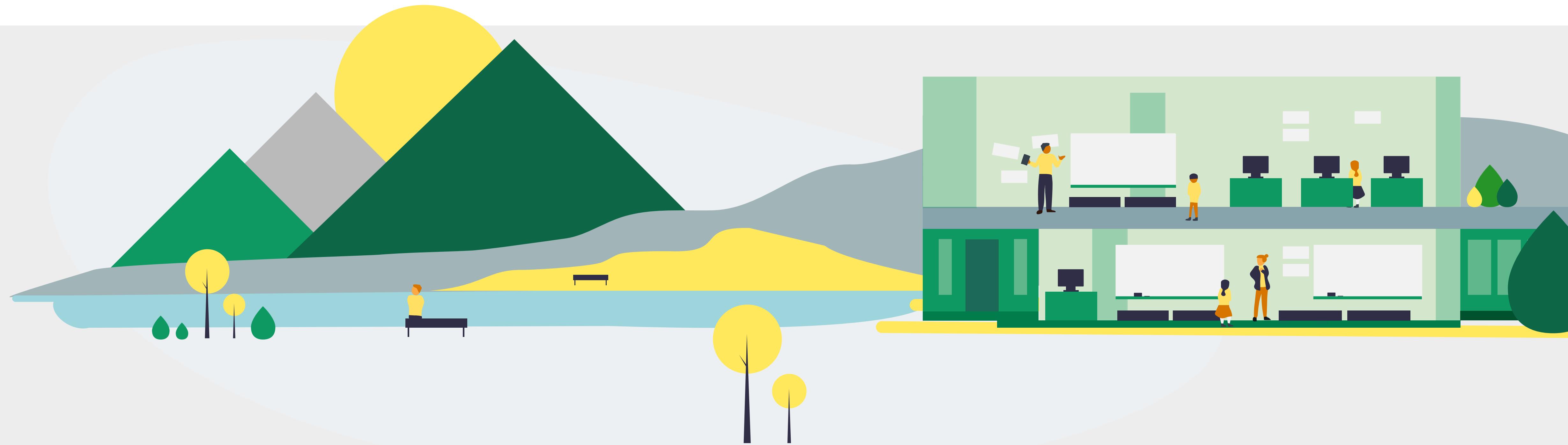


Balance is *the* teaching and learning tool that helps teachers get back to what they do best: **teaching.**



Made for teachers, by teachers.

We know that keeping up-to-date with the endless admin and assessment work can be overwhelming. We're here to help keep things, well... simple.

Balance reduces teacher workload and cuts out the fluff, so you can focus on what goes on in the classroom – because a child's education isn't just a number on a screen.

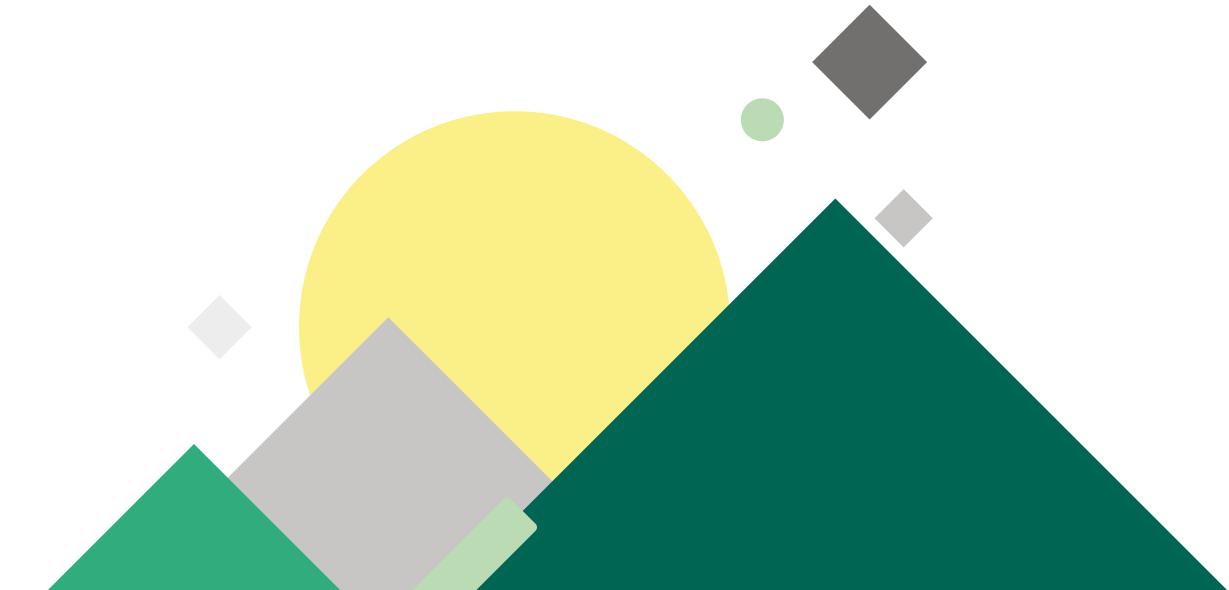


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All of our children ought to be able to tell us what they are learning about and why it is important.

