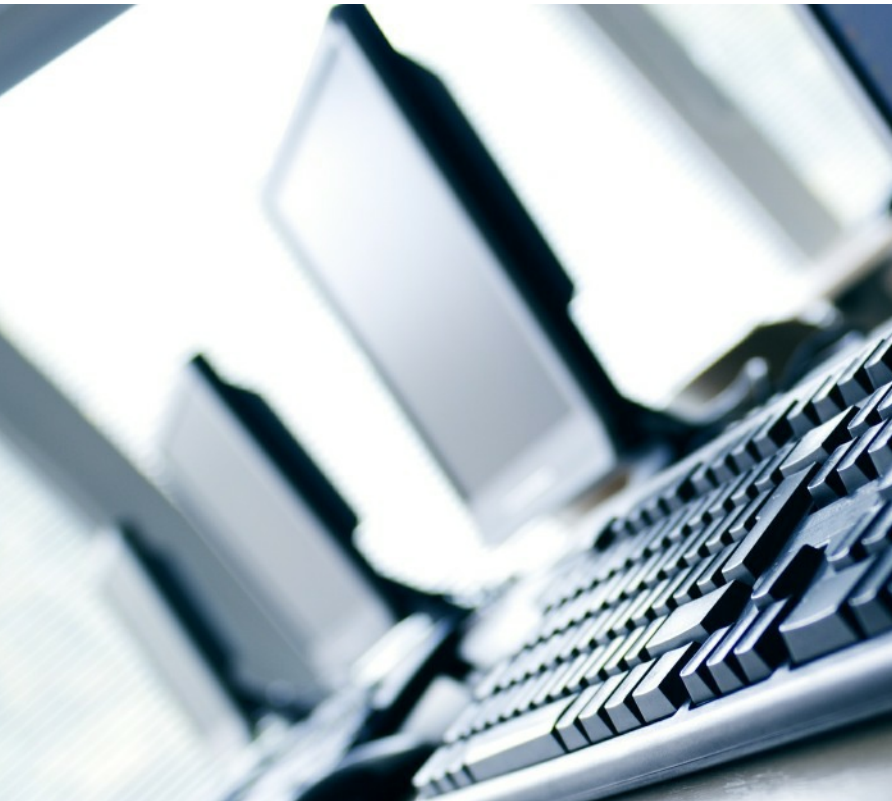**MARKBOOK ONLINE**

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With Markbook Online we started with the interface from our previous markbook systems because few people like learning a new application interface, or have the time to do so.

All of the menus are organised in a similar way with the top level menus of File, Edit, New, Print, Action, Tools, Options, Help. The toolbar has buttons in the same order as SM-Marks and Teacher's Personal Markbook.

To work in a browser there are differences in the Navigation that is detailed in the 10 Minute Guides and the Video Tutorials. As part of this redesign we made sure that everything can work on a touch screen device without requiring a mouse or physical keyboard.

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