SECURING A MARKET-LEADING SOLUTION

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Cypad

Cypad Apps - the school caterer's choice

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CYPAD PROVIDES WEB-BASED MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR CATERERS AND LOCAL EDUCATION AUTHORITIES TO MANAGE CATERING FOR SCHOOLS AND OTHER FACILITIES.

Cypad software is used at more than 3,000 sites in the UK.

Its market-leading, Software-as-a-Service solution, Cypad Kitchen Manager® (CKM) is delivered via tablets or smartphone. The Cypad system automates many tasks, collects data and generates reports to co-ordinate the key elements of a catering service. This includes ordering ingredients, meal management and staff /HR matters and productivity reviews.

Cypad Monitor creates real-time audit reports, in line with industry standards, measuring the quality of a service, such as cleaning and grounds maintenance.

All of this can be done from several locations or when staff are out and about. For Cypad reliability, integrity and security of the data collected is at the heart of the business. "We must have a well-designed modern security system that provides our users and ourselves with the confidence that our data and systems are secure and trustworthy: we must also be compliant with industry security and data protection standards."

> *"Kaspersky Lab's reputation is based on the outstanding performance of its technology. Since we have been using Select we have not had a single virus attack that has caused us any issues."*

James Hardy, Applications Support Manager, Cypad

Challenge

The 2014 coalition government's universal infant free school meals' initiative required vastly increased school meal production which presented a challenge to many kitchens. Cypad sought to help by increasing awareness of the data collection and reporting capability of CKM to help busy catering staff manage the increased demand, the school meal production process and to use intelligent data to generate reports.

Historically, quantities of school meals were estimated, resulting in popular choices running out, leaving some children disappointed and a lot of food being left over. Many heads of kitchen now use CKM on a tablet to collect data, share information and reports with senior managers and head teachers. The application on the tablet is easy-to-use by all levels of staff, eliminates the use of paper (a big fire hazard), requires no extra wiring and enables them to be in full control of all key aspects of meal production, payment's and staff management from remote locations. From the tablet data is relayed via the internet back to a desktop at the head office.

Cooks know exactly how many dishes to prepare. How? Because children use Cypad's Meal Selection & Register App from a digital whiteboard to pre-select their meal. The system tallies the information and feeds it directly into the cook's tablet in the kitchen and they know how many of the different dishes to prepare. This covers special diets, allergies and school events or packed lunches for trips. A bonus is that the whiteboard supports good food culture by sticker taping food facts and related educational information as set by the school.

School managers are able to order ingredients in precise quantities, avoiding waste, and ensuring that every child receives the meal of their choice, whether they are at the front – or the end – of the queue.

Parents are able to log into their child's account to see which meals their children are selecting, and to pay online. CKM can also handle stock taking and automate ordering of supplies, records staff time sheets and training details.

Cypad systems and services as well as security systems have continued to grow in-line with the rising demand.

SECURE

All data can be remotely wiped from a lost or stolen tablet

MOBILE

Protection for Cypad solutions on all mobile devices

CONFIDENCE

The Kaspersky Lab brand and performance delivers peace of mind

PERFORMANCE

Kaspersky Lab has protected Cypad from any virus or malware issues

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Established

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Employees

The Kaspersky Lab solution

"Our security partner is Kaspersky Lab and we chose them because we needed an organisation with great security technology and the name and track record to give our customers complete confidence in our solutions."

After looking at what was available on the market, we chose Kaspersky Lab's solution. They offer layered security levels in a sequenced approach which is consistent, and mitigates the risks in a way that is reliable, robust and modern. Cypad uses Kaspersky Endpoint Security for Business Select, providing its users with high-end industry protection. Applications combined with mobile device management are covered.

Strong brand and reputation

"It's given us the confidence to go into organisations, safe in the knowledge that we have all bases covered. Kaspersky Lab has such a strong brand and reputation that, often, just being able to say that we use Kaspersky Lab is sufficient reassurance for our customers that our solutions are protected and trustworthy.

"And Kaspersky Lab's reputation is based on the outstanding performance of its technology. We use Select and have not had a single virus attack that has caused us any issues.

"With Kaspersky Lab we can ensure that staff of clients using our tablets, use them solely for the intended purposes. With Kaspersky Lab we manage all tablets so if one gets lost or stolen we can locate it and remotely wipe all data.

"Our customers need this security: reputation, infrastructure, reliability. Kaspersky Lab configured the solution for us so that it worked effectively and efficiently. And for the projected future growth and development of our business, elements of the Select platform are available to meet the growing needs in parallel.

"I'm very happy with the role Kaspersky Lab has played in Cypad systems & services and see a long-term partnership that will go from strength to strength."

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