

Destinations of Leavers from Scottish Schools : 1997-1998 to 1999-2000

1. Introduction

1.1 This is a new bulletin providing information about the destinations of leavers from Scottish schools. The information in this publication was previously supplied in a report entitled 'Leaver Destinations from Scottish Secondary Schools' which was issued by the former Audit Unit of Her Majesty's Inspector of Schools. The bulletin contains information on the destinations of school leavers from secondary schools in Scotland, including independent and grant-aided schools. Summary information for education authorities and for Scotland is also shown.

2. Main Points

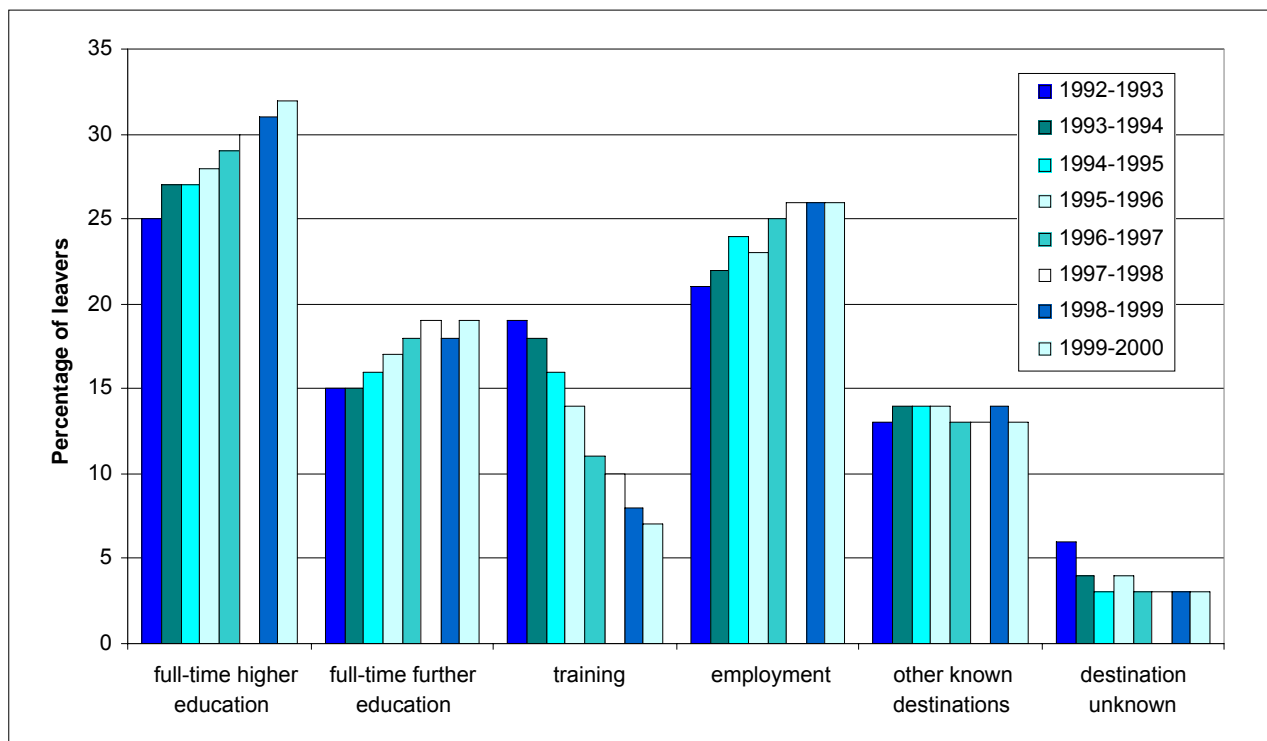
2.1 For the first time, over half (51 per cent) of the young people who left publicly funded schools continued into full-time further or higher education.

2.2 Nine out of ten young people who left independent schools continued in full-time education, the majority of whom entered higher education.

2.3 The percentage of school leavers from publicly funded schools entering employment has remained stable at 26 per cent for the past three years.

Percentage of School Leavers from Publicly Funded Schools ⁽¹⁾ by destination category: 1992-1993 to 1999-2000

Chart 1



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3. National Summary for School Leavers from Publicly Funded and Independent Schools

3.1 There were a total of 58,643 school leavers in 1999-2000 for whom information was available on destination on leaving school. Of these, just under 55,500 were from education authority schools and almost 3,100 were from independent schools. There were also just under 100 leavers from the only grant-aided school in Scotland, Jordanhill.

3.2 The information for independent schools is presented separately here. Unlike publicly funded schools, schools in this sector are independent of central and local government, and there is a distinctly different pattern of leaver destinations for these schools.

3.3 Table 1 below shows the pattern of leaver destinations nationally over the last eight years for publicly funded schools. It shows a continuing rise in the percentage of leavers entering both higher and further education over the period. Between 1992-93

and 1999-2000, the percentage entering higher education increased from 25 per cent to 32 per cent and the percentage entering further education rose from 15 per cent to 19 per cent. Over the same time span, the numbers entering employment increased from 21 per cent to 26 per cent. While the percentage entering training has declined over the period, dropping from 19 per cent to 7 per cent, it should be noted that a large proportion of leavers entering employment may also be participating in training through the Skillseekers programme. See section 3.11 for further information on Skillseekers.

3.4 As shown in Table 2, the vast majority of school leavers from independent schools enter higher education. In 1999-2000, 83 per cent of school leavers from independent schools entered higher education compared with 74 per cent in 1995-96.

Percentage of school leavers from publicly funded schools in Scotland
By destination category: 1992-93 to 1999-2000

Table 1

Year	Number of leavers	full-time higher education	full-time further education	training	employment	other known destinations	destination unknown
1992-1993	55,800	25	15	19	21	13	6
1993-1994	53,694	27	15	18	22	14	4
1994-1995	56,832	27	16	16	24	14	3
1995-1996	57,372	28	17	14	23	14	4
1996-1997	60,381	29	18	11	25	13	3
1997-1998	59,286	30	19	10	26	13	3
1998-1999	57,194	31	18	8	26	14	3
1999-2000	55,569	32	19	7	26	13	3

Percentage of school leavers from independent schools in Scotland
By destination category: 1995-96 to 1999-2000

Table 2

Year	Number of leavers	full-time higher education	full-time further education	training	employment	other known destinations	destination unknown
1995-1996	3,342	74	9	1	2	13	1
1996-1997	3,119	76	8	1	2	10	3
1997-1998	3,300	84	7	1	2	4	2
1998-1999	3,281	83	8	1	3	5	2
1999-2000	3,074	83	6	0	3	4	3

School Leavers from Education Authority Schools: Comparisons between education authorities

3.5 There is variation in the pattern of leaver destinations between authorities. Location, proximity of higher and further education institutions and the local economic situation are all factors which may be influential in determining the destinations of leavers. Charts 2 to 6 show the percentage of leavers in each destination category across education authorities.

3.6 The education authority with the highest percentage of school leavers going on to higher education (Chart 2) was East Renfrewshire (50 per cent) followed by East Dunbartonshire (47 per cent) and South Ayrshire and Aberdeenshire (both 42 per cent); the percentages were lowest in Glasgow City (17 per cent) and Midlothian (24 per cent).

3.7 Angus education authority had the highest proportion of leavers entering further education (Chart 3) at 28 per cent, followed by Scottish Borders (27 per cent) and Dundee and Eilean Siar (both 26 per cent). The authorities with the lowest proportion entering

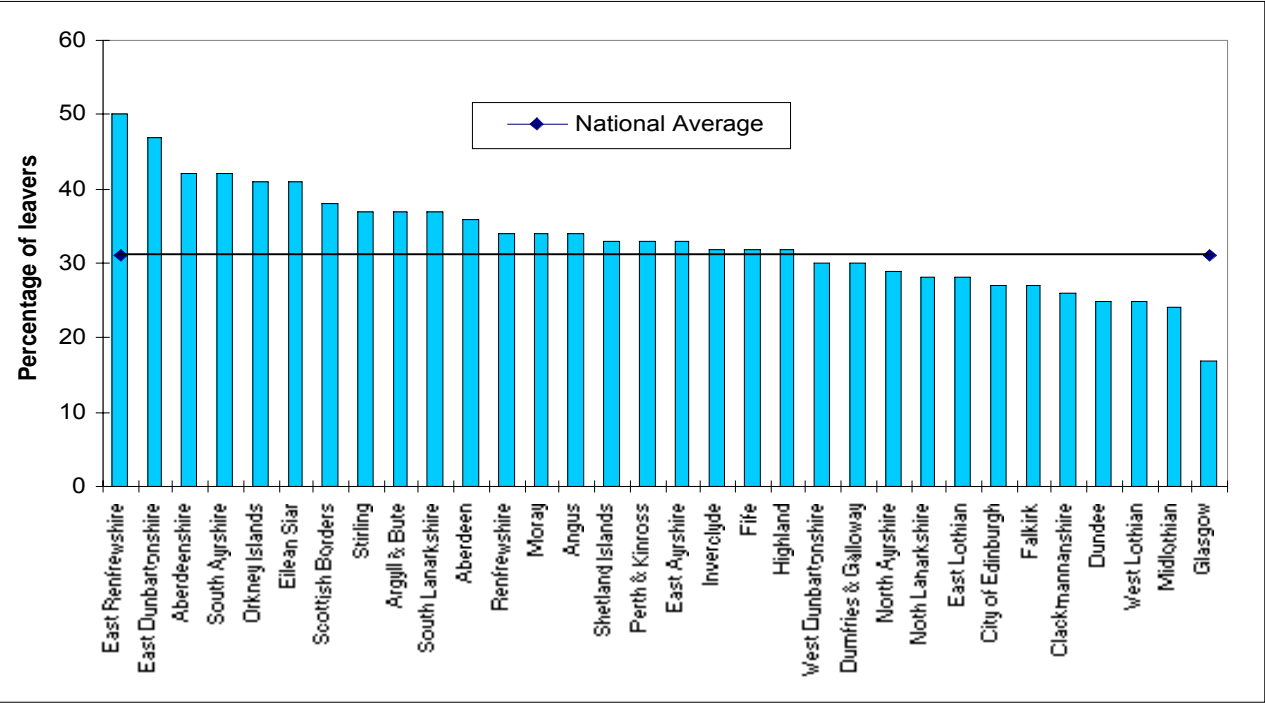
further education were Stirling (12 per cent), Shetland Islands, Falkirk and East Lothian (all 13 per cent).

3.8 The percentage of leavers going on to training (Chart 4) was highest in Clackmannanshire and Falkirk (both 15 per cent) followed by Inverclyde (14 per cent).