If they can't, we haven't taught them properly.

– MARY MYATT



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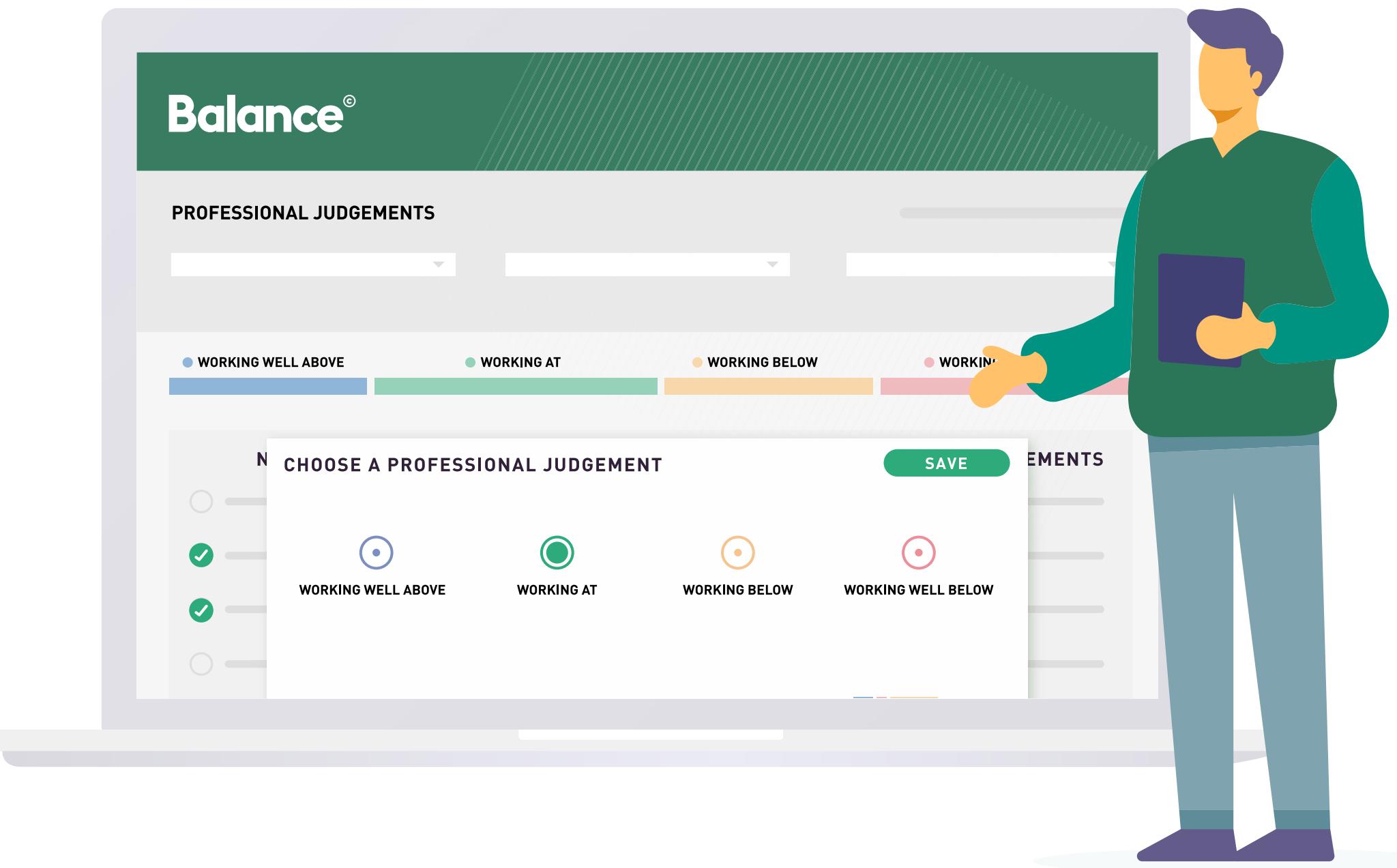
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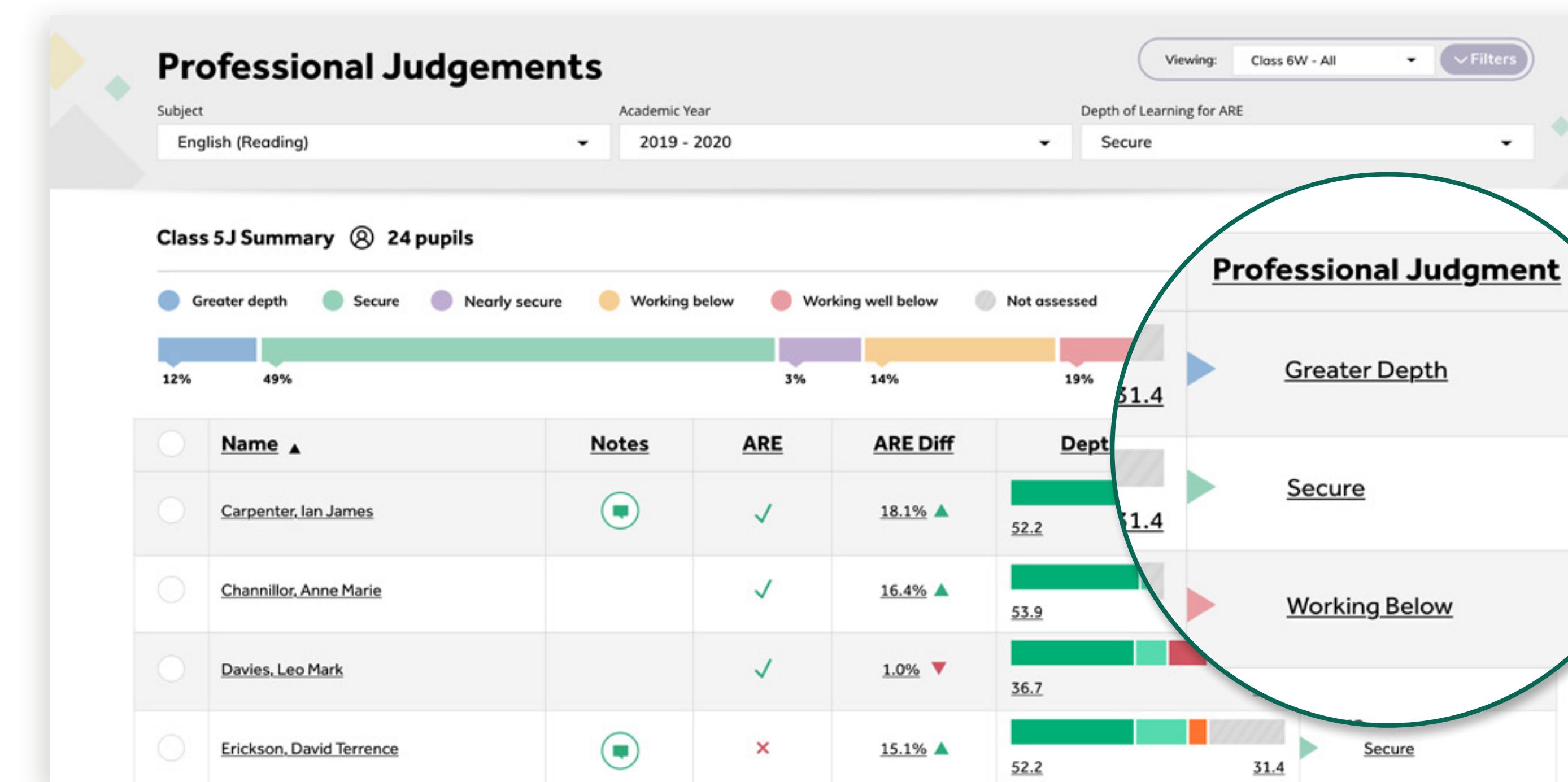
Use your judgement.

