

Privacy Policy & GDPR Compliance

ArtsPool Education Ltd is committed to protecting and respecting your privacy.



This Policy explains when and why we collect personal information about people who visit our websites, how we use it, and how we keep it secure.

By using our websites, you are agreeing to the terms of this Policy.

Any questions regarding this Policy should be sent

- by email to info@arts-pool.co.uk
- in writing to ArtsPool Education Ltd, 125 Sutton Lane, Slough, BERKS SL3 8AU.
- by telephone 01753 544560

ArtsPool Education Ltd is a resource supplier, workshop and CPD provider for teachers and students of GCSE Dance. The original company, ArtsPool {UK} Ltd was established in 2005. It changed its' name and ownership in 2020 to ArtsPool Education Ltd.

The registered address is 125 Sutton Lane, Slough, Berks SL3 8AU.

ArtsPool runs several online programmes:

- **e-learning, including our Student Workshop Portal [SWP]** [<https://artspool-e-learning.com>]
- **e-flashcards and Countdown 30** [<https://c2revision.com>]
- **danthology** [www.danthology.me]
- **Student Revision workshops - delivered via Zoom**

These are purchased through the main website at www.arts-pool.co.uk.



We only obtain explicit data from you for which you have given your consent, and do not use implicit data or data collected by third parties. We obtain information about you when you place an order via any of our websites. We request written confirmation from parents/carers that they have given consent for use of their email for these portals.

The personal information we collect might include your name, address, email address, IP address, and information regarding what webpages are accessed and when.

If you purchase a product from us online, your card information is collected by Paypal and not by us. The transaction is recorded directly with Paypal. Your name, address and email address are stored by us for accounting and shipping purposes. Your data is stored on our accounting software via Quickbooks. We do keep hard copies of all transactions which are stored securely at our office premises.

When students are subscribed to our online programmes, their name and email address is collected.

Cookies.

The ArtsPool websites use cookies. All our websites display a cookies notification. 'Cookies' collect statistical data about your browsing actions and patterns and do not identify you as an individual. It is possible to switch off cookies by setting your browser preferences. Turning cookies off may result in a loss of functionality when using our websites.





We may use personal information to:

- process your orders
- liaise with you regarding workshops and general support
- seek your views or comments on the services we provide
- notify you of changes to our services
- send you communications which you have requested or that may be of interest to you. These may include information about forthcoming resources, student workshops, or online programmes, online offers.
- monitor web traffic to maintain the smooth facility of our websites

We will hold your personal information on our systems for as long as is necessary for the relevant activity.

We may use student information to:

- assist with technical support on our online workshops

We will never sell or rent your information to third parties. We will never share your information with third parties for marketing purposes.

We will never publish student work.

When you are using our secure online payment pages, your payment is processed by Paypal, who specialise in the secure online capture and processing of credit/debit card transactions. If you have any questions regarding secure transactions, please contact us.

ArtsPool's Director and online hosting manager have access to email addresses via all our sites. ArtsPool staff are DBS checked.



Security precautions are in place to protect the loss, misuse or alteration of your information

All our websites are hosted on a cloud-based server run by Digital Ocean. Digital Ocean datacenters are individually audited and certified by various internationally-recognised compliance standards including SOC 1, SOC 2, PCI-DSS and ISO 27001.

Any sensitive information (such as credit or debit card details) is encrypted and protected with SSL on arts-pool.co.uk.

Non-sensitive details (your email address etc.) are transmitted normally over the Internet, and this can never be guaranteed to be 100% secure. As a result, we cannot guarantee the security of any information you transmit to us, and you do so at your own risk. Once we receive your information, we make our best effort to ensure it is secure on our systems.

Where we have given (or where you have chosen) a password which enables you to access certain parts of our websites, you are responsible for keeping this password confidential. We ask you not to share your password with anyone.

Our server is located in London, and thus the risk of data going outside the EU is significantly reduced.

under 16 protection



We are committed to protecting the privacy of children aged 16 or under.

We request written confirmation that they have obtained permission from the relevant parents/carers before they do so.

Our hard drive is backed up to GDPR compliant Onedrive. Our accounting software is also cloud based and hosted by Quickbooks online.



You have a choice about whether you wish to receive information from us. If you do not want to receive direct marketing communications from us, then you **send an email with UNSUBSCRIBE in the subject line**. Our email marketing list is opt-in only and GDPR compliant.

You have the right to ask for a copy of the information ArtsPool Education Ltd holds about you. To request this, you can email us at info@arts-pool.co.uk and we will ensure you receive a response within 1 calendar month.

You have the right to request that we erase any data we hold about you.

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Our website may contain links to other websites run by us.

At times we provide links to AQA and the Anthology dance companies. This privacy policy applies only to our websites, so we encourage you to read the privacy statements on the other websites you visit. We cannot be responsible for the privacy policies and practices of other sites even if you access them using links from our website.

In addition, if you linked to our website from a third party site, we cannot be responsible for the privacy policies and practices of the owners and operators of that third party site and recommend that you check the policy of that third party site.

This policy is regularly updated.