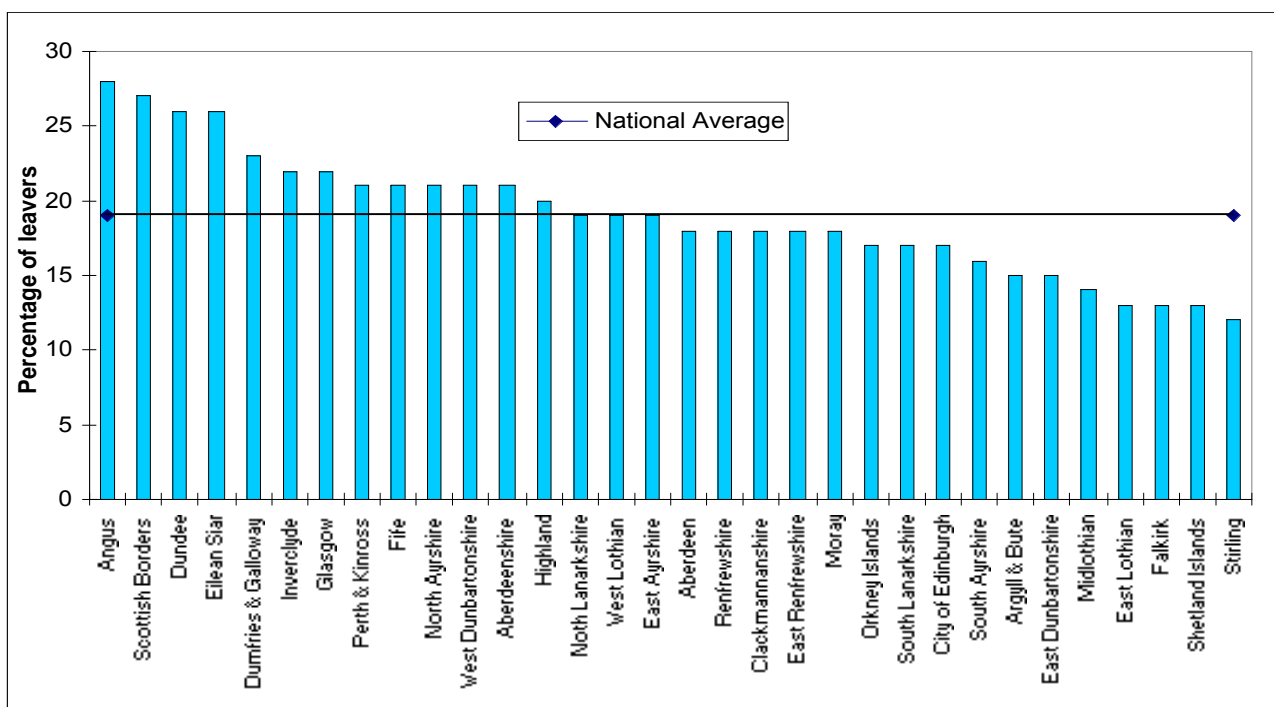
3.9 The education authorities with the highest percentage of leavers entering employment (Chart 5) were Midlothian (44 per cent), followed by Shetland Islands (43 per cent), Edinburgh (39 per cent) and East Lothian (36 per cent). South Ayrshire (15 per cent) and North Ayrshire (16 per cent) had the lowest percentage of leavers entering employment.

3.10 The percentage of leavers going to other known destinations which includes unemployment (Chart 6) varies substantially between authorities ranging from 26 per cent for Glasgow City to 3 per cent for Eilean Siar.

School leavers entering higher education by education authority: 1999-2000 ¹ **Chart 2**

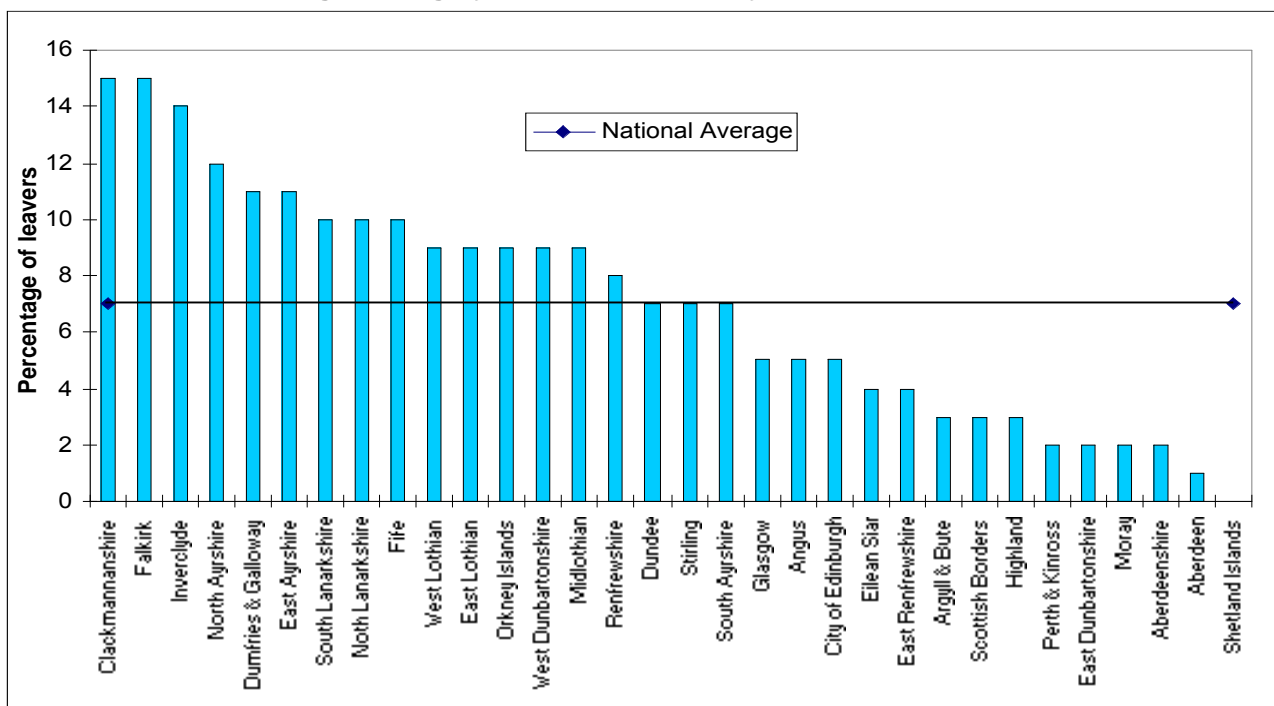


¹ Excludes grant-aided schools



School leavers entering training by education authority: 1999-2000 ¹

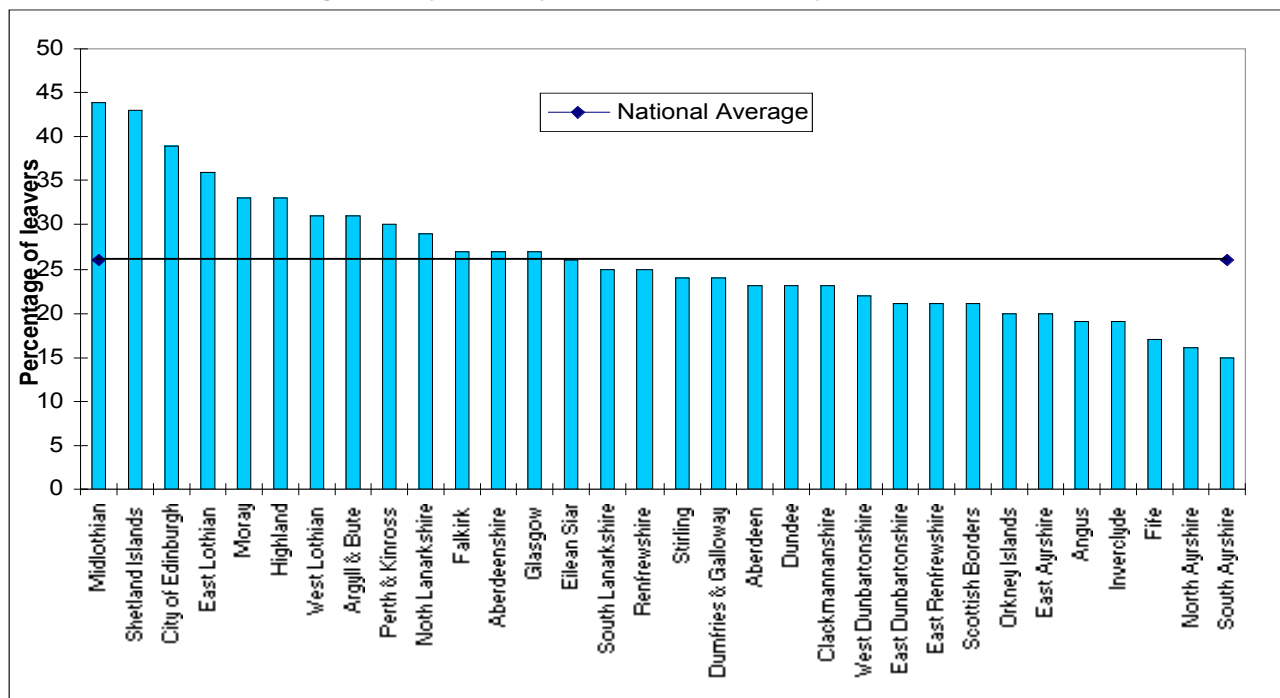
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¹ Excludes grant-aided schools

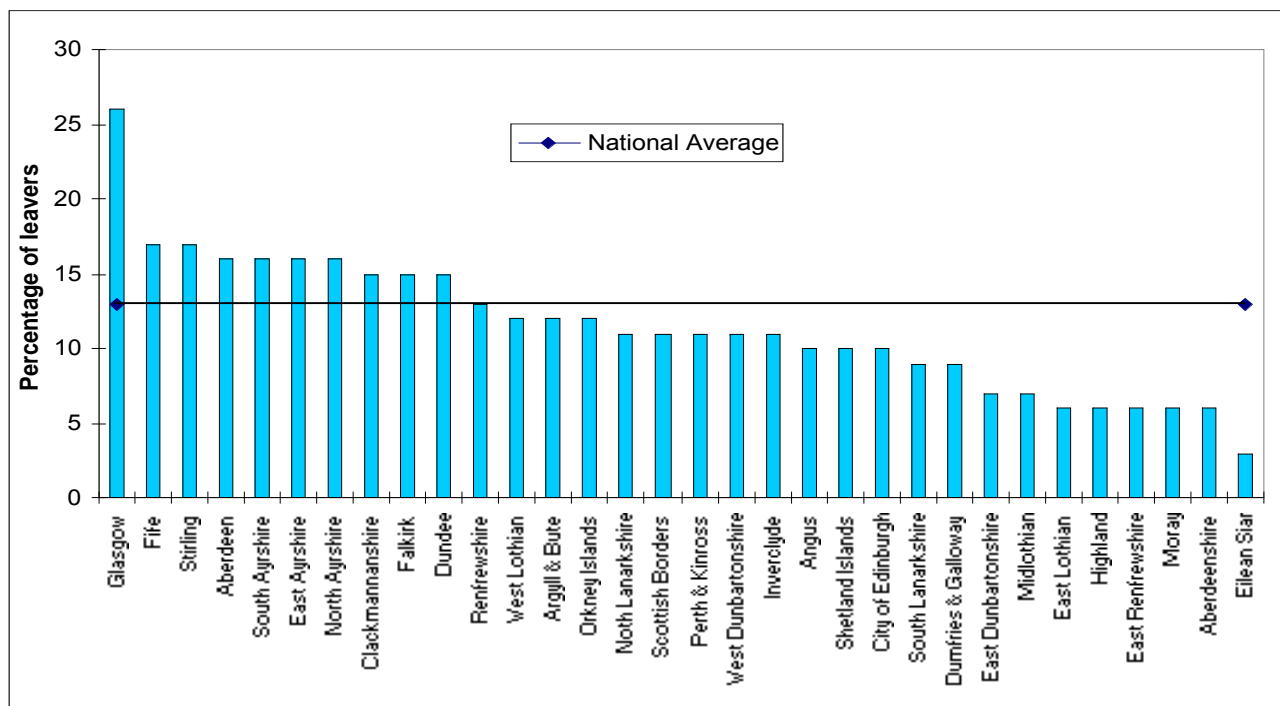
School leavers entering employment by education authority: 1999-2000 ¹

Chart 5



School leavers with other known destinations by education authority: 1999-2000 ¹

Chart 6



¹ Excludes grant-aided schools

Training Programmes: Skillseekers and Modern Apprenticeships

3.11 The information collected for this bulletin on the proportion of school leavers entering training does not take account of leavers going on to employment who also receive training. This section provides available information on the numbers of young people receiving training through the Skillseekers programme; this programme enables many young people to gain employment with employers participating in the scheme.

