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The Education Endowment Foundation (EEF) has published guidance on [making the best use of teaching assistants](#) to help primary and secondary schools.

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