

Annex: Monmouthshire local authority's early identification tool

Indicators for risk of NEET and youth homelessness		
Education	Professional input (data/discussion)	Home/family/carers
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attendance • Attainment • Number of exclusions • Number of unauthorised absences • Modified timetable • Educated in pupil referral unit (PRU) • Additional learning needs (ALN) • Number of school moves • Eligibility for free school meals (eFSM) • Behaviour 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children's services • Health issues • Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS) • Diagnosis of neurodivergence • Receiving counselling • Allocated support via SPACE-Wellbeing panel • Education welfare services • Educational psychology • Young carer • Refugee or immigration status 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children looked after by local authorities • Financial difficulties or poverty • Employment • Accommodation factors • Number of home moves • Professional input, for example adult services, housing, health, care support, multi-agency risk assessment conference (Marac) • Health or care needs • Victims of abuse • Refugee or immigration status

Early identification tool: NEET thresholds

% Attendance	% Unauthorised absence	Attainment		Number of exclusions	Days excluded	Additional learning needs	eFSM	Looked after by local authority/ ever been in care	English as an additional language	School moves in last 2 years
60% or below scores 5	10% or more scores 5	Key Stage 3 levels in English/Maths/Science		2 or more scores 2	15 or more days scores 2	Statemented scores 2	'Yes' scores 2	'Yes' scores 2	'Yes' scores 2	2 or more scores 2
60 to 75% scores 4	5 to 10% scores 4	Threshold	Score	1 scores 1	1 to 14 days scores 1	LA IDP scores 2*	'No' scores 0	'No' scores 0	'No' scores 0	Between 1 and 2 scores 1
75 to 85% scores 3	1 to 5% scores 3	2 or below	3	0 scores 0	0 days scores 0	School Action/ School Action+ scores 1				0 scores 0
86 to 88% scores 2	0.5 to 1.0% scores 2	3 to 4	2			School IDP scores 1				
89 to 90% scores 1	Below 0.5% scores 1	5	1			Targeted Support scores 1				
Over 90% scores 0	0% scores 0	6 to 8	0			No ALN scores 0				
		Key Stage 4 levels in English/Maths/Science								
		Threshold	Score							
		Level 1 or below	5							
		Core Subject Indicator	4							
		Level 2	2							
		Level 2 (English and Maths)	0							

* The Welsh Government does not ascribe a higher weight to an LA IDP. This is about how an individual local authority assesses the risk of young people becoming NEET.

Early identification tool: Homelessness thresholds

% Attendance	Threshold	30% or less	31 to 35%	36 to 40%	41 to 50%	51 to 60%	61 to 70%	71 to 79%	80 to 84%	85 to 89%	Over 90%	
	Score	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
% Unauthorised absences	Threshold	30% or more	25 to 30%	20 to 25%	15 to 20%	10 to 15%	5 to 10%	1 to 5%	0.5 to 1%	Below 0.5%	0%	
	Score	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	
eFSM	Threshold	Yes					No					
	Score	2					0					
Looked after by local authority/ ever been in care	Threshold	Yes					No					
	Score	9					0					
Number of school moves in the last 2 years	Threshold	2 or more				1			0			
	Score	2				1			0			
Number of exclusions	Threshold	10+		7 to 9		5 to 6		3 to 4		0.5 to 2	0	
	Score	5		4		3		2		1	0	
Days excluded	Threshold	10+		7 to 9		5 to 6		3 to 4		0.5 to 2	0	
	Score	5		4		3		2		1	0	

Early identification tool: at risk of NEET weightings

Period of data retrieval	Attendance	Unauthorised absence	Key Stage 3 or 4 English	Key Stage 3 or 4 Maths	Key Stage 3 or 4 Science	Number of exclusions	Days excluded	ALN	eFSM	Looked after by local authority/ever been in care	English as an additional language	School moves in last 2 years	Total score
End of autumn term													
End of spring term													
End of summer term													

Early identification tool: at risk of homelessness weightings

Period of data retrieval	Attendance	Unauthorised absence	Number of exclusions	Days excluded	eFSM	Looked after by local authority/ever been in care	School moves in last 2 years	Total
End of autumn term								
End of spring term								
End of summer term								

Score thresholds: Red 9+; amber 5 to 8; green 4 and below