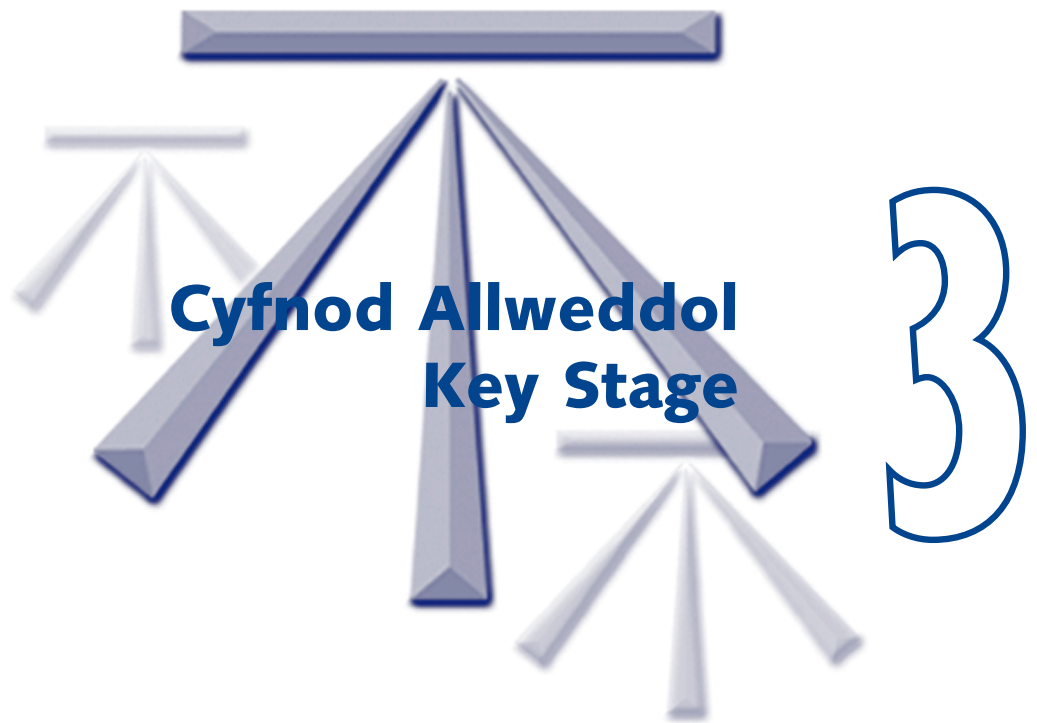


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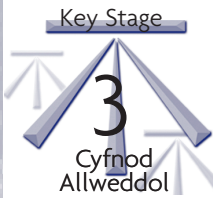
This is the eighth year for which benchmark information has been published and it is hoped that schools and LEAs will use it to support their target setting processes. The tables displayed in this booklet are based on the results derived from the 2004 National Curriculum assessments.

The purpose of providing benchmark information is to show how well schools can do, whatever their circumstances. Benchmark Information brings together the results of similar schools into simple tables, which are ordered according to the proportion of children known to be eligible for free school meals (FSM). By looking at the tables, which have been extended for English-medium schools, schools can find out how well their results compare with similar schools.

The presentation of the benchmark information illustrates clearly the range of performance in each group of schools. Blank columns allow schools to enter their own results for different indicators i.e. the percentage of pupils attaining level 5 or above, or those achieving the Core Subject Indicator (CSI). The tables are based on the results from maintained schools.

For 2002 and 2003, the FSM percentage was based on pupils of all ages. For 2004, the FSM percentage is based on pupils of compulsory school age only.

The charts towards the back of the book show the number of schools in a range of performance bands for each subject and the Core Subject Indicator. The charts are based on the number of schools with more than five pupils eligible for assessment.



How to use the Benchmark Tables Sut i ddefnyddio'r tablau

Table 1: Schools with up to 10 per cent eligible for FSM
Tabl 1: Ysgolion â hyd at 10 y cant yn gymwys i gael PYD

Percentage of pupils achieving level 5 or above
Canran y disgyblion yn cyrraedd lefel 5 neu uwch

English/Saesneg	Lower Quartile Chwartzel Isaf	Median Canolrif	Upper Quartile Chwartzel Uchaf
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	72	76	83
Test Prawf	60	77	80
Mathematics/Mathemateg			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	75	80	85
Test Prawf	73	76	90
Science/Gwyddoniaeth			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	70	79	88
Test Prawf	76	82	87
Core Subject Indicator/Dangosydd Pynciau Craidd			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	60	67	73
Test Prawf	60	64	71

Number of schools/Nifer yr ysgolion = 54

School performance is in the bottom 25% (the lower quartile) of schools in the table.
Perfformiad Ysgol yn y 25% isaf (y chwartzel isaf) o ysgolion yn y tabl.

