of science lessons
- improves skills and confidence with speaking and listening

"Explorify breaks down barriers. It isn't 'don't put your hand up until you know the right answer'; there's none of that with Explorify. It encourages children to take part."

"Explorify brings that curiosity, asking questions, wondering, thinking about what possibly could be going on. It's not about being right or wrong. You don't have to be a super-nerdy boffin to be a scientist; science is just about asking questions."

IMPACT ON TEACHERS



93% of educators report Explorify has a positive impact on their teaching

- more confident with science subject knowledge
- greater enjoyment and confidence with teaching science

"Explorify is easy to use, it's easy to advocate for and it's easy to recommend it for planning purposes because it is so simple to use. If it was more complicated, you're not going to get the engagement from staff."

"Some of our [non-specialist] teachers have said they found Explorify really good as a gateway into topics, particularly when they've not felt so confident."

94% of teachers would recommend Explorify to other teachers