3.12 Skillseekers was introduced in 1992 and achieved national coverage in 1996. The target group is 16 to 17 year olds (the Youth Guarantee group) and Local Enterprise Companies (LECs) have the discretion to fund training for young people 18 years and over. Skillseekers aims to provide young people with a valid work-based route to skills and qualifications. The key elements of Skillseekers are: the training must lead to a qualification up to SVQ Level III; an individual training plan; payment on achievement; and involvement of the employer.

3.13 In 1996, the Skillseekers programme was extended to include Modern Apprenticeships (MAs). MAs are again mainly

aimed at 16 to 17 year olds. LECs have the discretion to fund 18 to 24 year olds but training must be completed by the 25th birthday. MAs are industry-designed frameworks aimed at training young people for jobs at craft, technician and trainee management level. Training must lead to an SVQ Level III or above and include Core Skills and can include other qualifications relevant to the occupational sector.

3.14 In Scotland, Skillseekers and Modern Apprenticeships have succeeded in attracting a large number of employers to give young people employed status. At October 2000, 76 per cent of Skillseekers received a wage (99 per cent for Modern Apprenticeships).

3.15 The proportion of school leavers entering employment who are also on the Skillseekers programme is not known; however, the following table gives the numbers of young people on Skillseekers training at the end of October for the past three years. In October 2000, there were almost 39,300 Skillseekers which included 16,200 Modern Apprentices.

Young People in Training

Table 3

As at:	Modern Apprenticeships	Other Skillseekers	Total Skillseekers
October 1998	8,110	26,924	35,034
October 1999	13,265	26,250	39,515
October 2000	16,202	23,080	39,282

Source: Scottish Enterprise and Highlands and Islands Enterprise

Education Authority Summary: 1994-95 to 1999-2000

Table 4

Authority		Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																	
			entering full-time higher education							entering full-time further education						entering training				
			99-00	94-95	95-96	96-97	97-98	98-99	99-00	94-95	95-96	96-97	97-98	98-99	99-00	94-95	95-96	96-97	97-98	98-99
Scotland EA Total		55,475	27	28	29	30	31	31	16	17	18	19	18	19	16	14	11	10	8	7
Aberdeen City		1,544	22	26	26	30	35	36	20	19	22	23	20	18	1	2	2	1	2	1
Aberdeenshire		2,418	28	33	36	38	39	42	24	22	22	22	22	21	1	2	2	2	2	2
Angus		1,412	32	33	34	33	35	34	18	21	24	26	28	28	14	7	6	5	5	5
Argyll & Bute		1,017	35	32	34	33	36	37	17	14	15	16	14	15	11	11	8	5	3	3
Clackmannanshire		588	26	22	25	27	25	26	10	11	14	14	16	18	24	22	21	21	17	15
Dumfries & Galloway		1,683	31	33	33	30	31	30	21	20	20	21	21	23	17	12	12	11	10	11
Dundee City		1,642	21	22	22	22	23	25	19	20	19	22	25	26	15	12	10	9	10	7
East Ayrshire		1,366	26	25	24	30	29	33	11	13	12	13	13	19	31	30	25	19	16	11
East Dunbartonshire		1,504	42	45	43	44	39	47	16	16	16	18	19	15	10	8	5	5	3	2
East Lothian		864	24	30	29	26	28	28	12	13	14	12	14	13	16	17	13	13	9	9
East Renfrewshire		1,179	42	45	42	47	49	50	17	15	20	17	17	18	11	9	7	5	4	4
City of Edinburgh		3,448	26	25	27	27	28	27	15	18	17	15	16	17	13	14	10	8	6	5
Eilean Siar		388	38	37	37	39	43	41	23	26	29	30	27	26	17	16	13	7	3	4
Falkirk		1,619	20	27	25	27	31	27	15	12	14	12	11	13	19	15	17	16	14	15
Fife		4,048	29	31	30	30	31	32	15	19	20	22	20	21	19	15	13	10	10	10
Glasgow City		4,913	14	15	17	17	18	17	18	19	21	21	20	22	17	14	11	9	8	5
Highland		2,787	30	30	28	31	36	32	16	19	19	17	17	20	18	11	5	5	3	3
Inverclyde		993	24	26	29	28	27	32	16	17	16	19	19	22	24	22	16	13	18	14
Midlothian		957	25	26	26	22	22	24	13	15	13	15	15	14	17	18	14	13	9	9
Moray		1,009	27	26	29	30	31	34	21	23	22	25	25	18	6	3	2	1	2	2
North Ayrshire		1,659	26	28	27	27	28	29	14	16	17	19	19	21	23	26	21	19	14	12
North Lanarkshire		4,293	23	25	26	28	27	28	15	15	18	16	16	19	21	19	17	13	12	10
Orkney Islands		255	39	37	36	40	40	41	11	17	17	18	18	17	21	20	21	12	11	9
Perth & Kinross		1,384	32	32	35	35	38	33	18	20	19	18	21	21	6	5	3	3	3	2
Renfrewshire		2,012	32	30	31	34	33	34	15	17	21	17	17	18	16	19	12	11	10	8
Scottish Borders		1,233	32	31	33	33	35	38	30	28	26	31	26	27	6	6	5	3	3	3
Shetland Islands		287	32	32	24	33	28	33	9	11	14	11	17	13	27	24	19	10	0	**
South Ayrshire		1,335	38	39	38	33	39	42	13	12	13	15	16	16	19	20	17	15	8	7
South Lanarkshire		3,705	30	31	32	32	35	37	13	13	14	16	15	17	20	17	13	13	10	10
Stirling		1,049	34	33	39	38	38	37	11	12	10	11	13	12	15	13	12	10	8	7
West Dunbartonshire		1,120	21	23	26	25	26	30	16	22	22	20	20	21	18	16	17	15	9	9
West Lothian		1,764	18	21	24	26	24	25	15	18	18	16	17	19	15	14	10	9	10	9

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Education Authority Summary: 1994-95 to 1999-2000

Table 4(continued)

Percentage of School Leavers																		
entering employment						who have other known destinations						whose destinations are unknown						Authority
94-95	95-96	96-97	97-98	98-99	99-00	94-95	95-96	96-97	97-98	98-99	99-00	94-95	95-96	96-97	97-98	98-99	99-00	
24	23	25	26	26	26	14	14	13	13	14	13	3	4	3	3	3	3	Scotland EA Total
33	31	35	31	28	23	19	16	12	12	14	16	5	6	3	3	2	6	Aberdeen City
34	32	31	32	27	27	10	8	9	5	8	6	3	4	1	1	2	2	Aberdeenshire
20	21	20	21	20	19	13	13	12	12	11	10	4	4	4	3	2	3	Angus
27	29	29	31	32	31	9	12	13	10	13	12	2	1	1	4	1	2	Argyll & Bute
16	23	22	20	24	23	19	19	16	18	17	15	4	2	1	1	0	4	Clackmannanshire
17	19	20	21	22	24	11	13	11	12	11	9	2	4	4	4	5	3	Dumfries & Galloway
19	22	20	22	20	23	21	20	24	23	20	15	4	4	4	2	3	4	Dundee City
19	17	19	18	21	20	11	13	15	16	17	16	2	2	3	2	3	2	East Ayrshire
16	18	23	20	23	21	9	8	9	7	12	7	7	6	4	7	4	8	East Dunbartonshire
40	31	34	37	36	36	7	6	8	7	9	6	1	3	2	6	4	7	East Lothian
19	18	20	22	21	21	10	11	10	8	7	6	2	2	1	1	2	1	East Renfrewshire
29	29	32	37	36	39	12	10	10	9	10	10	5	5	3	3	3	3	City of Edinburgh
16	13	15	20	22	26	4	6	5	4	5	3	2	2	1	1	0	0	Eilean Siar
25	21	23	26	26	27	17	24	20	19	16	15	6	1	1	0	2	3	Falkirk
18	17	19	18	18	17	17	14	15	16	18	17	2	3	3	3	3	3	Fife
23	23	24	25	25	27	26	27	24	26	27	26	3	3	4	3	2	3	Glasgow City
23	27	35	35	34	33	7	7	7	6	6	6	6	8	5	5	5	7	Highland
26	21	27	25	17	19	8	12	10	13	16	11	2	1	3	2	3	2	Inverclyde
35	33	37	38	42	44	6	7	5	8	8	7	3	3	4	4	4	3	Midlothian
28	30	34	32	29	33	13	13	9	8	8	6	5	5	5	4	5	8	Moray
20	16	16	17	20	16	12	9	12	12	14	16	5	5	8	6	6	6	North Ayrshire
24	24	25	28	30	29	14	14	12	12	13	11	3	2	1	1	1	2	North Lanarkshire
14	16	15	20	20	20	8	8	10	9	11	12	5	2	1	0	1	1	Orkney Islands
29	30	29	31	25	30	11	10	11	9	9	11	4	3	3	3	4	3	Perth & Kinross
22	19	20	22	23	25	12	13	14	14	15	13	2	3	3	2	2	3	Renfrewshire
18	20	22	20	21	21	13	13	12	12	13	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	Scottish Borders
24	26	37	38	45	43	8	5	6	8	10	10	0	1	1	0	0	**	Shetland Islands
15	11	12	16	18	15	13	14	16	18	17	16	2	3	4	3	2	4	South Ayrshire
24	22	26	26	26	25	11	13	12	12	12	9	2	4	2	1	1	2	South Lanarkshire
18	15	19	23	24	24	16	24	18	16	15	17	6	2	2	1	1	4	Stirling
22	19	22	22	22	22	16	16	10	11	18	11	7	4	3	8	4	8	West Dunbartonshire
32	30	34	35	31	31	16	13	12	12	14	12	4	4	3	2	3	3	West Lothian

Aberdeen City

Table 5

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																	
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown		
	99/00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3
Aberdeen City	1,544	30	35	36	23	20	18	1	2	1	31	28	23	12	14	16	3	2	6
Aberdeen Grammar School	165	54	57	65	23	17	11	**	0	**	15	11	10	5	12	5	**	3	*
Bankhead Academy	95	27	30	47	23	24	16	0	**	**	43	34	21	6	9	9	1	**	*
Bridge Of Don Academy	88	30	41	27	21	20	17	0	**	**	35	26	25	12	11	22	2	**	*
Cults Academy	111	58	66	73	20	15	9	0	0	**	14	12	8	6	7	5	3	0	*
Dyce Academy	85	38	33	46	16	23	19	**	**	0	28	30	21	10	13	13	**	**	1
Harlaw Academy	129	25	41	46	29	20	12	**	**	0	23	26	16	12	8	12	**	**	14
Hazlehead Academy	124	27	37	28	32	16	21	**	**	**	29	29	31	10	15	18	**	**	*
Kincorth Academy	141	15	16	19	17	24	22	**	**	**	49	42	30	15	13	23	**	**	*
Linksfield Academy	76	**	8	11	35	22	38	0	6	**	43	32	24	15	25	21	**	7	*
Northfield Academy	141	7	11	7	16	23	21	**	3	**	41	40	39	26	18	28	**	5	*
Oldmachar Academy	139	45	50	49	23	17	18	0	**	**	25	27	22	5	5	10	3	**	*
St Machar Academy	167	19	17	23	28	26	19	**	**	**	28	29	22	23	24	20	**	**	*
Torry Academy	83	13	12	14	10	15	19	**	**	**	56	45	36	14	26	23	**	**	*