School performance is in the top 50% (above the median) and below the best performing 25% (the upper quartile).
Perfformiad ysgol yn y 50% uchaf (uwchlaw'r canolrif ac islaw'r 25% sy'n perfformio orau (y chwartzel uchaf)

School performance is in the bottom 50% (below the median) of schools but above the lowest performing 25% (the lower quartile).
Perfformiad ysgol yn y 50% isaf (islaw'r canolrif) o ysgolion ond uwchlaw'r 25% isaf eu perfformiad (chwartzel isaf)

School is performing in the top 25% (the upper quartile).
Ysgol yn perfformio yn y 25% uchaf (y chwartzel uchaf)

Table 1: Schools with up to 10 per cent eligible for FSM

Tabl 1: Ysgolion sydd â hyd at 10 y cant o ddisgyblion â hawl i BYD

Percentage of pupils achieving level 5 or above/Canran y disgyblion yn cyrraedd lefel 5 neu'n uwch

	Lower Quartile Chwartzel Isaf	Median Canolrif	Upper Quartile Chwartzel Uchaf
English/Saesneg			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	73	80	85
Test Prawf	71	79	84
Mathematics/Mathemateg			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	78	83	87
Test Prawf	78	83	86
Science/Gwyddoniaeth			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	75	82	89
Test Prawf	80	85	90
Core Subject Indicator/Dangosydd Pynciau Craidd			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	63	71	77
Test	64	71	77
Art/Celf			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	74	83	90
Design & Technology/Dylunio a Thechnoleg			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	68	81	89
Geography/Daeryddiaeth			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	73	79	86
History/Hanes			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	70	78	89
Information Technology/Technoleg Gwybodaeth			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	70	84	92
Modern Foreign Language/Ieithoedd Fodern			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	56	64	76
Music/Cerddoriaeth			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	73	81	88
Physical Education/Addysg Gorfforol			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	69	79	87
Welsh Second Language/Cymraeg Ail Iaith			
Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	48	56	67

Number of schools/Nifer yr ysgolion = 52

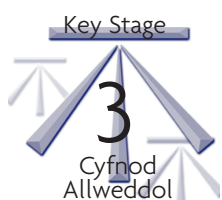


Table 3: Schools with over 15 per cent and up to 20 per cent eligible for FSM

Tabl 3: Ysgolion sydd â dros 15 y cant, a hyd at 20 y cant o ddisgyblion â hawl i BYD

Percentage of pupils achieving level 5 or above/Canran y disgyblion yn cyrraedd lefel 5 neu uwch

	Lower Quartile Chwartzel Isaf	Median Canolrif	Upper Quartile Chwartzel Uchaf
English/Saesneg			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	61	65	73
Test Prawf	56	62	72
Mathematics/Mathemateg			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	66	70	76
Test Prawf	64	69	74
Science/Gwyddoniaeth			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	63	71	76
Test Prawf	67	74	77
Core Subject Indicator/Dangosydd Pynciau Craidd			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	49	55	63
Test Prawf	48	54	61
Art/Celf			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	69	75	84
Design & Technology/Dylunio a Thechnoleg			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	66	71	81
Geography/Daearyddiaeth			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	63	68	72
History/Hanes			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	63	67	73
Information Technology/Technoleg Gwybodaeth			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	60	73	81
Modern Foreign Language/Ieithoedd Fodern			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	42	53	64
Music/Cerddoriaeth			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	54	62	75
Physical Education/Addysg Gorfforol			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	62	74	81
Welsh Second Language/Cymraeg Ail Iaith			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	34	45	60

Number of schools/Nifer yr ysgolion = 45

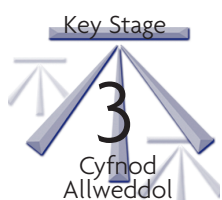


Table 5: Schools with over 30 per cent eligible for FSM

Tabl 5: Ysgolion sydd â dros 30 y cant o ddisgyblion â hawl i BYD

Percentage of pupils achieving level 5 or above/Canran y disgyblion yn cyrraedd lefel 5 neu uwch

	Lower Quartile Chwartzel Isaf	Median Canolrif	Upper Quartile Chwartzel Uchaf
English/Saesneg			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	43	51	56
Test Prawf	44	47	52
Mathematics/Mathemateg			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	51	56	65
Test Prawf	49	54	62
Science/Gwyddoniaeth			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	50	58	63
Test Prawf	52	57	62
Core Subject Indicator/Dangosydd Pynciau Craidd			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	32	39	44
Test Prawf	34	40	42
Art/Celf			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	36	55	66
Design & Technology/Dylunio a Thechnoleg			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	37	51	63
Geography/Daearyddiaeth			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	37	56	65
History/Hanes			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	41	50	59
Information Technology/Technoleg Gwybodaeth			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	40	54	60
Modern Foreign Language/Ieithoedd Fodern			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	26	39	44
Music/Cerddoriaeth			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	36	49	63
Physical Education/Addysg Gorfforol			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	33	55	73
Welsh Second Language/Cymraeg Ail Iaith			
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro	16	25	43

