

What does GDPR mean for Irish Primary schools?

The General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) came into force on the 25th May 2018.

The following will apply to schools and their data as part of GDPR:

1. Personal data must be fairly and lawfully processed.
2. Accuracy – Personal data must be accurate and kept up to date.
3. Security – Personal data should be kept secure in terms of encryption and accessibility.
4. Keep data for no longer than is necessary.
5. Individuals rights – right of access to information, right to rectification.
6. Information is only shared with those who need it.

For more information visit
www.aladdin.ie/content/dps_help



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Further Info & Help

08 A fully comprehensive GDPR page is available from within Aladdin's help section. This provides a sample data protection policy and a sample school data protection self assessment form for schools to complete. As well as information on topics such as data breaches.

Enhancing Security

07 Users are automatically logged out of Aladdin after a period of inactivity is detected. This policy is enforced in order to enhance data protection and security.

Accountability

06 Aladdin helps demonstrate compliance and reduces the need for schools to hold insecure paper records which are more susceptible to damage, loss, or theft.

Expert Guidance

01 Aladdin has employed expert data protection guidance so schools can be assured their information is being held in a GDPR compliant environment.

GDPR & Aladdin

Aladdin is fully committed to helping and supporting our schools compliance with GDPR.

Ease of Access

05 Aladdin makes it easy to find up-to-date student/parent/class/staff information. Reports and documents are all in one place and easy to access.

Access Management

02 Aladdin's access management options ensure that schools can share with staff only the information that is required of them.

Protection Levels

03 Sensitive documents on Aladdin can have advanced protection levels which can ensure only certain staff members have logged access to view/edit.

Subject Access Request

04 Individuals under the GDPR have the right of access, meaning they have a right to request access to the information a school holds on them or their students.