Professional Judgements allows teachers to give a simple “point in time” assessment for the children in their class, meaning you can see how children are progressing through their curriculum at a glance – **saving you a whole lot of time**, and a whole lot of admin. They’re also a great place for you to start your conversations during Pupil Progress meetings.

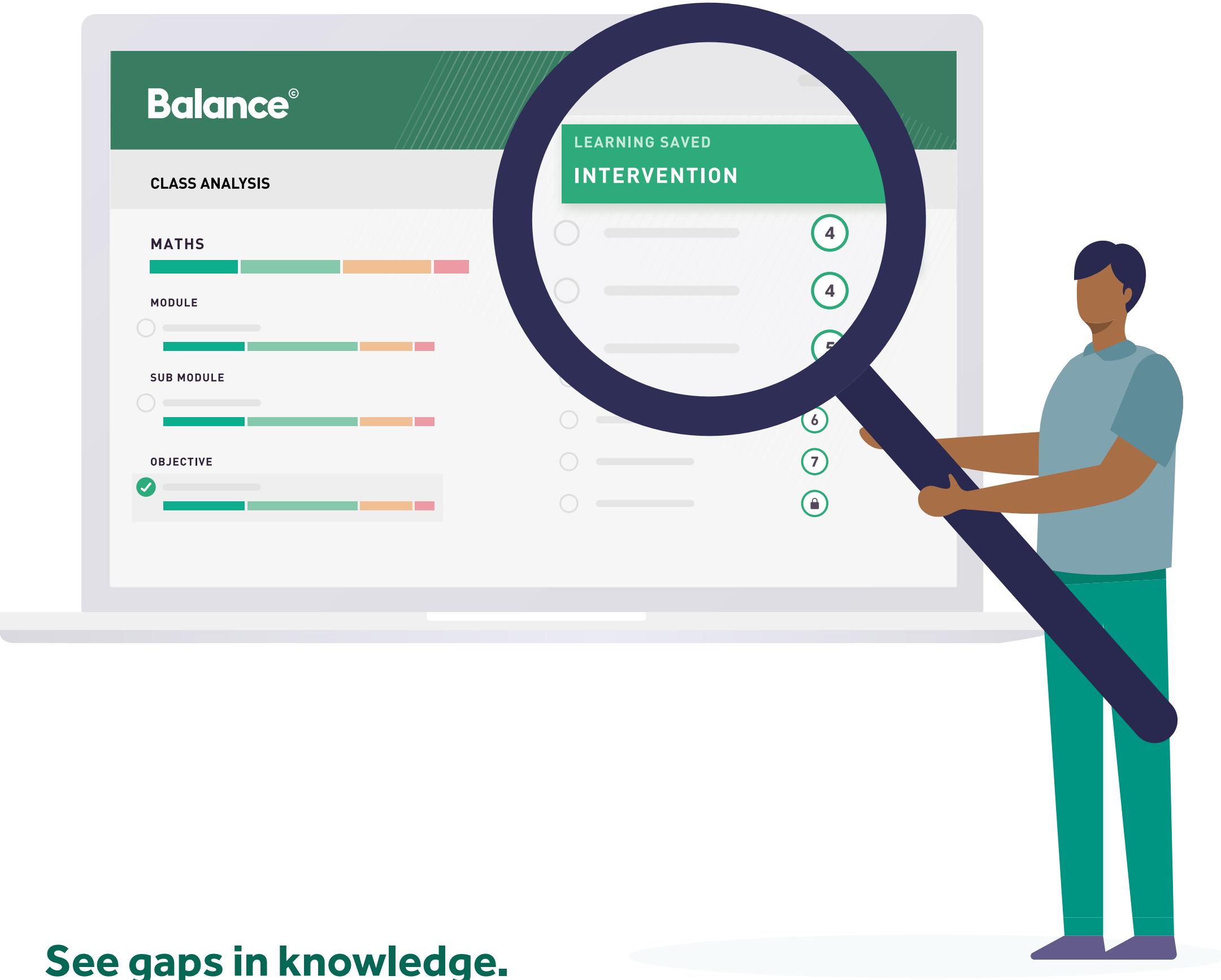
School leaders get a view of the data they’re looking for, whilst teachers can quickly see where resources and learning needs to be targeted, based on the reality of the classroom. It’s a win-win.