Number of schools/Nifer yr ysgolion = 24

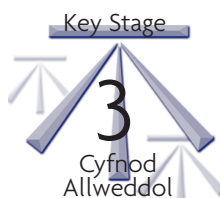


Table 7: English speaking schools

Tabl 7: Ysgolion Saesneg

Percentage of pupils achieving level 5 or above/Canran y disgyblion yn cyrraedd lefel 5 neu uwch

English/Saesneg		Lower Quartile Chwartel Isaf		Median Canolrif		Upper Quartile Chwartel Uchaf	
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		56		66		74	
Test/Prawf		56		65		73	
Mathematics/Mathemateg							
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		63		72		79	
Test/Prawf		63		71		77	
Science/Gwyddoniaeth							
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		64		72		81	
Test/Prawf		66		75		82	
Core Subject Indicator/Dangosydd Pynciau Craidd							
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		45		56		65	
Test/Prawf		46		57		65	
Art/Celf							
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		63		74		86	
Design & Technology/Dylunio a Thechnoleg							
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		58		71		83	
Geography/Daearyddiaeth							
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		59		69		78	
History/Hanes							
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		59		68		75	
Information Technology/Technoleg Gwybodaeth							
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		56		69		82	
Modern Foreign Language/Ieithoedd Fodern							
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		38		51		63	
Music/Cerddoriaeth							
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		54		68		81	
Physical Education/Addysg Gorfforol							
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		56		70		82	
Welsh Second Language/Cymraeg Ail Iaith							
Teacher Assessment Asesiad Athro		30		45		56	

Number of schools/Nifer yr ysgolion = 173

Tabl 9: Welsh speaking schools - Summary table

Tabl 9: Ysgolion Cymraeg - Tabl crynodeb

Percentage of pupils achieving level 5 or above/Canran y disgyblion yn cyrraedd lefel 5 neu uwch

FSM band/Band PYD					
Up to 10 per cent Hyd at 10 y cant	11-15	16-20	21-30	31 per cent or more 31 y cant neu ragor	All Schools Pob Ysgol

English/Saesneg

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	77	73	65	68	-	73
Test/Prawf	76	70	65	65	-	71

Welsh/Cymraeg

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	77	74	67	77	-	74
Test/Prawf	77	73	68	76	-	74

Mathematics/Mathemateg

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	78	77	67	74	-	76
Test/Prawf	79	75	69	68	-	75

Science/Gwyddoniaeth

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	77	73	65	71	-	73
Test/Prawf	80	76	67	67	-	76

Core Subject Indicator/Dangosydd Pynciau Craidd

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	67	63	53	59	-	63
Test/Prawf	68	62	55	56	-	63

Art/Celf

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	82	83	75	74	-	81
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Design & Technology/Dynlunio a Thechnoleg

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	73	72	70	80	-	73
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Geography/Daearyddiaeth

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	77	72	70	58	-	73
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History/Hanes

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	76	70	68	79	-	73
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Information Technology/Technoleg Gwybodaeth

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	79	83	62	66	-	77
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Modern Foreign Language/Ieithoedd Fodern

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	63	58	62	71	-	62
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Music/Cerddoriaeth

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	76	76	71	80	-	75
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Physical Education/Addysg Gorfforol

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	73	71	74	69	-	73
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Welsh Second Language/Cymraeg Ail Iaith

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Table 11: All Secondary schools - summary table

Tabl 11: Pob ysgol Uwchradd - tabl crynodeb

Percentage of pupils achieving level 5 or above/Canran y disgyblion yn cyrraedd lefel 5 neu uwch

FSM band/Band PYD					
Up to 10 per cent Hyd at 10 y cant	11-15	16-20	21-30	31 per cent or more 31 y cant neu ragor	All Schools Pob Ysgol

English/Saesneg

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	80	71	66	59	50	67
Test/Prawf	78	71	63	60	48	66

Welsh/Cymraeg

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	76	73	66	76	-	73
Test/Prawf	76	73	68	76	-	74

Mathematics/Mathemateg

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	83	77	70	66	56	72
Test/Prawf	82	76	69	66	55	72

Science/Gwyddoniaeth

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	82	76	70	67	55	72
Test/Prawf	85	78	72	68	56	74

Core Subject Indicator/Dangosydd Pynciau Craidd

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	71	62	55	49	38	58
Test/Prawf	71	63	54	51	39	58