Aberdeenshire

Table 6

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																	
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown		
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3
Aberdeenshire	2,418	38	39	42	22	22	21	2	2	2	32	27	27	5	8	6	1	2	2
Aboyne Academy	110	35	38	47	22	20	14	**	0	0	34	27	30	6	15	8	**	0	1
Alford Academy	65	43	36	40	17	20	15	0	**	0	38	33	28	**	9	12	**	**	5
Banchory Academy	162	54	60	66	19	14	14	**	0	**	24	15	14	**	11	**	0	0	4
Banff Academy	189	28	29	39	27	23	19	**	**	**	34	36	32	8	8	4	**	**	*
Ellon Academy	243	42	47	47	21	24	21	2	**	**	29	19	18	6	9	12	1	**	*
Fraserburgh Academy	172	29	24	16	30	28	27	3	4	4	36	36	44	**	4	5	**	5	4
Gordon Schools, The	130	35	43	42	23	16	17	**	**	**	28	23	26	9	14	7	**	**	*
Inverurie Academy	182	42	41	40	21	18	18	**	**	**	30	31	31	5	7	5	**	**	*
Kemnay Academy	89	39	43	43	16	22	25	**	0	**	34	28	21	7	8	7	**	1	*
Mackie Academy	177	48	43	57	27	28	16	**	**	0	19	18	19	4	8	7	**	**	1
Mearns Academy	89	33	36	40	24	29	18	0	**	**	34	21	24	8	9	15	1	**	*
Mintlaw Academy	125	38	31	30	16	19	27	**	**	**	37	35	31	4	10	6	**	**	*
Peterhead Academy	272	30	28	30	20	26	28	4	3	5	37	39	33	6	4	3	3	0	2
Portlethen Academy	119	38	39	44	26	23	29	**	4	0	29	23	20	6	11	5	**	0	2
Turriff Academy	123	33	35	35	18	17	20	**	**	0	44	36	42	4	9	0	**	**	3

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Angus

Table 7

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Angus	1,412	33	35	34	26	28	28	5	5	5	21	20	19	12	11	10	3	2	3	
Arbroath Academy	140	16	23	11	21	26	29	10	10	8	29	18	28	21	17	17	3	6	6	
Arbroath High School	256	28	35	27	29	27	32	3	3	7	23	22	21	12	12	9	5	2	5	
Brechin High School	116	30	21	36	23	33	32	8	**	5	19	21	16	12	19	8	7	**	3	
Carnoustie High School	193	43	45	46	20	20	21	5	7	4	17	17	16	13	11	10	2	0	5	
Forfar Academy	218	28	31	34	27	29	33	8	7	6	23	22	17	12	9	10	2	3	2	
Monifieth High School	182	48	53	45	26	24	24	**	**	3	16	16	17	7	5	10	**	**	2	
Montrose Academy	175	23	29	31	43	34	33	3	4	3	21	21	21	9	12	10	1	1	2	
Webster's High School	132	55	39	45	14	28	19	3	5	5	20	21	20	8	6	9	0	1	2	

Argyll & Bute

Table 8

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Argyll & Bute	1,017	33	36	37	16	14	15	5	3	3	31	32	31	10	13	12	4	1	2	
Campbeltown Grammar School	101	30	39	41	**	12	10	**	5	7	56	34	26	7	10	17	0	0	0	
Dunoon Grammar School	159	30	38	36	22	21	18	4	**	**	28	23	35	16	16	11	0	**	**	
Hermitage Academy	268	33	35	38	16	16	21	7	7	5	18	23	19	10	18	10	17	2	7	
Islay High School	42	20	31	38	30	**	17	**	0	0	43	45	31	**	14	14	0	**	0	
Lochgilphead High School	98	37	34	43	12	**	7	**	**	0	37	51	41	10	7	9	**	1	0	
Oban High School	188	39	30	35	14	14	6	3	**	3	36	44	41	7	11	15	0	**	0	
Rothsay Academy	96	37	43	30	14	12	22	12	**	**	21	23	28	16	19	19	0	**	**	
Tarbert Academy	20	38	52	**	0	0	**	**	0	**	29	41	45	**	**	25	5	**	0	
Tiree High School	15	**	**	33	**	0	**	0	0	0	58	67	60	**	0	0	0	**	**	
Tobermory High School	30	24	50	47	24	**	20	0	0	0	46	35	33	**	0	0	**	**	0	

Clackmannanshire

Table 9

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Clackmannanshire	588	27	25	26	14	16	18	21	17	15	20	24	23	18	17	15	1	0	4	
Alloa Academy	144	20	17	14	13	10	17	25	26	21	27	27	24	15	20	19	0	0	5	
Alva Academy	262	39	41	39	12	13	16	15	14	11	16	18	18	17	15	13	1	0	3	
Lornhill Academy	182	20	16	16	16	23	20	23	14	16	18	29	28	22	16	15	2	0	4	

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Dumfries & Galloway

Table 10

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																	
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown		
	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3
Dumfries & Galloway	1,683	30	31	30	21	21	23	11	10	11	21	22	24	12	11	9	4	5	3
Annan Academy	182	24	17	18	14	34	30	10	4	13	34	32	31	6	6	8	11	6	1
Castle Douglas High School	118	50	53	42	23	16	23	7	15	14	13	9	17	7	6	**	1	1	**
Dalbeattie High School	63	36	30	38	12	24	25	25	6	10	14	14	24	10	16	**	3	10	**
Dalry Secondary School (S1-S4)	4	0	0	0	**	**	**	0	**	0	**	**	0	**	**	**	0	17	0
Douglas Ewart High School	125	33	28	31	16	27	26	10	7	7	23	20	18	13	15	16	6	3	1
Dumfries Academy	171	35	47	36	19	18	18	14	9	17	21	21	22	8	5	8	3	1	1
Dumfries High School	240	32	38	28	22	20	18	5	13	10	22	13	23	14	10	8	5	5	14
Kirkcudbright Academy ◇	120	40	38	33	12	16	15	11	10	11	21	18	30	12	7	7	5	11	4
Langholm Academy	34	29	24	26	35	19	18	**	0	**	21	34	38	10	22	15	**	0	**
Lockerbie Academy	121	24	24	26	26	25	22	4	8	12	21	28	26	20	14	12	4	1	2
Maxwelltown High School	80	10	12	9	27	24	38	27	19	23	22	32	20	16	12	11	0	0	0
Moffat Academy	34	27	45	56	43	23	32	0	**	0	18	18	**	11	**	**	0	0	0
Sanquhar Academy	49	17	18	14	8	19	14	16	14	**	23	18	33	31	**	33	5	**	**
St Joseph's College	97	36	45	33	28	14	26	9	**	**	12	14	31	9	15	**	5	**	2
Stranraer Academy	175	21	30	29	22	9	22	25	19	17	21	25	21	10	15	9	2	2	3
Wallace Hall Academy	70	49	37	41	24	17	24	**	**	**	9	16	17	9	**	11	**	19	**

Dundee City

Table 11

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Dundee City	1,642	22	23	25	22	25	26	9	10	7	22	20	23	23	20	15	2	3	4	
Baldrigon Academy	123	11	10	14	16	20	24	16	19	13	17	19	28	37	26	18	2	6	3	
Braeview Academy	185	16	10	13	17	28	35	11	13	6	27	20	25	28	27	21	0	4	1	
Craigie High School	141	22	16	18	25	22	13	13	11	13	16	22	26	22	26	26	2	4	2	
Grove Academy	147	37	45	36	24	33	42	**	3	**	18	7	14	16	8	5	**	4	**	
Harris Academy	228	33	36	39	21	24	21	6	2	3	16	16	16	19	19	8	5	3	14	
Lawside Academy	179	9	15	18	25	21	30	15	13	13	25	29	23	25	17	13	1	4	4	
Menzieshill High School	163	17	14	26	28	25	23	9	19	9	25	20	28	19	20	13	2	2	1	
Morgan Academy	209	21	28	26	29	25	29	6	6	5	21	22	22	24	17	16	0	2	3	
St John's High School	144	32	34	37	16	19	11	4	10	8	31	22	28	16	14	13	1	1	3	
St Saviour's RC High School	123	8	11	15	21	26	36	12	9	5	23	26	25	33	28	19	2	0	1	

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Note B: Schools marked with (◇) receive pupils after S4 to continue their education in S5 and S6.

East Ayrshire

Table 12

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
East Ayrshire	1,366	30	29	33	13	13	19	19	16	11	18	21	20	16	17	16	2	3	2	
Auchinleck Academy	150	13	18	19	13	13	22	29	25	20	23	17	18	18	18	15	4	9	6	
Cumnock Academy	168	24	23	21	15	9	23	25	27	19	14	16	16	16	19	14	6	6	7	
Doon Academy	86	9	10	20	10	12	17	53	33	20	10	22	27	17	23	16	0	0	0	
Grange Academy	177	45	36	34	12	11	15	7	13	9	17	19	21	18	19	19	2	2	2	
James Hamilton Academy	164	15	31	29	9	17	17	31	13	8	22	25	24	22	12	22	1	2	1	
Kilmarnock Academy	149	30	27	37	17	16	19	15	13	9	17	22	16	19	20	17	2	2	1	
Loudoun Academy	190	44	27	34	13	14	17	10	16	5	23	25	27	10	17	16	1	0	1	
St Joseph's Academy	141	##	38	40	##	11	13	##	8	10	##	24	21	##	17	12	##	1	3	
Stewarton Academy	141	47	44	56	18	12	23	9	9	**	14	22	9	12	13	11	0	1	**	

East Dunbartonshire

Table 13

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
East Dunbartonshire	1,504	44	39	47	18	19	15	5	3	2	20	23	21	7	12	7	7	4	8	
Bearsden Academy	186	45	51	53	16	18	13	3	2	**	22	15	17	4	8	8	10	5	**	
Bishopbriggs High School	163	38	41	33	22	23	16	5	**	**	22	21	31	8	11	10	5	**	**	
Bocclair Academy	194	51	41	53	18	18	14	**	**	**	16	23	15	10	15	10	**	**	**	
Douglas Academy	132	49	44	60	19	18	15	7	5	**	13	18	8	5	10	5	7	6	**	
Kirkintilloch High School	159	23	30	27	18	15	18	11	7	5	29	30	35	12	15	9	7	3	6	
Lenzie Academy	244	56	46	61	10	15	12	4	3	2	19	24	15	5	11	4	7	2	6	
St Ninian's High School	98	37	23	46	18	10	10	7	9	**	23	39	27	9	15	6	6	3	**	
Thomas Muir High School	134	33	23	34	25	25	22	5	**	**	21	29	22	6	18	10	10	**	**	
Turnbull High School	194	46	37	47	18	27	13	5	4	**	18	20	23	5	6	6	7	6	**	

East Lothian

Table 14

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
East Lothian	864	26	28	28	12	14	13	13	9	9	37	36	36	7	9	6	6	4	7	
Dunbar Grammar School	91	25	28	30	11	13	13	19	11	13	32	32	25	8	9	10	5	6	9	
Knox Academy	114	34	38	44	14	16	13	10	5	4	36	28	29	4	10	5	3	3	4	
Musselburgh Grammar School	220	17	22	15	8	13	10	15	9	13	42	36	48	11	12	4	7	8	10	
North Berwick High School	126	49	54	49	12	15	14	7	4	**	31	24	25	**	**	4	**	**	**	
Preston Lodge High School	175	20	20	25	14	13	15	10	10	10	40	46	34	6	8	9	10	3	7	
Ross High School	138	17	11	19	10	15	16	15	12	9	38	48	46	11	10	8	8	4	2	

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

East Renfrewshire

Table 15

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
East Renfrewshire	1,179	47	49	50	17	17	18	5	4	4	22	21	21	8	7	6	1	2	1	
Barrhead High School	104	25	19	37	18	25	22	13	9	9	30	25	25	13	19	7	1	2	1	
Eastwood High School	166	49	50	52	20	20	23	6	4	6	15	18	14	9	6	4	2	2	0	
Mearns Castle High School	203	58	71	57	15	11	15	**	0	**	21	16	18	4	**	5	**	**	**	
St Luke's High School	97	37	31	30	14	13	20	8	7	8	26	40	32	14	9	10	2	1	0	
St Ninian's High School	247	46	60	53	14	10	13	6	4	**	24	18	25	8	6	6	1	2	**	
Williamwood High School	224	58	68	68	17	10	13	**	**	**	17	16	14	6	3	4	**	**	**	
Woodfarm High School	138	39	34	29	18	27	25	3	5	9	25	21	25	13	9	12	2	5	1	