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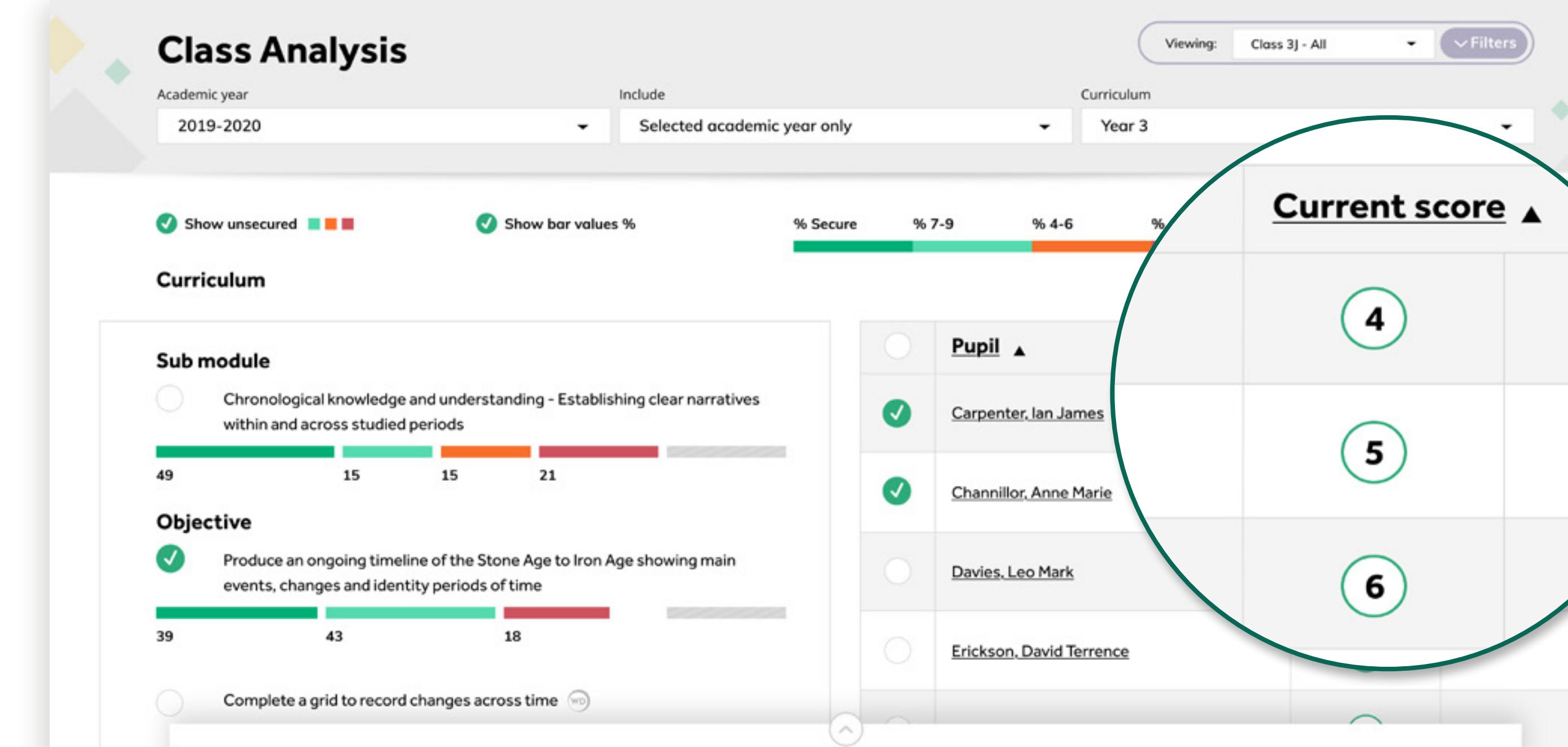


- Customise statements to match the language used in your school
- Make point in time assessments at the click of a button
- See a live summary bar that automatically updates as teachers submit their judgements
- Use automatic filters to easily analyse data for contextual groups e.g. SEN, PP