Art/Celf

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	83	78	77	70	55	75
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Design & Technology/Dynlunio a Thechnoleg

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	78	75	74	65	51	71
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Geography/Daeryddiaeth

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	79	75	67	60	50	69
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History/Hanes

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	80	73	67	61	49	68
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Information Technology/Technoleg Gwybodaeth

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	79	74	70	61	49	69
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Modern Foreign Language/Ieithoedd Fodern

Teacher Assessment Aseiad Athro	63	59	53	41	38	53
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Music/Cerddoriaeth

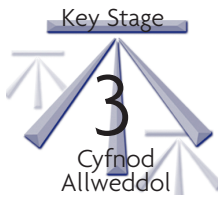
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Physical Education/Addysg Gorfforol

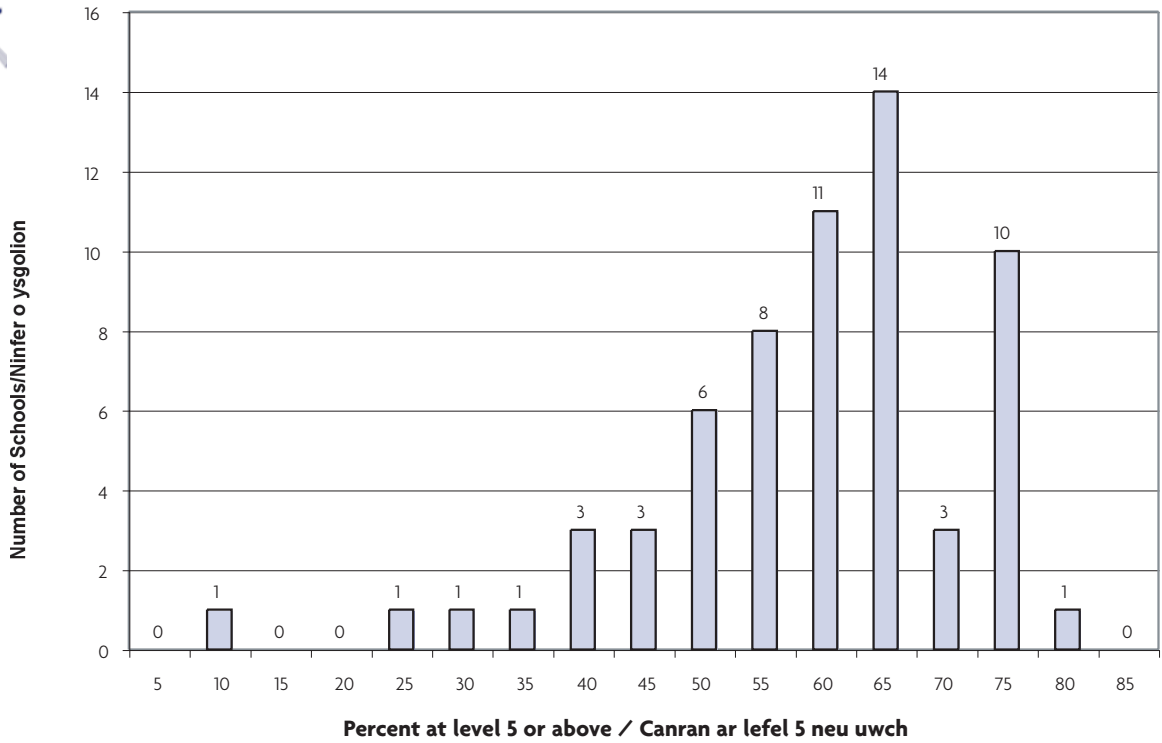
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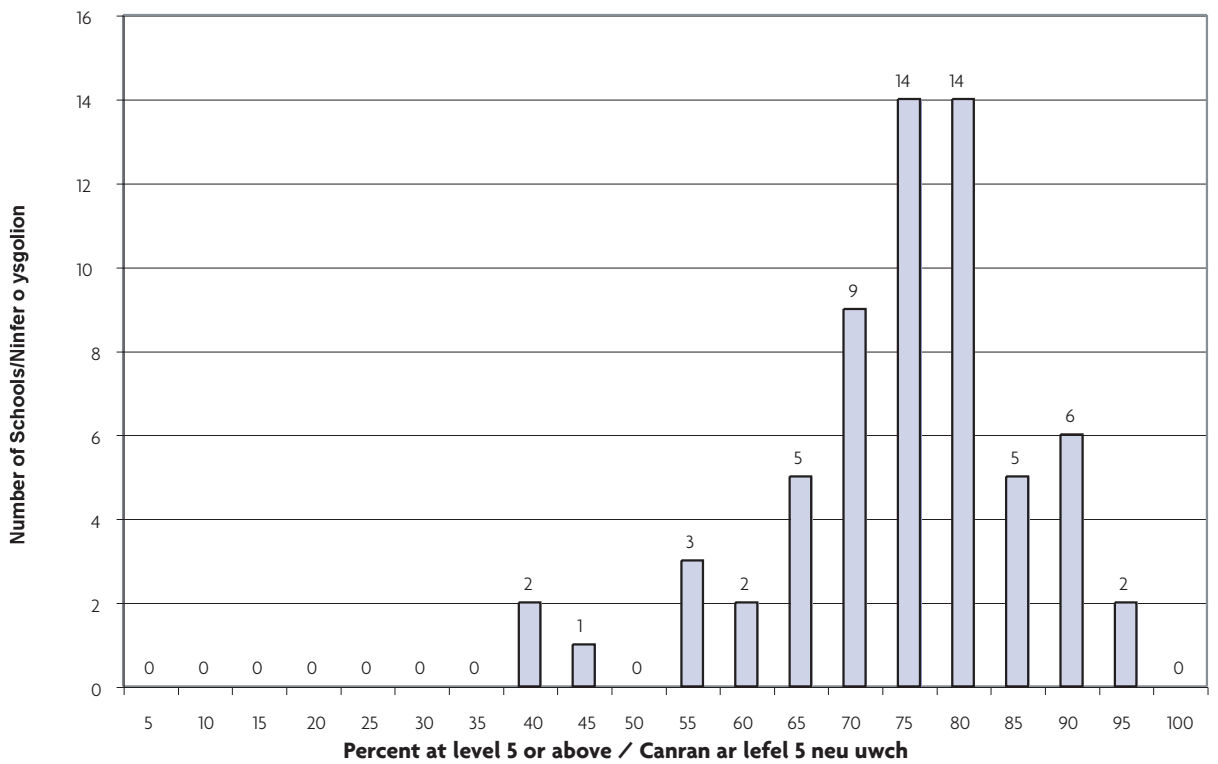
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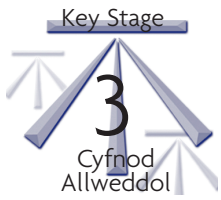


