What's new with Edval 10?

Thanks for your interest in Edval 10! This update of our flagship timetabling software comes within many exciting developments.

We have maintained all major functionality and made a number of improvements and added new features including:

- New user Interface and experience
- Undo and redo button
- New Global "Fix Everything" algorithm
- More powerful timetabling algorithms
- New Dashboard
- New "Health Check" report layout
- New optimise and improve tools in the Master Grid screen
- Better integration with our Knowledge Base.
- New favourites bar
- Integrated Live Chat feature (for Curriculum Support clients only)
- Re-designed Requirements Clash Matrix screen

We want you to experience the same snappy response time you're used to! So you can experience this, Edval 10 remains a single-user desktop timetabling product for the time being.

With any additional questions, contact edval10.support@edval.education

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Edval 10 FAQ's

In order to include some new functionality and to pave the way for exciting future developments, we have changed the underlying software. In the process, we have redesigned the layout and improved functionality, adding some long-requested new features. We are referring to this version as Edval 10 or E10.

Is it cloud based?
No, Edval 10 is a single user desktop product.

How much will it cost?
Edval 10 will not cost you any extra, it is covered in your annual subscription fee.

Do I need training?
We do not believe you will need training to use Edval 10. The basic functionality of the program has not changed. We have had a number of schools Beta test the product for us and the feedback is that it is much simpler to use.

We will provide several short videos that give an overview of major changes but clients who opt-in to use Edval 10 will need to rely on existing knowledge and documentation. The videos will cover enough detail for an experienced user to be able to explore the file options.

Edval also provides an Edval 10 specific email support site.

Will my old files work?
The data is backwards compatible which means schools may open the file either in existing Edval9 or new Edval10 software.

What if I don't like the new version?
You are welcome to keep using Edval 9 but we will no longer be adding any features to the product, effective immediately. We will continue to fix any bugs that are found until 30 June 2020. To make the most of your timetabling experience we recommend you opt-in to use the new software sometime this year. We know you will love it.

Does it work with Edval Daily and Edval Choice?
Syncing to Edval Daily is still being tested, but the school can sync to Edval Choice

Does it work with my Admin System?
We have implemented the flat file syncs. We are still to finalise testing and implementation of syncs with Sentral, Compass, Edumate and others. If you need to sync your file you will need to complete that task in Edval 9.

Does it hold family data?
The Family data is no longer stored in the timetable etz. It can be uploaded to Spring via a csv. This decision was driven by privacy and data security.

Firstly, the Family data was causing lots of issues with Edval Interview events and syncing. Secondly, as an international company, Edval is bound by the Global Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and Australian Privacy Principles.

Having sensitive family data in the etz file posed a data security risk since etz files are often emailed to various parties.

Is anything missing?
The following features are in progress but not yet completed:

- Import data
- Export data
- Reports
- Bulk printing
- Syncs to all major Admin Systems

Note 1: it is possible to print and export from each screen.

Note 2: If you need to do any of the above 4 actions, you can save your Edval 10 file and run it in Edval 9 to complete the action, then save and run the file again in Edval 10.

What's not coming back?
- Secret Stuff – This was obviously not-so secret. The popular features have been integrated into relevant options within the system and others have been removed.
- Class data (by subject)
- Teachers > Staff meetings – replaced by improved version in Class data

So what's new?
We are glad you asked.
- New layout
- New Dashboard with What's New clearly visible
- Improved features for enhanced user experience and intuitive navigation
- Improved and additional optimisation algorithms
- Undo/Redo – YES, at last!
- Bulk teacher assignment for meetings
- Tabs for common functions
- Ability to create custom shortcuts