- Choose a time frame to monitor your trends over time



See gaps in knowledge.

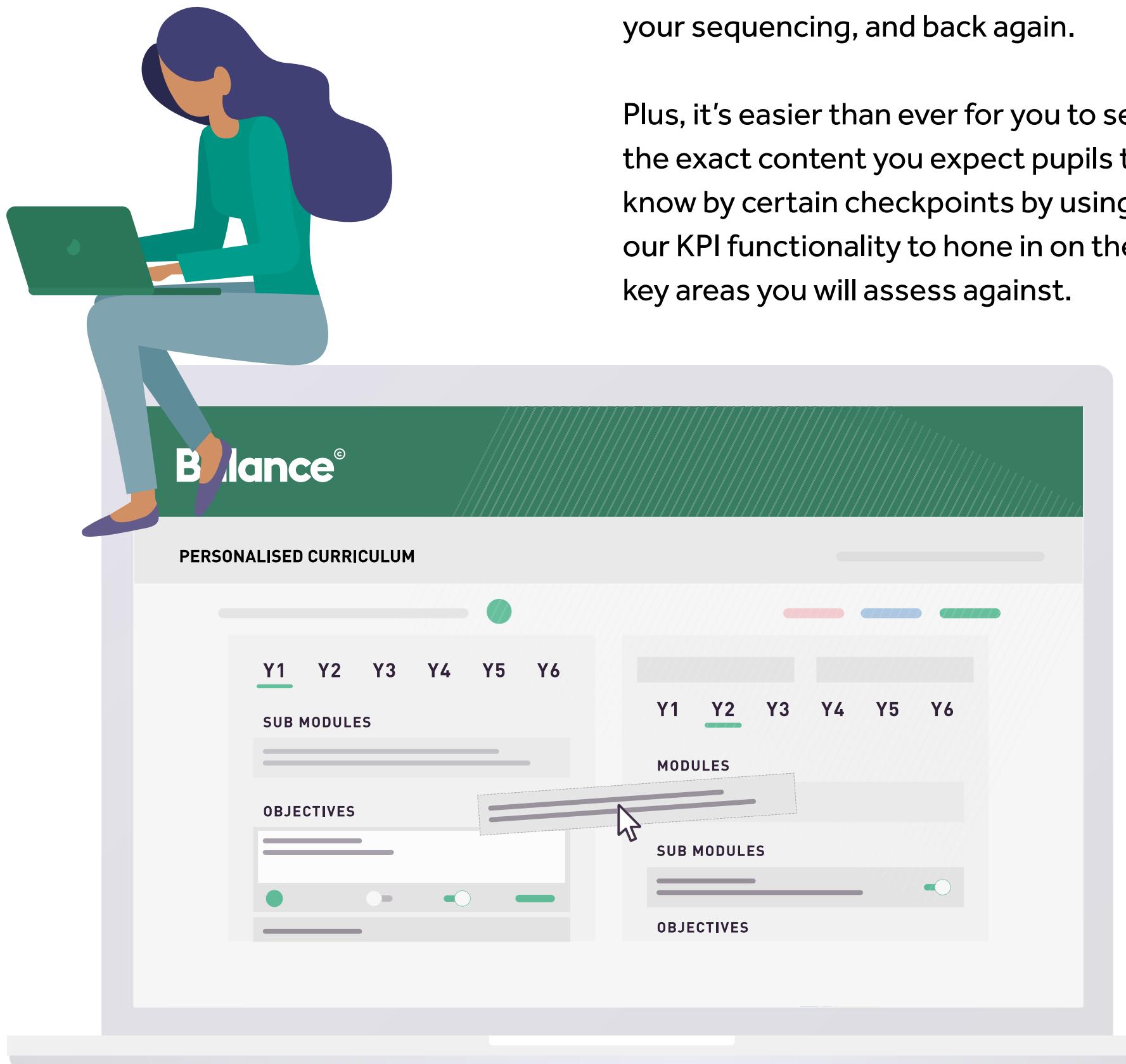
Plan your lessons and focus your resources based on where your class is at right now, not where data thinks they *should* be. Easily spot where the gaps in knowledge and understanding are, both for individuals and whole classes – so you can focus their learning around making each child as secure as they can be.