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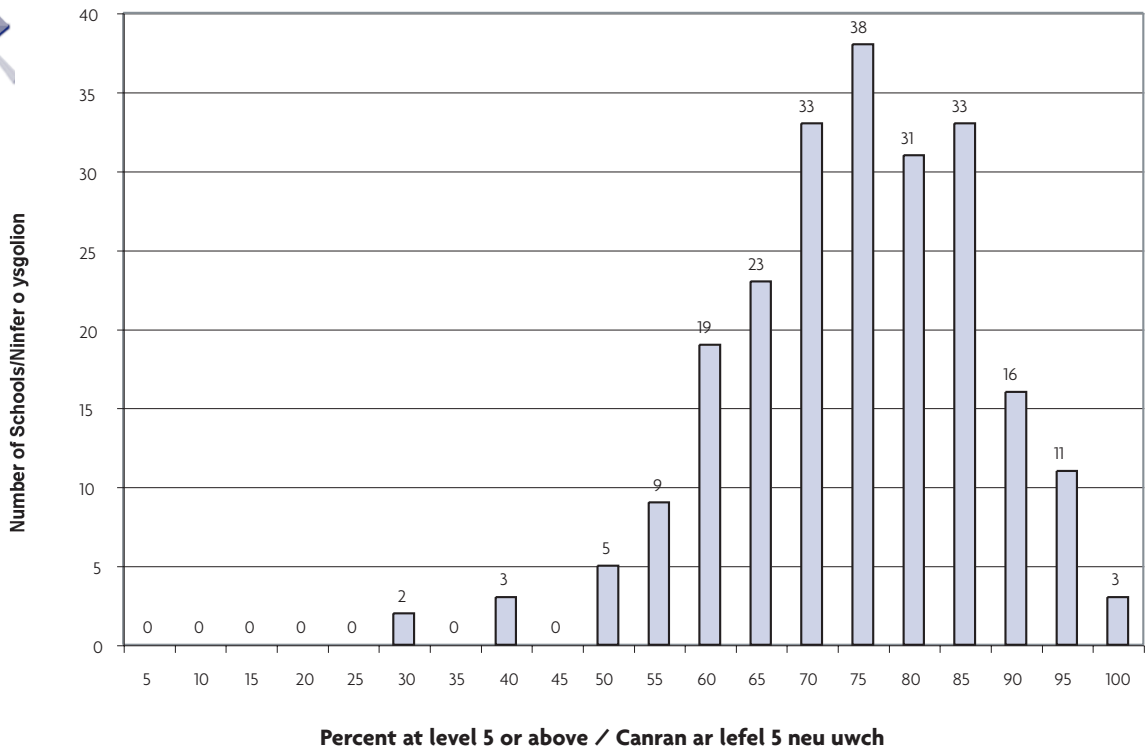
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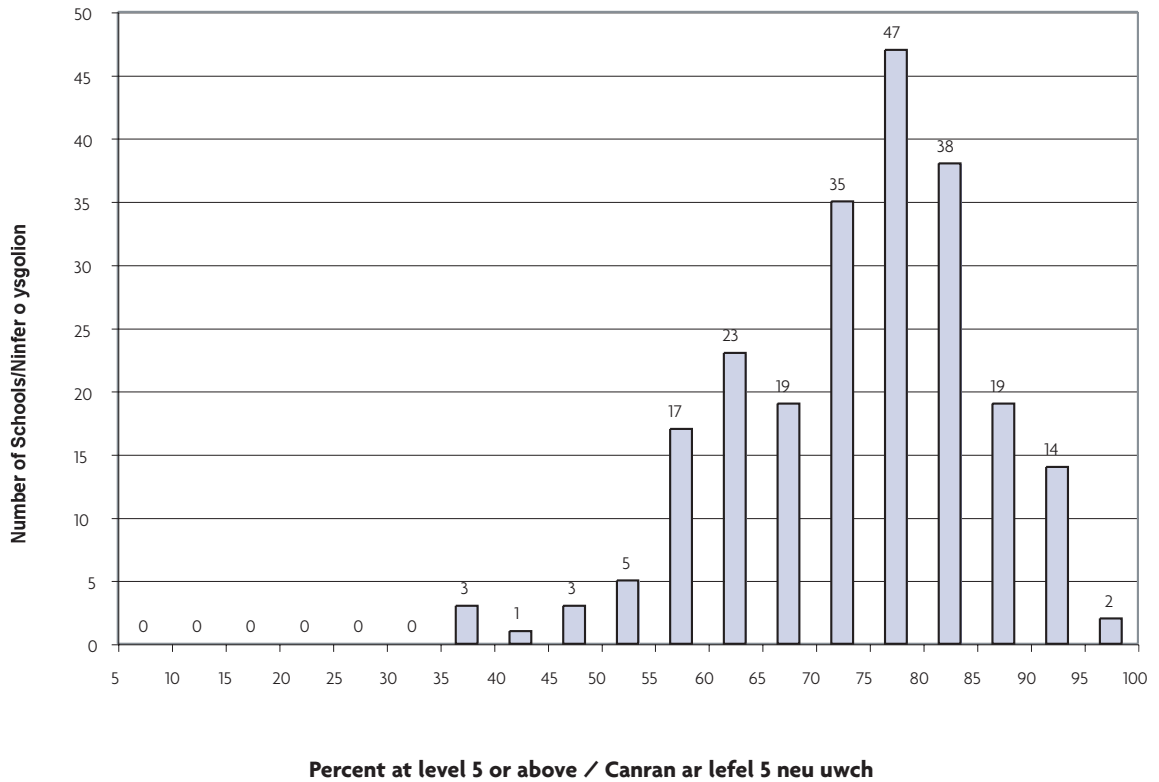
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