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#### Abstract

Aim - The PANDA report is designed to help schools and inspectors see how effective a school is in comparison with other schools. The report is sent to schools to help with self-evaluation and development of plans to raise standards, and is used by inspectors when a school is inspected. - The report begins with some basic information about the school to help place the statistics in context. Much of the report compares the attainment of pupils with that of pupils in similar schools. These similar school comparisons use the Autumn Package benchmarks, grouping schools by the prior attainment of pupils, and by the proportion of pupils eligible for free school meals.


## Distribution and access

- PANDA reports are being distributed in the autumn term to allow schools to use the information for evaluation and development as early in the academic year as possible. They are produced in conjunction with the Autumn Package, released by the DfES. This was a direct response to headteachers asking for the PANDA data to reach them as early as possible in the school year.
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## Key Stage 3 data issue

- Due to problems with marking of Key Stage 3 papers your unvalidated PANDA will not show any of your school's Key Stage 3 results for 2004. Where national data are available we have included them for your reference. The benchmark tables can be used to generate PANDA grades.


## What is new in my PANDA?

## New points score system

- In 2004 a new points scoring system for all 14-16 qualifications was introduced. This new system means that a wider range of qualifications such as Key Skills, BTECH and Vocational qualifications can be included under the new system. Threshold indicators will be shown for GCSE/GNVQ. The average points score for GCSE/GNVQ under the old points score system are displayed alongside the average points score for GCSE and all equivalent qualifications. The School College Achievement and Attainment tables will publish school results based on the new measure of pupil performance in GCSE and all equivalent qualifications.


## Key Stage 2-4 Value Added measure

- A value added measure is shown for Key Stage 2 to Key Stage 4 alongside the Key Stage 3 to Key Stage 4 measure. This measure will allow schools to see how their Key Stage 4 pupils have progressed over the full period of their secondary education wherever they took their Key Stage 2 tests.


## Additional GCSE information

- The number of GCSE full course examinations taken by each pupil is shown graphically alongside the national figure. This information should be used to supplement the information shown in the Subject Indicator section of your PANDA report. This year there is also some additional information about attainment in GCSE short courses.


## New inspection framework

- If a school was inspected after September 2003, the Inspection Judgement page of their PANDA report will contain direct judgements assigned on the scale of 1-7 (1 being excellent and 7 being very poor). This replaces the statistically assigned composites shown for pre-2003 inspections.


## Other new data

As a response to headteacher and inspector feedback we have added some additional information to some areas of the PANDA report.

- Prior attainment score: the school's actual prior attainment score is given with its prior attainment group. Where a school lies very close to the boundary of the prior attainment band it may find it more appropriate to compare their school attainment with that of the band immediately above or below their own.
- Census data: the percentage of pupils from each of the wards is given alongside the census information. This provides a better overall perspective of the socio-economic characteristics of the pupils who make up the school.


## Other sources of information

## The Autumn Package

- This is published by the DfES and provides technical guidance to supplement the information shown in the PANDA glossary. All benchmark tables in the PANDA are taken from the Autumn Package. The Autumn Package is available from the DfES website (www.standards.dfes.gov.uk/performance/ap). At Key Stage 4 the benchmark tables for GCSE and all equivalent qualifications are the ones shown in the Autumn Package.


## Advice for headteachers and inspectors

- Inspectors should consider the PANDA report in the light of the school circumstances, drawing on other available information as appropriate. The report should help to raise questions and hypotheses to explore during inspection.
- We will not publish your PANDA report widely, but we do make it available to your LEA, the DfES and the inspectors. The Freedom of Information Act comes into force on 1st January 2005, and from that date Ofsted may be required to disclose your PANDA report, or part of it, to members of the public on request.
- All data about the school included in the inspection report should be taken from the school, not the PANDA report.
- In line with the Data Protection Act, PLASC data are provided on the understanding that they should in no circumstances be used to derive, or attempt to derive, information relating specifically to an identified person or household, and that no claim will be made suggesting the possibility of deriving such information.


## What if my data are wrong?

## - THIS PANDA REPORT USES UNVALIDATED DATA, WHICH DO NOT INCLUDE THE OUTCOMES OF ANY RE-MAR $\overline{K S}$ OR APPEALS, OR CHANGES REQUESTED BY SCHOOLS PRIOR TO PUBLICATION OF THE SECONDARY PERFORMANCE TABLES.

- The DfES will send final datasets to Ofsted when they are produced, and we will use them to update PANDA reports in the spring term. You do not need to contact Ofsted about changes to your data. Schools that are being inspected should continue to bring any data corrections to the attention of the registered inspector.
- To help schools deal with the unvalidated data there is an Excel spreadsheet on the same internet site as the PANDA report. The spreadsheet can be very useful, as it enables you to change the data about your school and see the effect the changes would make to the grades in your PANDA.