- Analyse the depth of learning in specific areas of the curriculum for all key groups
- See trends over time for all key groups to help close the gap
- Reflect on the learning in Class Analysis to drive school improvement forward

Your curriculum, your way.

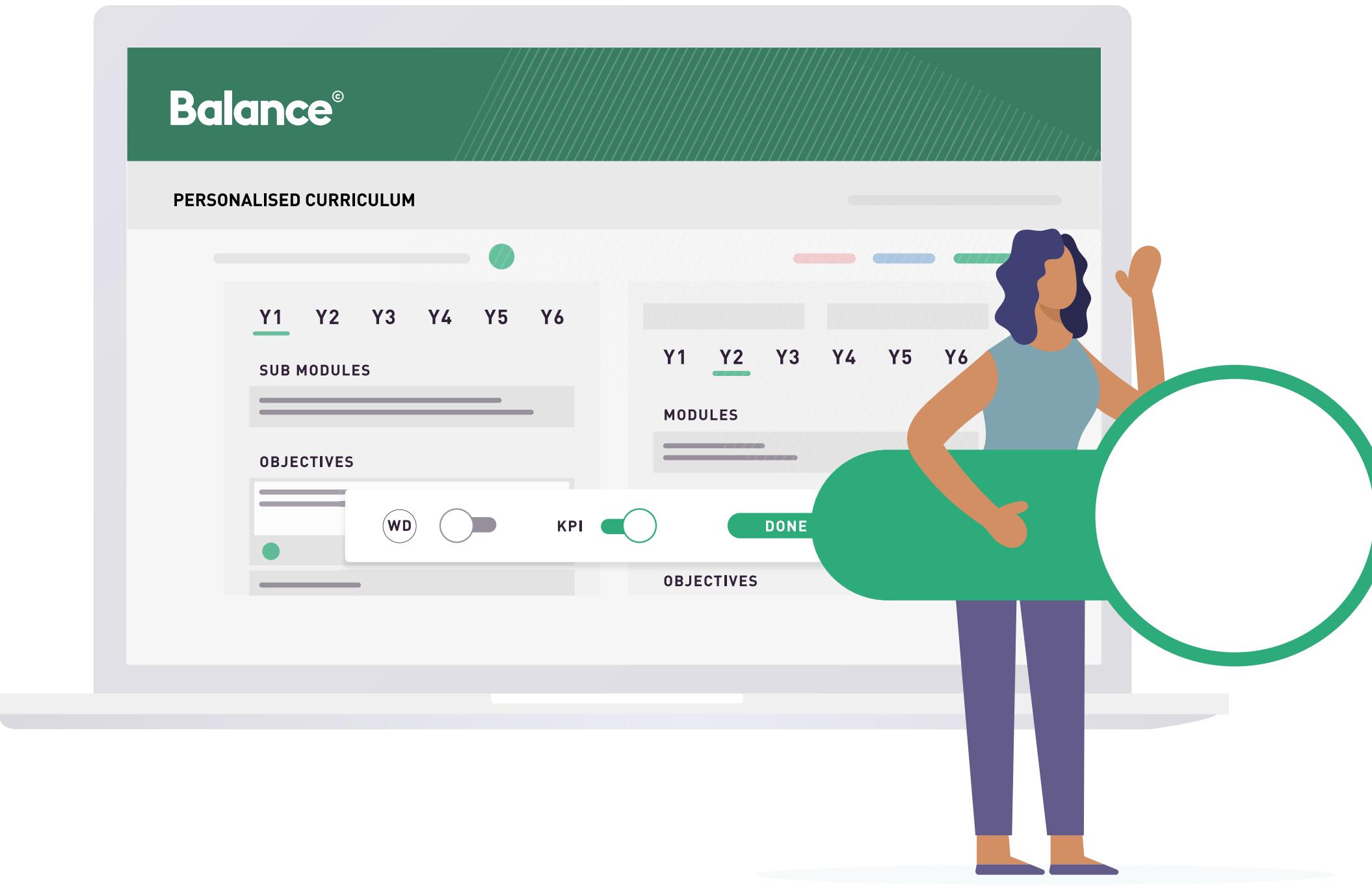
Developed by subject specialists, Balance comes pre-populated with a variety of curriculums for you to use as they are, or for you to personalise for your school.