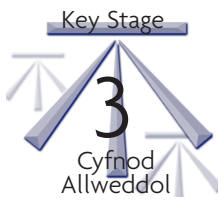
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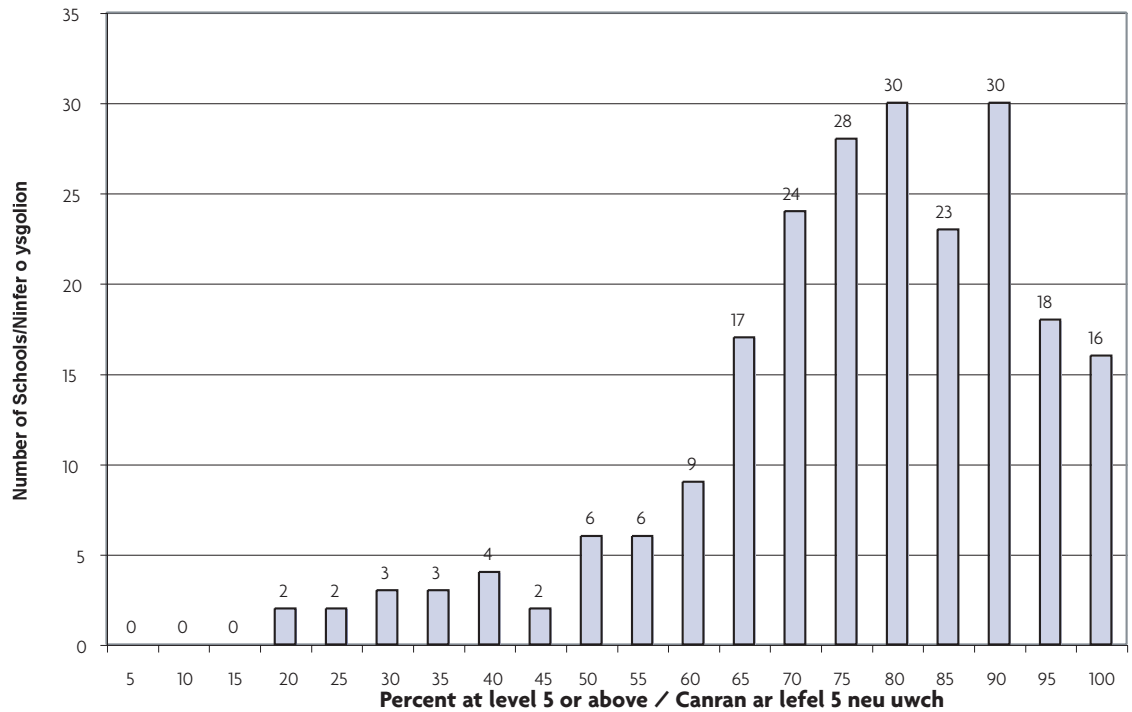
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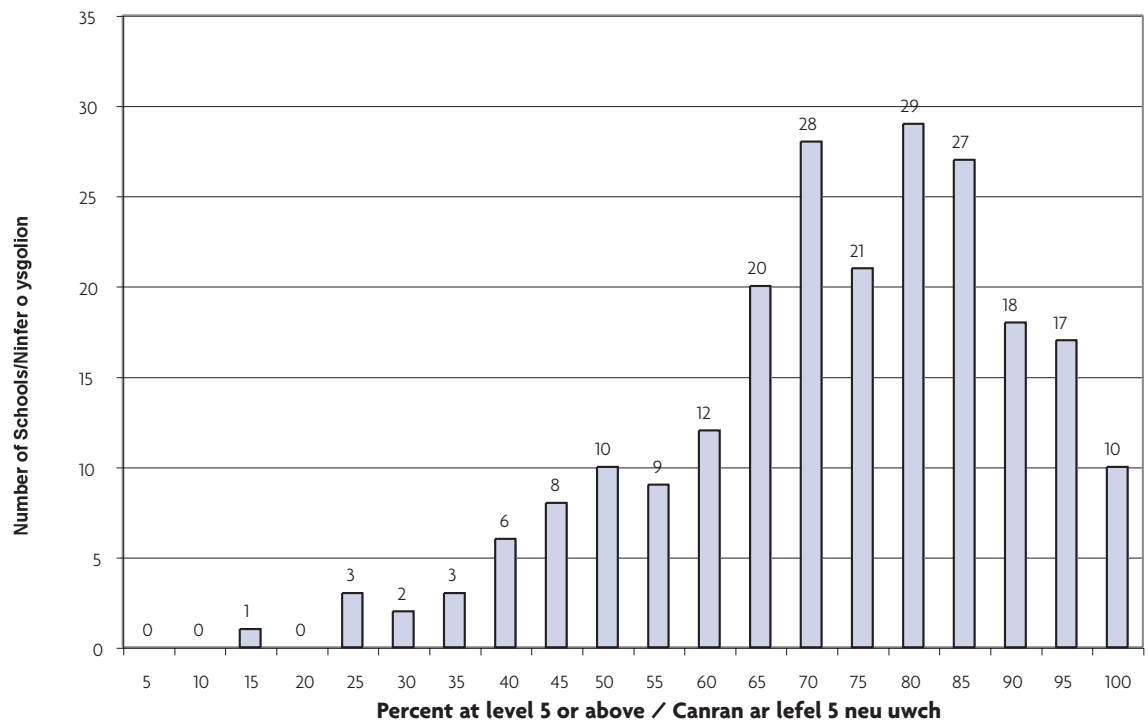


