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## Your Benefit Statement is your check point

Your Benefit Statement is available for you to view via [My Pension Online](#) (MPO).

It's more important than ever to keep in touch with your pension and stay up to date with the Scheme. With your MPO account you can access your pension information wherever you are. So why not log in and stay in control of your savings?

We update your Benefit Statement monthly, so you can easily keep track of how your benefits are building up in the Scheme. Whilst it may not be the most important thing in your life right now, regular checks on your pension savings will make things easier in the future. If you're unsure about any of the information in your Statement or how to find it, check out our handy [guide](#) and short [video](#). If you think that any of the information in your Statement is inaccurate or there's missing service, we recommend that you contact the relevant employer.

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## Government Consultation for public sector pension schemes

The Government plans to publish a public consultation soon on changes to address the discrimination caused by transitional protection arrangements within the 2015 reforms to the main public sector pension schemes, including the Teachers' Pension Scheme. The usual consultation period is 12 weeks.

This will be your opportunity to provide feedback on the proposals, to address the discrimination identified in the McCloud Court of Appeal decision.

Remember the Government has confirmed that your pension entitlements are safe and that the changes it makes to remove the discrimination will be for all affected scheme members and not just those who have lodged claims.

Please make sure you check our website, or our social media pages for confirmation on the start date and a link to the consultation.

**Be scam aware:** There has been a significant increase in general scam activity since COVID-19. Find out how you can protect yourself and your pension via our Scam Awareness [video](#).

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## COVID-19 and your pension

We're actively monitoring the COVID-19 situation and will continue to update our [website](#) with any developments. We know it's a challenging time for you and your schools, and to help we're doing all we can to support you and ensure our services can continue running as normal.



As part of this, we've already made some changes to our application processes for retirements and payments, and we're working hard to make online forms interactive. If you need to get in touch, please use MPO and keep your personal details up to date.



## We've got you covered

It's never too early to start thinking about saving for the future for you and your family. With your teacher's pension you can be assured that should the worst happen your family will be taken care of.

You can check out our online [Family Benefits Calculator](#) via MPO for an estimate of the pension benefits your family may be entitled to. You can also update your beneficiary details quickly and easily, so the Scheme can protect you when it matters.

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