City of Edinburgh

Table 16

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
City of Edinburgh	3,448	27	28	27	15	16	17	8	6	5	37	36	39	9	10	10	3	3	3	
Balerno Community High Sch.	148	47	44	45	15	18	14	7	5	3	29	28	34	**	5	3	**	1	1	
Boroughmuir High School	168	45	53	63	16	18	13	6	5	**	26	21	18	5	**	4	1	**	**	
Broughton High School	181	21	15	19	17	18	14	7	4	7	39	42	39	8	15	14	8	6	6	
Castlebrae High School	64	**	**	**	**	**	16	15	16	20	47	53	34	23	18	19	3	6	**	
Craigmount High School	277	36	36	30	14	13	21	10	8	3	29	37	39	11	4	6	0	1	1	
Craigroyston Comm High Sch.	82	**	**	**	10	14	17	12	12	9	48	45	35	23	23	35	**	**	**	
Currie High School	177	42	43	38	12	15	14	6	4	**	37	33	41	0	3	6	2	2	**	
Drummond Comm High School	68	18	18	12	26	21	22	11	7	**	26	31	29	16	21	22	4	1	**	
Firrhill High School	150	33	27	33	20	25	17	5	**	4	39	41	37	**	4	7	**	**	1	
Forrester High School	170	10	15	14	18	17	18	11	8	4	54	46	53	6	10	6	1	3	5	
Gracemount High School	100	11	11	12	9	16	14	14	19	8	49	40	52	9	9	7	9	4	7	
Holy Rood High School	175	11	18	14	21	18	20	11	9	6	40	31	39	12	18	18	4	8	3	
James Gillespie's High School	178	43	46	48	20	17	15	**	**	**	21	23	17	7	6	11	**	**	**	
Leith Academy	187	12	16	18	14	19	20	14	6	5	41	37	43	12	16	9	6	6	5	
Liberton High School	121	13	8	8	9	8	14	9	16	15	45	53	49	16	11	10	8	3	4	
Portobello High School	267	32	26	26	7	14	15	8	6	3	38	38	40	9	13	11	6	4	4	
Queensferry High School	113	29	32	32	24	15	23	8	6	4	34	39	35	5	4	**	0	4	**	
Royal High School	180	36	42	37	21	13	18	4	5	6	30	31	33	7	5	**	2	3	**	
St Augustine's High School	125	29	28	23	13	26	18	9	5	5	43	35	47	5	**	6	0	**	2	
St Thomas Of Aquin's H.S.	102	30	35	37	16	12	15	8	**	**	38	40	42	5	7	**	2	**	1	
Trinity Academy	163	27	30	20	13	16	15	6	4	5	33	34	47	15	12	9	6	4	4	
Tynecastle High School	141	23	22	30	13	17	13	10	7	4	44	43	38	8	8	14	2	3	0	
Wester Hailes Education Centre	111	5	**	**	10	13	18	19	10	7	42	39	47	22	30	23	2	**	**	

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Eilean Siar

Table 17

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Eilean Siar	388	39	43	41	30	27	26	7	3	4	20	22	26	4	5	3	1	0	0	
Back School (S1-S2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Bayble School (S1-S2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Castlebay Community School	22	38	47	36	31	**	23	**	0	0	**	**	41	0	**	0	0	0	0	
Daliburgh School (S1-S2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Eriskay Secondary Sch. (S1-S2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Leurbost School (S1-S2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Lews Castle School (S3-S5)	58	0	**	0	41	50	40	14	**	16	39	33	41	**	**	**	**	0	**	
Lionel Secondary School (S1-S2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nicolson Institute, The	194	44	52	54	33	23	25	5	3	**	14	18	16	4	3	3	0	0	**	
Paible Secondary School (S1-S2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sgoil Lionacleit School	86	43	44	37	18	25	24	6	0	**	24	22	30	6	9	**	2	0	0	
Shawbost School (S1-S2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sir E Scott School	28	50	42	46	17	19	18	**	**	**	20	26	32	0	**	0	**	0	**	

Falkirk

Table 18

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																	
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown		
	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3
Falkirk	1,619	27	31	27	12	11	13	16	14	15	26	26	27	19	16	15	0	2	3
Bo'ness Academy	149	25	21	24	12	10	13	16	16	9	28	39	41	18	13	11	1	2	1
Denny High School	227	29	31	29	8	7	11	13	14	19	32	24	22	18	23	15	0	0	4
Falkirk High School	249	27	33	26	11	12	10	19	12	17	19	22	24	25	15	19	0	6	4
Graeme High School	285	31	36	27	13	11	15	12	13	15	28	25	25	15	13	15	0	2	2
Grangemouth High School	168	15	19	15	12	22	18	27	17	23	28	25	34	17	18	9	1	0	1
Larbert High School	248	31	35	31	14	10	10	13	14	13	23	25	29	19	16	14	0	1	3
St Mungo's High School	183	34	39	33	17	10	11	9	9	9	24	24	25	15	16	19	1	2	3
Woodlands High School	110	15	20	25	14	9	18	21	16	7	29	34	27	19	17	20	2	4	2

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Fife

Table 19

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Fife	4,048	30	31	32	22	20	21	10	10	10	18	18	17	16	18	17	3	3	3	
Auchmuty High School	254	24	26	25	31	27	35	13	10	14	17	17	9	15	19	16	0	1	0	
Balwearie High School	237	42	44	46	20	17	22	10	11	7	18	16	13	9	9	12	2	3	0	
Beath High School	191	19	20	12	14	14	11	18	20	18	27	24	28	19	19	28	2	3	3	
Bell Baxter High School	305	39	41	39	26	25	24	7	5	5	17	12	14	9	10	12	2	6	5	
Buckhaven High School	233	29	23	24	18	25	21	11	8	8	13	13	23	23	29	21	6	3	2	
Dunfermline High School	276	23	29	38	23	19	22	11	12	8	20	21	16	19	16	12	4	4	4	
Glenrothes High School	181	21	27	29	31	22	23	9	9	12	16	16	12	19	24	20	2	1	3	
Glenwood High School	219	28	27	18	31	22	25	9	12	11	14	18	20	17	19	22	0	1	3	
Inverkeithing High School	256	30	30	38	24	22	15	12	10	7	16	19	20	13	16	19	5	3	1	
Kirkcaldy High School	238	30	27	29	22	19	22	10	9	10	23	20	26	14	23	13	2	3	0	
Kirkland High School	177	14	16	23	30	22	16	12	15	11	12	13	21	26	32	24	6	1	5	
Lochgelly High School	181	16	15	14	15	22	15	17	15	16	23	24	27	26	20	25	2	4	3	
Madras College	315	49	56	51	24	17	23	4	4	2	12	10	11	8	12	8	4	2	5	
Queen Anne High School	362	35	37	35	18	14	21	10	8	11	20	23	14	14	14	14	3	5	4	
St Andrew's High School	138	30	33	41	27	13	9	6	14	12	16	18	14	20	22	21	1	0	2	
St Columba's High School	130	31	31	30	12	17	17	6	12	15	25	27	15	23	11	19	3	3	4	
Viewforth High School	59	19	22	25	14	22	20	16	15	19	22	21	14	24	15	19	5	6	3	
Waid Academy	122	40	35	30	20	29	29	**	**	**	19	15	21	12	13	15	**	**	**	
Woodmill High School	174	28	35	32	16	14	18	12	11	14	18	14	13	20	24	20	6	3	4	

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Glasgow City

Table 20

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Glasgow City	4,913	17	18	17	21	20	22	9	8	5	25	25	27	26	27	26	3	2	3	
All Saints Secondary School	161	##	12	10	##	14	20	##	7	9	##	31	34	##	35	27	##	1	1	
Bannerman High School	216	24	25	25	23	26	25	6	6	3	25	26	29	21	16	15	1	2	4	
Bellahouston Academy	161	8	9	14	23	13	30	7	17	8	25	20	17	33	35	27	3	6	3	
Bellarmine Secondary School	120	8	15	6	25	13	27	8	14	13	21	26	26	33	33	28	4	0	2	
Castlemilk High School	88	8	6	6	21	32	11	17	9	9	25	26	33	23	28	35	6	0	6	
Cleveden Secondary School	212	##	21	17	##	20	19	##	3	5	##	24	27	##	29	29	##	3	2	
Drumchapel High School	142	4	**	6	15	21	17	18	11	18	26	25	25	37	40	32	1	**	2	
Eastbank Academy	225	##	18	16	##	23	23	##	6	2	##	26	28	##	25	29	##	2	2	
Govan High School	105	8	**	5	19	12	20	9	13	8	36	28	30	25	36	33	4	**	5	
Hillhead High School	188	35	31	15	15	26	28	**	4	**	18	21	18	28	15	34	**	3	**	
Hillpark Secondary School	130	16	15	15	21	12	23	8	5	**	33	35	31	19	30	23	3	2	**	
Holyrood Secondary School	331	29	29	33	20	20	19	4	4	3	22	21	24	20	21	18	5	5	3	
Hyndland Secondary School	117	29	45	45	28	15	18	5	**	**	21	16	19	14	18	13	3	**	**	
John Paul Academy	148	##	20	15	##	21	16	##	6	4	##	32	27	##	20	37	##	2	1	
King's Park Secondary School	199	24	27	20	21	21	24	9	4	5	27	21	26	16	23	20	3	3	7	
Knightswood Secondary School	162	##	12	12	##	32	33	##	5	4	##	24	20	##	26	27	##	2	4	
Lochend Secondary School	153	4	8	8	25	19	24	19	19	10	17	25	27	34	28	31	1	1	0	
Lourdes Secondary School	217	##	15	19	##	18	17	##	7	6	##	28	29	##	30	26	##	2	3	
Notre Dame High Sch. for Girls	139	30	28	35	22	25	28	4	4	**	15	19	19	26	20	13	4	4	**	
Penilee Secondary School	295	22	22	12	22	22	23	9	6	6	28	29	28	18	19	29	1	2	2	
Shawlands Academy	236	26	28	22	26	22	29	5	5	**	17	16	27	22	28	21	3	1	**	
Smithycroft Secondary School	136	7	**	10	12	14	20	15	14	9	32	26	26	33	41	34	1	**	1	
Springburn Academy	123	9	9	6	20	18	16	7	10	9	30	26	20	32	35	48	2	2	2	
St Andrew's Secondary School	268	##	13	16	##	19	17	##	12	4	##	33	33	##	23	26	##	1	3	
St Margaret Mary's Sec. School	96	4	5	7	15	23	27	16	11	5	32	30	41	29	30	19	4	1	1	
St Mungo's Academy	156	12	13	17	23	20	26	8	**	**	28	31	34	25	29	21	4	**	**	
St Roch's Secondary School	122	7	9	4	19	12	20	12	14	**	24	24	37	35	39	33	3	2	**	
St Thomas Aquinas Sec. Sch.	115	17	20	23	18	31	28	5	8	**	30	24	21	30	15	21	1	3	**	
Whitehill Secondary School	152	13	13	14	28	17	16	8	11	5	18	26	26	28	30	32	4	4	7	

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Note C: Where two hashes (##) have been inserted see Notes and Definitions for an explanation.