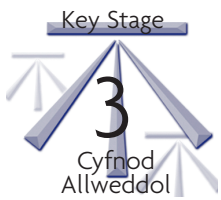
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Art/Celf

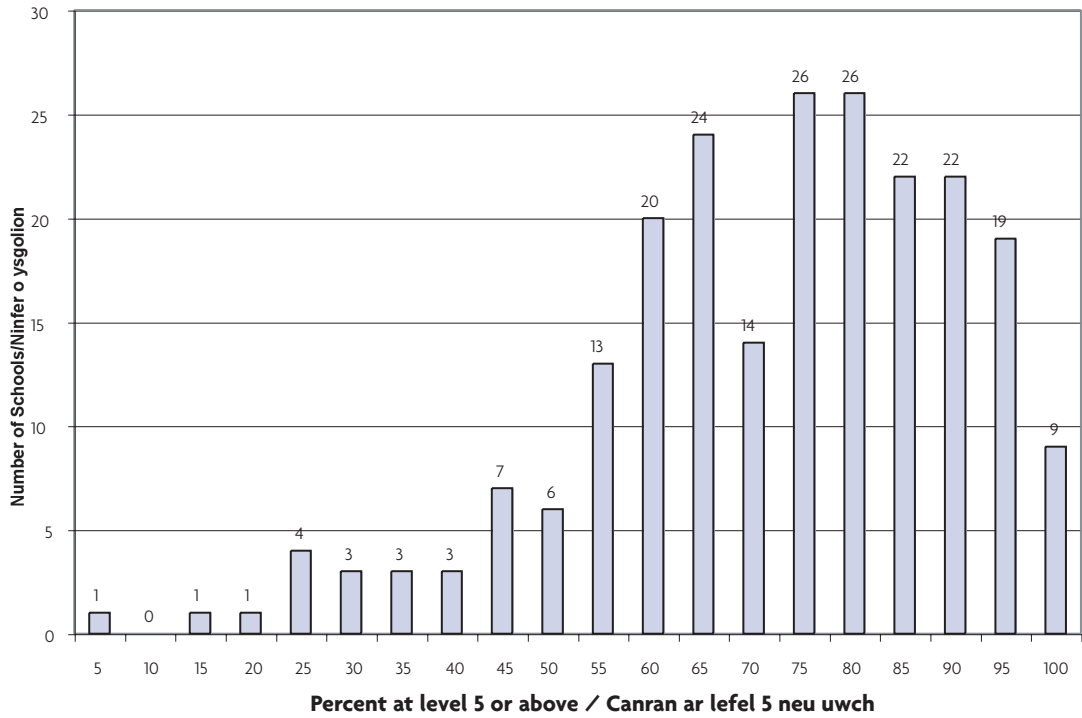


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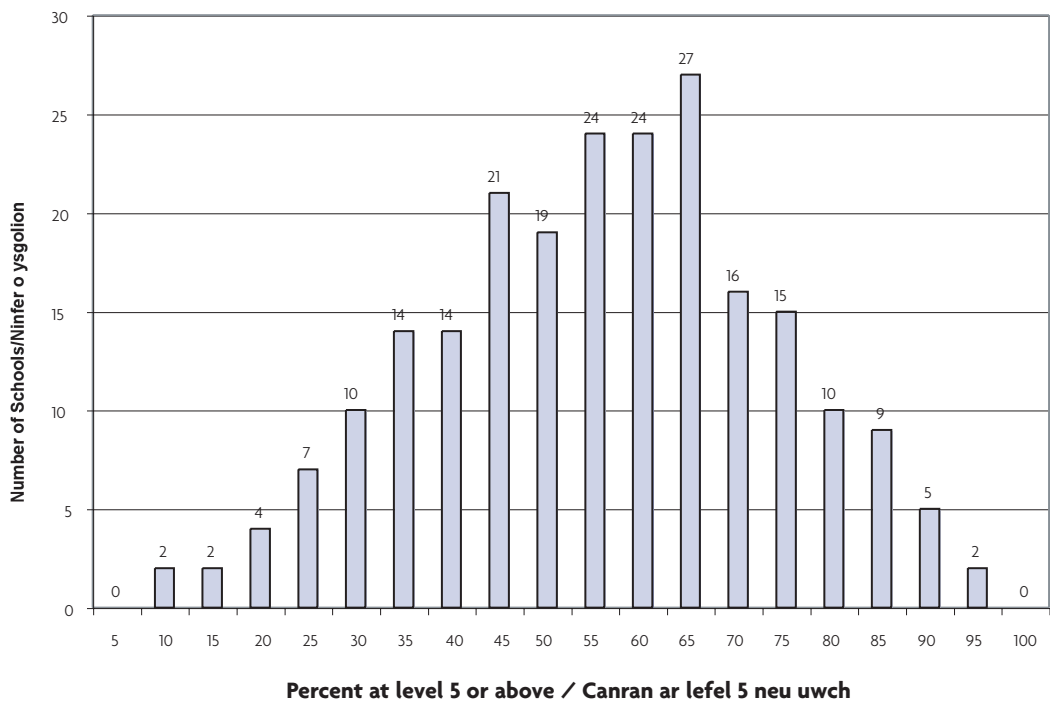


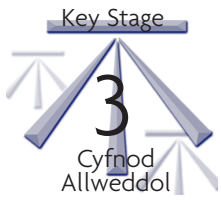


Information Technology/Technolog Gwybodaeth



Modern Foreign Language/leithoedd Tramor Modern





Welsh Second Language/Cymraeg Ail Iaith