Using a simple drag and drop method, you're able to move content from year to year based on your school's curriculum intentions. You can quickly chop and change everything – from your modules, to your objectives, to your sequencing, and back again.

Plus, it's easier than ever for you to see the exact content you expect pupils to know by certain checkpoints by using our KPI functionality to hone in on the key areas you will assess against.

- Working Deeper elements help you provide depth to the curriculum
- Expertly-curated curriculums provided for you to adopt, adapt and compare your own curriculum to
- Add, edit, delete modules and objectives to suit your school
- Change your sequencing, based on their learning



Focus on what's important.

Balance helps you stay on track by helping to define and plan the **key** content your children need to know (some schools refer to these as KPIs).

Once you've worked out what it is you want to teach and what you want to assess against, Balance automatically shifts to focus on your key objectives, making assessments more manageable.

This reduces workloads without diluting down the curriculum... meaning teachers have more time to... well, teach.

- Working Deeper elements help you provide depth to the curriculum
- Clearly see the progression across each curriculum area
- Focus on what's important and keep assessment manageable
- Teach less, but in more depth

One click assessments.

Formative assessments in Balance are based on **each child** and what they've achieved in the curriculum – not numbers.

No bands, steps, or made-up progress measures needed.

As mentioned, you're always in control of what you assess against – not only saving you time, but giving you more scope to ensure your children are secure with the key parts of your curriculum.

The image is a screenshot of the Balance app's user interface. At the top, the word "Balance" is displayed in white text on a dark green header bar. Below the header, the text "LEARNING EVENT" is visible. The main area contains a table with columns labeled "NAME", "LEARNING", and "ACTIONS". In the "NAME" column, there is a checked checkbox icon. In the "LEARNING" column, there are three circular icons: a green one with a lock symbol and a checkmark, a blue one with the number "6", and an orange one with a dot. A modal window is overlaid on the table, titled "EDITING 4 PUPILS". Inside the modal, there are three circular icons representing individual pupils: a green one with a lock and a checkmark, a grey one with the number "2" and a lock, and a grey one with an orange dot and a lock. To the right of the modal is a green "SAVE" button. On the far right side of the screen, there is a stylized illustration of a teacher character with purple hair, wearing a teal dress, holding a large pink star.

Spr 2 - Wk 1 Greek Empire

Viewing: Class 4J - All Filters

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Edit Duplicate

- Know the start and end dates of Greek Empire on a timeline, along with the periods studied in Y3
- Continue to annotate timeline through the study as they discover more about the Greek Empire, noting connections
- Understand how this period built on what had gone before and how it further influenced the world (WD)

Name +	Learning
Carpenter, Ian James	● ● ●
Channillor, Anne Marie	● ● ●
Editing 4 pupils	● ● ●
	● ● ●

Learning

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- Individual Pupil Analysis allows you to see individual learning journeys for any Objective
 - Balance automatically analyses your classroom data and generates trends over time
 - Saves time by allowing you to record judgements in groups for each individual pupil
 - Show those small steps of progress using a scale of 1-9 and quickly secure objectives when they're mastered

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LONG TERM PLANNING

ALL (34) ASSIGNED (24) UNASSIGNED (10)

SUB MODULE

OBJECTIVE

AUTUMN 1 AUTUMN 2 SPRING 1 SPRING 2 SUMMER 1 SUMMER 2 ADD BLOCK

KPI

Y3 All categories Q

Objectives

- KPI | Produce an ongoing timeline of the period being studied, showing main events and changes
- KPI | Complete a grid to record changes across the time

Stay one step ahead.