Highland

Table 21

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Highland	2,787	31	36	32	17	17	20	5	3	3	35	34	33	6	6	6	5	5	7	
Alness Academy	123	22	31	20	19	13	16	11	9	5	33	34	34	4	**	9	11	**	16	
Charleston Academy	184	24	31	20	20	23	28	3	**	3	39	35	32	10	5	7	5	**	10	
Culloden Academy	159	26	32	22	22	26	19	**	**	3	33	30	38	8	4	8	**	**	10	
Dingwall Academy	195	29	35	31	16	14	18	5	6	4	42	37	34	6	**	6	2	**	6	
Dornoch Academy	33	**	**	42	**	**	27	**	**	0	**	**	24	**	**	**	**	**	**	
Farr High School	16	60	33	63	**	**	**	0	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	0	10	13	0	
Fortrose Academy	115	44	36	36	18	14	23	**	4	**	31	38	30	**	**	**	2	**	8	
Gairloch High School	29	36	50	48	15	**	17	**	**	0	36	22	28	**	**	**	6	16	**	
Glen Urquhart High School	44	43	38	48	33	27	25	0	0	0	**	31	18	**	0	0	0	4	9	
Golspie High School	97	41	40	47	15	18	28	4	0	5	30	36	16	6	5	**	5	1	**	
Grantown Grammar School	59	19	39	34	31	41	20	0	0	0	42	14	27	**	**	8	**	**	10	
Invergordon Academy	94	35	30	26	9	20	23	14	6	5	34	29	29	**	8	7	**	7	10	
Inverness High School	84	13	16	13	19	23	14	11	8	11	33	24	35	9	19	12	15	9	15	
Inverness Royal Academy	130	39	29	40	23	18	12	3	**	**	24	30	32	10	13	6	1	**	**	
Kilchuimen Academy	13	**	**	**	31	**	38	0	0	0	56	**	**	0	**	**	**	18	8	
Kingussie High School	74	25	34	36	27	22	19	0	0	0	42	38	30	**	**	**	**	**	**	
Kinlochbervie High School	13	0	**	46	0	0	**	0	0	0	**	0	**	**	0	**	0	**	0	
Kinlochleven High School	21	**	28	**	**	0	**	**	**	0	54	50	43	**	16	**	4	**	10	
Lochaber High School	197	30	31	28	10	7	8	6	5	**	44	45	46	4	7	7	7	5	**	
Mallaig High School	34	19	35	35	**	**	15	0	0	0	58	42	44	**	**	**	4	4	**	
Millburn Academy	186	38	39	42	17	16	17	**	**	**	31	33	24	7	5	9	**	**	**	
Nairn Academy	172	35	39	25	24	24	42	**	**	**	23	26	19	8	5	8	**	**	**	
Plockton High School	56	33	73	45	**	0	18	0	0	0	47	27	34	12	0	**	**	0	**	
Portree High School	134	55	61	40	10	**	9	0	**	**	26	33	36	7	5	7	1	0	**	
Tain Royal Academy	123	30	38	28	14	18	15	7	6	6	41	30	37	4	4	4	5	4	9	
Thurso High School	210	27	33	30	17	21	21	8	**	2	38	33	38	6	7	6	3	**	2	
Ullapool High School	46	35	21	24	20	29	24	**	0	**	43	45	39	0	**	0	**	**	**	
Wick High School	146	24	35	36	18	17	14	15	4	0	29	37	38	8	5	7	6	2	4	

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Inverclyde

Table 22

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Inverclyde	993	28	27	32	19	19	22	13	18	14	25	17	19	13	16	11	2	3	2	
Gourock High School	95	34	43	56	30	17	13	5	9	9	20	10	14	11	22	7	0	0	1	
Greenock Academy	157	49	45	47	20	23	19	4	7	8	19	17	18	7	6	6	1	2	1	
Greenock High School	100	26	16	30	23	22	22	17	16	15	23	13	15	9	22	14	2	12	4	
Notre Dame High School	142	21	26	33	22	18	15	15	21	13	24	21	25	14	11	13	3	4	1	
Port Glasgow High School	123	22	27	18	18	18	24	13	25	24	31	16	21	15	13	11	2	0	2	
St Columba's High School	147	28	19	31	14	17	27	11	16	9	28	20	22	17	23	10	3	3	2	
St Stephen's High School	128	19	18	19	13	18	28	20	22	21	27	18	17	16	20	11	5	5	4	
Wellington Academy	101	24	15	21	13	17	34	23	32	16	26	17	14	13	18	16	2	1	0	

Midlothian

Table 23

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Midlothian	957	22	22	24	15	15	14	13	9	9	38	42	44	8	8	7	4	4	3	
Beeslack High School	173	33	32	33	19	18	22	6	3	3	31	34	32	5	7	6	6	5	3	
Dalkeith High School	129	18	15	19	12	18	14	15	14	9	37	36	45	12	13	11	7	4	2	
Lasswade High School Centre	218	24	23	21	11	9	14	13	9	6	43	53	46	6	**	9	3	**	3	
Newbattle High School	160	9	10	13	9	18	12	22	17	20	41	42	50	15	12	4	3	1	1	
Penicuik High School	140	27	27	33	20	16	7	8	3	4	39	45	46	4	6	6	1	3	4	
St David's High School	137	17	24	22	20	13	11	15	9	12	34	42	45	8	8	7	7	4	4	

Moray

Table 24

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Moray	1,009	30	31	34	25	25	18	1	2	2	32	29	33	8	8	6	4	5	8	
Buckie High School	153	27	29	33	23	29	18	**	**	3	43	30	39	4	8	4	**	**	4	
Elgin Academy	177	36	36	44	28	27	18	**	3	0	28	26	21	6	4	6	**	4	11	
Elgin High School	107	23	28	23	23	21	22	**	4	**	36	33	38	13	13	6	**	2	**	
Forres Academy	167	32	32	36	26	24	16	**	**	3	21	21	28	12	8	8	**	**	10	
Keith Grammar School	89	31	26	27	18	26	17	**	**	**	41	37	35	6	5	8	**	**	**	
Lossiemouth High School	109	22	30	31	33	25	18	**	**	5	30	29	35	7	11	6	**	**	6	
Milne's High School	106	34	29	30	20	27	14	**	7	**	31	28	44	11	8	7	**	1	**	
Speyside High School ◇	101	31	44	43	25	16	20	0	**	**	30	28	29	**	6	**	**	**	5	

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Note B: Schools marked with (◊) receive pupils after S4 to continue their education in S5 and S6.

North Ayrshire

Table 25

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																	
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown		
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3
North Ayrshire	1,659	27	28	29	19	19	21	19	14	12	17	20	16	12	14	16	6	6	6
Ardrossan Academy	242	28	32	26	16	23	22	21	9	14	18	18	24	11	10	6	7	8	8
Arran High School	54	46	42	35	18	17	13	14	17	11	14	17	31	**	**	**	**	**	**
Auchenharvie Academy	105	17	14	16	24	18	23	23	28	20	17	16	17	12	18	18	8	6	6
Garnock Academy	194	24	24	30	18	18	14	14	12	14	18	25	20	20	18	15	7	4	7
Greenwood Academy	216	21	22	33	25	19	16	21	15	14	19	21	13	9	16	19	5	6	4
Irvine Royal Academy	197	15	26	12	24	21	22	27	14	19	17	16	18	7	17	25	10	6	4
Kilwinning Academy	182	22	25	28	18	11	28	23	22	11	18	18	11	17	18	17	4	6	5
Largs Academy	156	45	42	49	19	23	23	**	6	6	12	16	13	13	5	5	**	8	4
St Andrew's Academy	145	36	33	43	12	23	21	22	4	5	16	24	11	7	9	11	8	7	9
St Michael's Academy	168	39	30	21	15	18	23	15	13	8	19	20	12	9	17	29	2	3	7

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

North Lanarkshire

Table 26

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																	
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown		
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3
North Lanarkshire	4,293	28	27	28	16	16	19	13	12	10	28	30	29	12	13	11	1	1	2
Abronhill High School	122	29	34	24	24	19	25	8	4	4	27	33	35	12	10	9	0	0	2
Airdrie Academy	209	28	25	22	10	13	19	11	15	9	35	32	36	15	16	10	0	0	4
Bellshill Academy	138	20	30	22	17	6	14	15	19	17	29	34	28	17	9	15	2	2	2
Braidhurst High School	80	15	16	18	10	15	20	34	29	23	16	24	28	23	16	13	1	0	0
Brannock High School	151	19	25	19	16	8	16	21	13	11	28	38	39	14	15	15	2	1	1
Calderhead High School	123	24	19	14	12	11	18	15	14	15	38	44	34	10	11	17	1	2	2
Caldervale High School	180	24	20	23	13	16	21	17	12	6	33	35	30	13	17	15	0	0	5
Cardinal Newman High School	186	26	25	28	19	8	13	11	17	12	31	30	29	14	19	17	0	1	2
Chryston High School	153	27	29	23	22	18	20	10	3	5	30	37	35	7	12	8	3	1	8
Clyde Valley High School	160	19	16	18	13	15	21	21	21	19	32	35	28	13	11	14	2	2	1
Coatbridge High School	138	19	20	17	21	14	23	20	14	12	28	34	31	10	17	16	2	3	1
Coltness High School	155	30	31	39	16	15	22	24	12	10	25	31	19	4	9	11	1	1	0
Columba High School	151	25	21	26	23	24	21	11	16	17	27	22	25	14	15	11	0	3	0
Cumbernauld High School	156	24	19	26	13	24	26	10	11	8	36	38	29	13	8	8	4	1	2
Dalziel High School	163	51	47	47	7	14	14	11	10	8	18	18	19	11	11	12	1	0	0
Greenfaulds High School	174	34	28	29	17	29	22	8	9	6	31	26	34	9	8	6	2	0	3
Kilsyth Academy	140	28	29	33	21	21	20	5	5	6	30	35	31	13	9	8	3	0	3
Our Lady's High Sch., Cumb'nld	184	31	36	32	21	22	20	6	6	5	33	30	31	8	7	9	2	0	3
Our Lady's High Sch., Mothw'll	182	29	39	42	9	15	9	23	14	14	27	15	25	12	16	9	0	1	1
Rosehall High School	108	23	19	22	18	9	20	14	17	14	28	39	27	8	16	16	8	0	1
St Aidan's High School	231	35	36	32	14	16	17	14	7	16	24	24	25	9	15	7	3	3	3
St Ambrose High School	220	40	27	38	18	18	22	8	10	4	18	28	27	16	13	8	0	4	1
St Margaret's High School	252	25	29	23	16	19	18	11	10	10	29	27	28	18	16	19	0	0	2
St Maurice's High School	202	33	24	40	20	17	13	11	7	2	25	29	34	9	21	9	1	1	1
St Patrick's High School	178	29	26	31	14	15	22	12	9	9	27	34	26	13	13	10	5	3	2
Taylor High School	157	37	37	27	15	10	22	5	14	13	27	28	25	13	9	11	2	1	3

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Orkney

Table 27

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Orkney Islands	255	40	40	41	18	18	17	12	11	9	20	20	20	9	11	12	0	1	1	
Kirkwall Grammar School ◇	170	36	36	33	19	16	18	15	13	11	20	21	21	10	12	16	1	2	1	
North Walls Community S (S1-S2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Pierowall Junior HS (S1-S4)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**	0	**	**	0	0	0	0	**	0	0	
Sanday Junior HS (S1-S4)	3	0	0	0	0	**	**	**	**	**	0	0	0	0	0	0	**	0	0	
Stromness Academy	81	52	50	59	15	20	12	**	**	**	22	17	21	**	9	**	0	**	0	
Stronsay Junior HS (S1-S4)	1	0	0	0	0	**	**	0	0	0	0	**	0	**	0	0	**	0	*	

Perth & Kinross

Table 28

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Perth & Kinross	1,384	35	38	33	18	21	21	3	3	2	31	25	30	9	9	11	3	4	3	
Auchterarder High School	63	21	23	29	27	40	17	0	**	**	35	27	32	13	**	16	4	5	**	
Blairstown High School ◇	182	33	29	23	16	19	28	4	**	3	29	28	27	14	13	14	4	**	5	
Breadalbane Academy ◇	96	51	49	47	8	18	10	**	0	0	33	25	27	**	**	13	1	**	3	
Crieff High School	107	36	31	34	15	25	23	**	**	**	39	25	36	**	13	**	3	**	2	
Kinross High School	138	51	49	51	19	15	17	**	**	**	11	21	24	11	9	6	**	**	**	
Perth Academy	260	36	47	34	18	16	22	5	5	3	34	23	33	6	5	7	1	4	1	
Perth Grammar School	177	24	25	23	20	22	20	**	4	**	38	33	28	13	15	26	**	1	**	
Perth High School	267	40	43	32	16	23	24	4	4	2	30	18	30	6	9	7	4	4	5	
Pitlochry High School (S1-S2)	9	0	0	0	56	**	**	0	**	0	**	**	**	0	0	**	**	0	11	
St Columba's High School	85	20	28	36	28	16	18	8	**	**	32	39	32	12	6	7	1	**	**	

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Note B: Schools marked with (◇) receive pupils after S4 to continue their education in S5 and S6.

Renfrewshire

Table 29

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Renfrewshire	2,012	34	33	34	17	17	18	11	10	8	22	23	25	14	15	13	2	2	3	
Castlehead High School	209	28	32	22	18	18	17	11	8	10	18	26	33	21	14	16	4	1	1	
Gleniffer High School	194	27	30	24	22	26	14	14	9	10	23	23	33	14	11	14	1	0	5	
Gryffe High School	133	56	49	56	9	17	14	6	10	5	17	13	20	8	7	**	4	2	**	
Johnstone High School	222	36	24	33	21	14	18	10	17	11	13	22	23	17	17	11	4	4	4	
Linwood High School	89	17	27	18	19	20	26	16	9	12	27	27	30	19	13	10	3	4	3	
Merksworth High School	76	**	13	16	22	9	14	20	17	14	18	21	20	32	35	34	**	4	1	
Paisley Grammar School	170	44	43	48	20	16	14	3	6	5	18	19	23	14	12	8	1	3	3	
Park Mains High School	230	37	43	45	15	14	19	8	8	3	32	26	21	7	9	8	0	1	3	
Renfrew High School	189	31	24	34	17	21	25	12	10	6	23	27	21	13	16	14	3	3	0	
St Andrew's Academy	144	43	38	42	12	14	13	12	12	9	24	20	21	8	15	13	1	1	2	
St Brendan's High School	77	22	54	23	24	11	31	16	9	8	25	18	25	10	**	12	3	**	1	
St Cuthbert's High School	75	14	17	29	14	12	11	22	19	13	31	22	31	16	26	13	4	5	3	
St Mirin's High School	71	14	19	17	16	10	24	19	13	10	16	27	30	32	29	18	3	3	1	
Trinity High School	133	47	31	44	18	17	14	4	5	6	15	27	17	14	18	14	3	2	5	

Scottish Borders

Table 30

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Scottish Borders	1,233	33	35	38	31	26	27	3	3	3	20	21	21	12	13	11	1	1	1	
Berwickshire High School	132	36	35	35	29	24	27	**	5	**	24	23	24	9	14	9	**	0	**	
Earlston High School	136	44	48	50	23	22	18	6	0	4	17	20	19	10	11	8	1	0	1	
Eyemouth High School	91	35	26	36	28	33	26	**	0	**	21	24	24	12	16	10	**	2	**	
Galashiels Academy	214	32	29	40	28	26	30	5	4	**	21	24	20	14	15	10	0	2	**	
Hawick High School	196	21	30	32	41	34	37	3	**	**	16	20	17	19	13	12	0	**	**	
Jedburgh Grammar School	74	35	33	26	33	33	36	**	**	**	20	20	20	7	7	12	**	**	**	
Kelso High School	107	29	41	43	33	25	20	5	5	**	24	16	23	9	11	12	0	1	**	
Peebles High School	185	42	40	41	27	19	22	**	4	4	18	23	23	9	13	9	**	1	1	
Selkirk High School	98	29	39	39	37	23	18	**	**	**	17	20	18	13	15	20	**	**	**	

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Shetland Islands

Table 31

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Shetland Islands	287	33	28	33	11	17	13	10	0	**	38	45	43	8	10	10	0	0	**	
Aith Junior High School (S1-S4)	10	0	0	0	**	**	**	0	0	0	71	50	70	**	**	**	0	0	0	
Anderson High School ◊	194	42	35	39	9	12	11	7	0	**	32	42	41	9	11	8	0	0	**	
Baltasound Junior HS (S1-S4)	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	**	0	0	**	0	0	**	0	**	0	0	**	
Brae High School	49	35	25	39	17	27	10	**	0	0	35	40	31	**	**	18	0	**	2	
Mid Yell Junior HS (S1-S4)	3	0	0	0	**	0	**	**	0	0	**	100	**	**	0	**	0	0	0	
Sandwick Junior HS (S1-S4)	11	0	0	0	**	33	**	**	0	0	**	50	55	**	**	**	0	**	0	
Scalloway Junior HS (S1-S4)	12	0	0	0	0	**	**	25	0	**	75	73	58	0	0	0	0	**	0	
Skerries School (S1-S4)	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	**	0	0	0	0	**	0	0	0	**	0	**	
Symbister House Jun. HS (S1-S4)	6	0	0	0	**	0	0	**	0	0	64	100	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	

South Ayrshire

Table 32

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																	
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown		
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3
South Ayrshire	1,335	33	39	42	15	16	16	15	8	7	16	18	15	18	17	16	3	2	4
Ayr Academy	94	25	26	29	11	11	15	25	13	12	18	20	20	16	26	20	4	4	4
Belmont Academy	211	37	43	57	16	16	10	12	6	8	12	14	11	19	18	11	4	2	2
Carrick Academy	119	27	31	29	8	18	17	19	7	11	26	26	22	17	16	20	2	1	1
Girvan Academy	115	18	23	31	26	32	27	11	4	4	18	29	19	25	10	14	1	2	4
Kyle Academy	143	40	51	49	17	11	20	10	11	6	9	12	13	22	13	8	2	2	5
Mainholm Academy	87	6	6	10	6	13	18	26	12	9	28	29	25	31	37	32	3	3	5
Marr College	231	46	53	55	19	17	13	9	5	3	9	13	10	13	11	16	3	2	4
Prestwick Academy	198	34	39	45	14	13	13	18	12	6	18	17	15	13	15	17	3	5	5
Queen Margaret Academy	137	39	44	36	11	12	20	9	8	9	20	17	16	16	17	15	6	1	3

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Note B: Schools marked with (◊) receive pupils after S4 to continue their education in S5 and S6.

South Lanarkshire

Table 33

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
South Lanarkshire	3,705	32	35	37	16	15	17	13	10	10	26	26	25	12	12	9	1	1	2	
Ballerup High School	62	23	22	19	21	19	29	20	14	13	26	28	31	10	16	**	0	1	**	
Biggar High School	111	32	43	35	19	16	19	9	**	6	27	29	31	11	9	7	2	**	2	
Blantyre High School	157	22	25	24	16	15	20	9	19	21	32	25	20	20	14	15	1	1	1	
Carluke High School	235	35	42	45	8	14	12	20	11	9	25	21	27	9	12	5	2	0	1	
Cathkin High School	162	22	19	25	20	25	25	20	13	10	27	25	25	10	16	12	1	1	3	
Claremont High School	173	28	37	37	20	20	25	14	8	6	30	26	22	8	7	8	1	1	2	
Duncanrig Secondary School	159	42	39	49	21	21	13	6	8	8	23	22	21	8	7	8	1	3	3	
Earnock High School	210	22	34	35	19	13	12	13	8	18	28	22	24	18	20	9	0	2	1	
Hamilton Grammar School	213	37	40	41	12	13	15	9	11	11	28	23	22	14	13	10	0	0	0	
Holy Cross High School	281	44	38	40	12	14	14	8	7	9	20	29	24	14	12	13	1	0	0	
Hunter High School	154	27	35	26	22	23	26	19	9	8	23	24	27	7	7	12	1	3	1	
John Ogilvie High School	158	19	31	39	16	7	10	12	11	9	31	31	27	21	19	13	1	0	2	
Lanark Grammar School	228	35	42	33	7	11	13	17	15	10	22	23	30	16	8	13	3	0	2	
Larkhall Academy	192	23	26	23	12	12	16	19	12	18	31	34	28	15	15	12	0	1	2	
Lesmahagow High School	134	20	24	34	13	19	10	17	12	14	31	30	31	16	14	10	3	1	0	
St Andrew's High School	88	26	27	35	19	15	23	15	**	7	26	32	25	14	21	9	0	**	1	
St Bride's High School	134	56	51	46	13	12	13	7	3	13	17	27	20	7	5	5	1	1	2	
Stonelaw High School	219	28	34	31	19	21	26	10	7	5	27	23	30	14	13	**	2	2	**	
Strathaven Academy	171	46	48	60	13	17	8	8	6	5	20	23	18	11	6	8	1	1	1	
Trinity High School	201	32	36	29	19	15	24	11	10	4	29	27	28	7	11	8	0	1	6	
Uddingston Grammar School	263	40	41	44	20	10	16	7	12	10	24	27	17	9	8	8	0	3	6	

Stirling

Table 34

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Stirling	1,049	38	38	37	11	13	12	10	8	7	23	24	24	16	15	17	1	1	4	
Balfron High School	154	55	57	60	14	12	10	5	4	**	18	19	17	7	8	10	1	0	**	
Bannockburn High School	141	19	26	17	11	14	13	15	11	11	35	31	33	20	18	21	1	0	4	
Dunblane High School	142	56	55	51	8	11	15	6	**	4	16	20	13	13	11	13	1	**	4	
McLaren High School	108	42	42	43	11	16	7	6	**	**	27	27	31	14	12	13	0	**	**	
St Modan's High School	170	27	30	33	10	14	9	12	14	7	30	27	29	21	15	18	0	1	5	
Stirling High School	172	45	40	30	12	12	15	11	10	9	18	19	23	13	19	19	1	0	5	
Wallace High School	162	24	26	28	11	15	10	15	12	13	23	22	23	24	21	22	2	4	4	

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West Dunbartonshire

Table 35

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																	
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown		
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3
West Dunbartonshire	1,120	25	26	30	20	20	21	15	9	9	22	22	22	11	18	11	8	4	8
Braidfield High School	102	13	24	11	24	22	24	22	13	16	20	16	31	10	21	14	10	5	5
Clydebank High School	187	21	26	31	21	23	24	19	9	7	24	22	21	7	15	11	8	6	6
Dumbarton Academy	168	33	35	37	16	19	21	19	10	6	20	19	21	10	15	8	3	1	6
Our Lady And St Patrick's HS	192	31	31	45	18	17	11	12	9	13	19	24	17	10	16	6	11	2	8
St Andrew's High School	106	21	20	25	20	22	29	11	7	7	31	27	25	9	19	8	9	5	7
St Columba's High School	192	22	24	26	21	19	24	16	7	7	22	23	22	13	18	11	7	9	9
Vale Of Leven Academy	173	27	20	26	21	22	17	10	10	9	19	20	20	17	26	18	6	2	10

West Lothian

Table 36

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																	
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown		
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3
West Lothian	1,764	26	24	25	16	17	19	9	10	9	35	31	31	12	14	12	2	3	3
Armadale Academy	122	22	16	14	11	15	22	10	13	7	45	31	41	11	21	9	2	4	7
Bathgate Academy	161	24	23	25	19	16	18	8	11	19	37	35	29	11	14	8	1	2	1
Broxburn Academy	116	25	14	16	17	17	25	10	16	9	32	34	36	11	16	10	4	4	3
Deans Community High School	135	17	23	15	21	18	21	6	9	12	39	33	30	15	16	17	2	2	5
Inveralmond Community High	193	14	15	12	10	18	18	16	10	12	38	37	26	22	17	23	1	3	8
James Young High School,The	127	15	26	25	20	13	24	10	9	6	36	31	28	15	18	15	3	4	2
Linlithgow Academy	209	52	48	55	14	23	14	3	6	5	23	17	19	5	5	4	3	3	3
St Kentigern's Academy	181	32	27	24	17	16	23	6	10	8	31	31	31	12	14	11	3	3	3
St. Margaret's Academy	190	22	23	25	15	18	15	9	9	9	42	37	39	12	12	11	0	0	2
West Calder High School	176	36	26	30	16	21	18	9	7	7	25	33	34	11	12	11	2	**	1
Whitburn Academy	154	19	22	15	15	13	16	13	15	10	39	28	36	12	18	19	2	5	3