Once you've designed your curriculum, you'll be able to use Balance's planning tool to get ahead, using its simple drag and drop method to organise how and when you're going to teach each module.

Map out the sequencing of your whole curriculum – dropping your modules, submodules, and objectives into long, medium and short-term plans that everyone can see at the click of a button, without drowning in unnecessary word documents full of tracked changes and versions.

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History

ALL (34) ASSIGNED (32) UNASSIGNED (2)

Y3 All categories Q

Objectives

- KPI | Produce an ongoing timeline of the period being studied, showing main events and changes
- KPI | Complete a grid to record changes across the time

Drag and drop a copy of your curriculum into your chosen term blocks below

Autumn 1 (35)	Autumn 2 (23)	Spring 1 (35)	Spring 2 (23)	Summer 1 (23)
KPI Produce an ongoing timeline of the period being studied, showing main events and changes				
Autumn 1 (35)	Autumn 2 (23)	Spring 1 (35)	Spring 2 (23)	Summer 1 (23)
KPI Complete a grid to record changes across the time				
Add Block				

Drag and drop a copy of your curriculum

- Separates your whole curriculum into long term and short term plans
- Automatically exports your plans into easy to read PDFs
- Easily editable, in case something changes along the way



Reduce teacher workload.

Balance does all your analysis for you – meaning no more late nights making charts and graphs to satisfy Ofsted or other stakeholders. You can manage and export classroom data, curriculums and day-to-day school life at the click of a button... with no need for assessment weeks, filling trackers, or even time wasted prepping for Parents' Evening.

Balance even integrates with your MIS, keeping all your pupil data safely stored.

- Less time entering unnecessary data into trackers
- Clear learning analysis ready to be presented at progress meetings
- Export analysis, graphs and charts on everything from learning to pupil premium cohort
- No wasted time trying to find the right data or finding the right excel spreadsheets
- Provide effective feedback and improve classroom practice



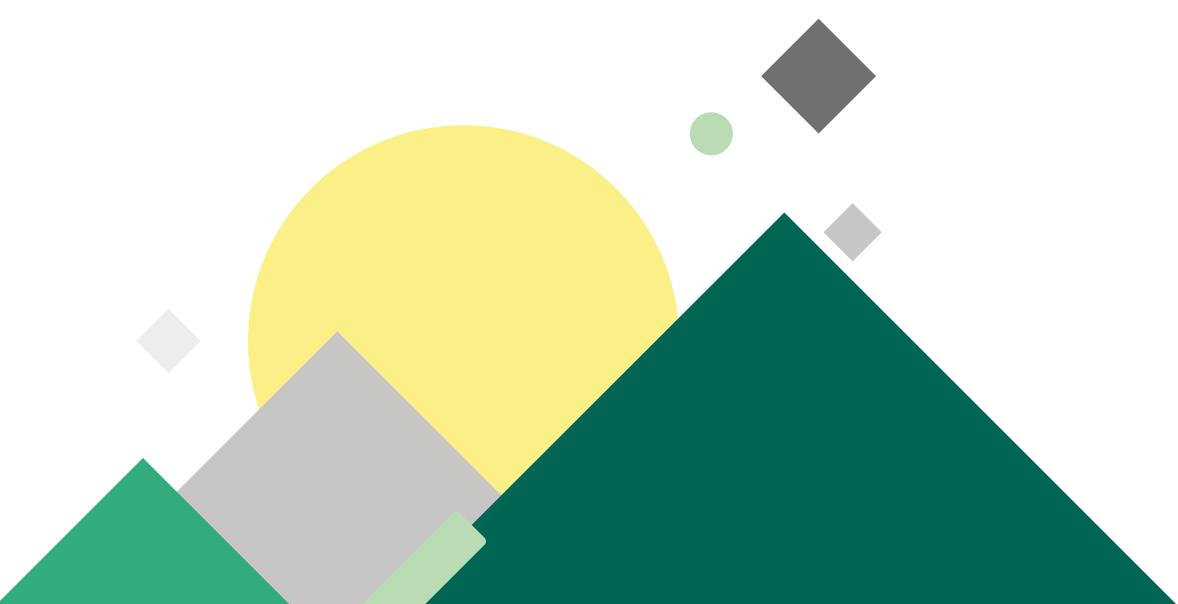


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We no longer have a mad rush to input or complete data each term.
I have not seen a teacher leave with a bag of books for ages.

Better still, they leave with a smile and a clear evening to spend with their families.

– PAULA FRETWELL, ST MARGARET'S INFANTS SCHOOL



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