Grant-aided schools

Table 37

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																	
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown		
	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3
Glasgow City	4,913	17	18	17	21	20	22	9	8	5	25	25	27	26	27	26	3	2	3
Jordanhill School	94	79	76	64	13	18	13	0	0	**	8	5	15	0	**	6	0	**	0

Independent schools

Table 38

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
Scotland EA Total	55,475	30	31	31	19	18	19	10	8	7	26	26	26	13	14	13	3	3	3	
Independent Total	3,074	84	83	83	7	8	6	1	1	0	2	3	3	4	5	4	2	2	3	
Albyn School for Girls	37	82	65	92	15	23	0	0	0	0	**	**	**	0	**	0	**	5	**	
Beaconhurst School	10	33	58	50	33	**	**	0	0	0	0	**	**	28	0	0	6	0	10	
Belmont House School	33	81	60	73	**	35	**	0	0	0	**	**	15	0	0	0	0	**	**	
Cademuir International School	0	80	83	X	**	**	X	**	0	X	0	0	X	0	0	X	0	**	X	
Craigholme School for Girls	35	93	90	94	**	**	**	**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**	**	
Daniel Stewart's and Melville College	144	85	90	82	6	**	9	0	0	0	5	4	5	5	**	3	0	0	1	
Dollar Academy	143	82	95	83	6	**	6	0	0	0	**	**	**	4	**	10	**	1	**	
Edinburgh Academy, The	82	75	63	74	8	13	**	0	0	0	**	**	**	12	18	16	**	**	5	
Fernhill School	21	89	83	95	**	**	**	0	0	0	**	**	0	0	**	0	0	0	**	
Fettes College	83	90	95	90	0	0	**	0	0	0	0	0	0	**	0	7	**	5	**	
George Heriot's School	140	88	82	80	9	9	11	0	**	0	3	6	4	0	0	4	1	**	1	
George Watson's College	225	78	74	71	11	13	13	**	**	0	**	**	4	9	9	11	1	3	1	
Glasgow Academy, The	93	87	84	90	6	5	**	0	0	0	**	5	**	**	**	6	1	**	1	
Glasgow Steiner School	0	0	0	X	0	0	X	0	**	X	0	0	X	0	0	X	0	**	X	
Glenalmond College	81	91	95	91	**	0	**	0	**	0	0	**	0	**	0	0	0	2	**	
Gordonstoun School	95	86	70	83	4	4	8	**	4	**	**	0	6	5	21	0	2	0	**	
Hamilton College	68	82	80	91	9	15	**	0	0	0	7	**	**	**	**	**	**	0	0	
High School of Dundee	112	84	91	93	**	0	**	0	0	**	0	6	**	8	0	**	**	4	2	
High School of Glasgow, The	101	98	96	97	0	**	**	0	0	0	**	**	**	0	**	**	**	0	0	
Hutchesons' Grammar School	210	87	82	90	8	13	**	0	0	0	**	3	**	3	3	**	**	0	5	
International Sch. of Aberdeen	23	78	92	87	0	0	0	**	0	0	0	0	**	**	**	**	0	**	0	
Keil School	33	92	79	73	0	**	**	0	**	0	0	**	0	**	0	**	**	0	6	
Kelvinside Academy	32	70	82	94	25	12	**	**	**	0	**	0	0	0	**	0	0	0	**	
Kilgraston School	35	55	74	80	17	**	**	0	**	0	0	**	**	0	0	0	28	3	3	
Laurel Park School	57	92	83	79	**	9	9	0	0	0	0	**	**	**	0	0	0	**	**	
Lomond School	46	85	78	83	**	19	0	**	0	0	**	0	**	0	**	0	6	**	**	
Loretto School	64	92	90	92	**	**	0	**	0	0	**	**	**	0	0	**	1	3	2	
Mary Erskine School	118	87	88	86	6	7	4	0	0	0	**	**	5	0	0	**	**	**	**	
Merchiston Castle School	65	83	98	98	0	**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	1	**	2	
Morrison's Academy	70	88	81	89	5	16	7	0	0	0	**	**	0	**	0	0	1	**	4	
Queen Victoria School	30	62	73	47	13	**	30	0	0	0	26	17	20	0	0	0	0	**	3	
Rannoch School	76	87	84	26	**	16	11	0	0	**	0	0	7	**	0	39	3	0	**	
Robert Gordon's College	169	89	93	95	4	4	**	4	0	**	**	**	0	0	0	**	**	**	1	
Rudolf Steiner Sch., Edinburgh	19	31	56	**	31	**	**	0	0	**	**	0	37	0	**	**	**	0	5	
St Aloysius College	132	82	80	80	4	4	8	0	0	0	**	**	5	12	10	8	**	**	0	

Note A: Where two asterisks (**) have been inserted the number of leavers who have known destinations in any category is less than 5.

Note D: Where a school did not provide the required information, entries are shown as X.

Independent schools

Table 38 (cont)

School	Total number of school leavers	Percentage of School Leavers																		
		entering full-time higher education			entering full-time further education			entering training			entering employment			who have other known destinations			whose destinations are unknown			
		99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00	97-98	98-99	99-00
St Columba's School	45		96	94	96	**	**	**	**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	**	0	**	0
St George's School for Girls	69		93	76	83	**	**	**	0	0	0	0	0	**	0	19	0	**	**	10
St Leonards School	43		88	69	77	**	**	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	**	23	**	2	**	**
St Margaret's School and St Denis and Cranley	63		82	83	78	10	8	8	**	0	0	**	**	13	0	**	**	1	0	**
St Margaret's Sch. for Girls, Aberdeen	33		87	93	76	**	**	24	0	0	0	**	**	0	**	0	0	0	0	0
St Mary's Music School	10		83	93	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	**	0	0	0	**	0	**	**	0
St Serf's School	16		59	50	50	**	**	**	0	0	0	**	31	**	0	0	**	6	**	0
Strathallan School	93		77	76	84	**	**	**	0	**	0	**	**	0	6	14	0	9	4	**
Wellington School	20		90	68	80	**	24	**	0	0	0	0	**	0	0	0	0	**	**	**

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Note D: Where a school did not provide the required information, entries are shown as X.

Statistical Notes and Definitions

1. Sources

The 1999/2000 data for this bulletin is based on the information available on 20 October 2000.

Annual information is provided to The Scottish Executive by the careers services. Information from independent and grant-aided schools is collected directly from the schools.

The data relate to the latest known destinations of leavers at the time the information is collected. For example, a school leaver who left in June 2000 and was unemployed for 4 months until early October, but who is known by the careers service to have taken up a college place prior to 20 October will be counted under further education.

2. School Leavers

In this bulletin, a school leaver is a young person of school leaving age who left school during or at the end of the school year, where the school year is taken to run from 1 August to 31 July.

In practice, many young people do not decide whether or not to leave school until after they have received the results of external examinations or have tried to get a job or achieve entry to further or higher education or training. For many pupils, therefore, it is only possible to identify later whether they have effectively left school by 31 July. There may also be slight differences in the way careers services count leavers who return to school for a short period after the summer break. Thus full comparability between education authorities cannot be assured.

It should be noted that the bulletin does not contain information on the destination of leavers from special schools. Leavers from these schools are few in number and fluctuate from year to year.

3. Leaver Destinations

The following categories for leaver destinations are included in the bulletin. These are also described in the Regulations in the SOED circular 10/93 on the *Information for Parents in Scotland*.

Full-time Higher Education - includes leavers following HND (Higher National Diploma) or HNC (Higher National Certificate) courses, degree courses, courses for the education and training of teachers and higher level courses for professional qualifications. It also includes, for the purposes of this report, other courses above the standard of the Scottish Certificate of Education Higher Grade, the Certificate of Sixth Year Studies, the National Certificate or the General Certificate of Education of England and Wales or Northern Ireland at Advanced level. Leavers with a deferred, unconditional place in higher education have also been included in this category.

Full-time Further Education - includes leavers undertaking full-time education which is not higher education and who are no longer on a school roll.

Training - includes leavers who are on a training course where an allowance or grant is paid, such as Skillseekers, but who are not employed.

Employment - includes those who are employed for a minimum of 21 hours per week and who are in receipt of payment from their employers. It includes young people undertaking training in employment through Skillseekers. Where a leaver has more than one job, the leaver will be included in the employment category if they have worked more than 21 hours in total.

Other Known Destinations - includes school leavers who are known by the education authority or school to be unemployed, sick, at home looking after children or caring for the elderly, involved in full-time unpaid voluntary work, or taking time out. This category is a very wide one but it is not possible at present for the careers services to provide information that reliably distinguishes between school leavers who are unemployed or who are employed and/or in education part-time for less than 21 hours per week and those covered by the other options under the heading. It should be noted that this category may include some leavers with more than one

Unknown - includes all leavers whose destinations are not recorded by the careers service or independent or grant-aided school.

4. Interpretation of figures for individual schools

The following points should be noted when comparing figures for individual schools.

- Increasing numbers of school leavers are taking a 'year out' for many constructive purposes before continuing their education or entering employment. Apart from pupils with a deferred unconditional place for Higher Education, pupils taking a 'year out' are included in the 'other known destinations' category. Details on the number of such pupils may be obtained from individual schools.
- The destinations of leavers from individual schools may depend partly on location. For example, in many rural and island areas, young people have to travel long distances or live away from home in order to take up courses in higher or further education.
- Economic factors may affect the availability of employment in the local area. A major construction project or the opening of an industrial enterprise may present many new opportunities. Equally, lack of local employment may encourage leavers towards further education or training.
- In certain areas, or particular years, the pattern of school leaver destinations may be affected by the implementation of Skillseekers, the existence of an education-business partnership or special arrangements for entry to higher education.
- There may be a strong local tradition for pupils either to stay on at school or to leave school as early as possible, affecting the numbers who stay on long enough to gain the necessary entrance qualifications for higher education.
- Schools which offer education only up to S4 do not in general offer the qualifications necessary for leavers to

Such schools are identified (S1-S4) in the tables.

- Some education authority schools are designated to receive pupils from schools which only offer education in S1 to S4 to continue their education in S5 and S6. Such schools may gain a significant proportion of pupils beyond the statutory leaving age who are interested in further and higher education. The schools whose figures could be affected in this way are identified in the tables. In some cases, this may be a temporary situation which has arisen for one year because of the closure of a neighbouring school.
- Some schools have special units which make provision for pupils who have learning difficulties. The destinations of these pupils are included in the figures in the tables and this might have a significant effect on the overall pattern of leaver destinations. However, the overall effect will be heavily dependent on the number of pupils in the special unit and the nature of their needs.
- Fluctuations in the figures from year to year are likely. For example, differences in the proportion of leavers proceeding to higher education may derive from the ability of pupils in a particular year group. Similarly, there may be short-term opportunities for employment in some localities. In small schools with only a few leavers, small changes in the number of leavers in each destination category can make a big difference in percentage terms from year to year.

5. Symbols

Two asterisks (**) have been inserted in the tables in the following circumstances:

- a) where the number of leavers in any category is between 1 and 4.
- b) for 'unknown destinations' where otherwise it would be possible to calculate the number of leavers less than 5 in another category.

Two hashes (##) have been inserted where a school has recently opened or merged with another school and the required information is not available.

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