## Whom to contact

- Answers to the most frequently asked questions about PANDA reports are available on the Ofsted internet site, but if you need further help you can contact the helpdesk by email at raihelpdesk@ofsted.gov.uk. For urgent enquiries you can telephone the Ofsted helpdesk on 0207421 6840. You will need your school Unique Reference Number (URN).
- Your LEA may be consulted on matters relating to the use and interpretation of your PANDA report in the context of school improvement work.
- The DfES is responsible for maintaining the national data sources, their updating and quality assurance. If you wish to contact DfES about key stage data, or the Pupil Level Annual School Census, please email statistics@dfes.gsi.gov.uk.
- The Autumn Package is available electronically at www.standards.dfes.gov.uk/performance/ap. If you have any questions about the Autumn Package, email autumn.package@dfes.gsi.gov.uk.
- Alternatively, you can call DfES Public Enquiry Unit on 0870000 2288, making it clear to the operator that the query is about the Autumn Package or the way that data are corrected by the DfES, not about the PANDA report.


## Future developments

- The PANDA report has been improved each year in the light of comments from inspectors and schools. We welcome views and comments on how to improve the reports. Please send any comments to: raihelpdesk@ofsted.gov.uk or write to: Ofsted, RAI Helpdesk, School Inspection Statistics, RAI Division, 5th floor, Alexandra House, 33 Kingsway, London WC2B 6SE.

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## Basic Characteristics of your School

This section shows some key data for An Anonymous Secondary School compared with the national averages for secondary schools. The information is based on the Pupil Level Annual School Census (PLASC) and Annual School Census returns, and shows five years' data to enable trends to be seen. This allows you to view your school's key indicators against the national picture. It should be noted that, out of these indicators, the percentage of pupils known to be eligible for free school meals shows the strongest correlation with pupils' attainment.

Table 1.1 School's basic characteristics
Secondary Schools 20002001200220032004

Number on roll

| - Your school | 662 | 691 | 684 | 688 | 687 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| - National average | 955 | 983 | 993 | 1013 | 1025 |

Percentage of pupils known to be eligible for free school meals ${ }^{1}$

- Your school
- National average

Percentage of pupils speaking English as an additional language

- Your school
$\begin{array}{lllll}37.3 & 35.1 & 30.9 & 27.6 & 25.4\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{lllll}17.8 & 15.3 & 16.1 & 15.6 & 15.6\end{array}$
$0.5 \quad 0.7 \quad \mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a} \quad \mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a} \quad \mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$
Percentage of pupils' first language not/believed not to be English ${ }^{2}$
- Your School n/a n/a n/a $\quad 0.6 \quad 0.3$

Percentage of pupils with special educational needs (including statements)

- Your school
$\begin{array}{lllll}18.7 & 20.3 & 18.4 & 13.5 & 10.6\end{array}$
- National average

Percentage of pupils with statements of special educational needs
$\begin{array}{llllllll}\text { - Your school } & 2.9 & 2.5 & 2.2 & 2.2 & 2.3\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{lllllll}\text { - National average } & 2.5 & 2.5 & 2.4 & 2.4 & 2.4\end{array}$

This table shows that:
the school is smaller than other secondary schools (687 pupils compared with the average size nationally of $\mathbf{1 0 2 5}$ pupils);
the percentage of pupils known to be eligible for free school meals ( 25.4 percent) is above the national average;
the percentage of pupils' first language not/believed not to be English ( 0.3 percent) is low;
the percentage of pupils identified as having special educational needs, including statements, ( 10.6 percent) is below the national average;
the percentage of pupils with statements of special educational needs ( 2.3 percent) is broadly in line with the national average.

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## Basic Characteristics of your School

The table below shows some key data for your school with regards to ethnicity. The information is derived from the ethnic categories the school used to complete the Pupil Level Annual School Census.

Table 1.2 School's basic characteristics: ethnicity

| Secondary Schools | 2004 |
| :--- | :---: |
| Ethnic Code $^{1}$ | $\%$ |
| White - British | 97.5 |
| White - Irish | 0.0 |
| White - any other White background $^{2}$ | 0.3 |
| Mixed - White and Black Caribbean | 0.0 |
| Mixed - White and Black African | 0.0 |
| Mixed - White and Asian | 0.0 |
| Mixed - any other mixed background | 0.0 |
| Asian or Asian British - Indian | 0.6 |
| Asian or Asian British - Pakistani | 0.3 |
| Asian or Asian British - Bangladeshi | 0.0 |
| Asian or Asian British - any other Asian background | 0.7 |
| Black or Black British - Caribbean | 0.0 |
| Black or Black British - African | 0.3 |
| Black or Black British - any other Black background | 0.1 |
| Chinese | 0.0 |
| Any other ethnic group | 0.1 |
| Parent/pupil preferred not to say and information not obtained | 0.0 |

${ }^{1}$ Ethnicity is grouped using the ethnic categories from the PLASC. Please note that figures may not add up to $100 \%$ due to rounding.
${ }^{2}$ Figures for pupils of Traveller of Irish Heritage and Gypsy/Roma ethnic groups are included within "Any other White background" due to relatively small proportions at both school, LEA and national level.

## Inspection Judgements

An Anonymous Secondary School was inspected in the academic year 1998/1999 to the Framework for inspection introduced in April 1996, which was subsequently amended in January 2000. The judgements from inspections undertaken in these timescales and the resulting composites are comparable. As well as writing the inspection report, inspectors also completed a form which graded their judgements about the school on each of the criteria in the Ofsted Framework for Inspection.

## The school's improvement since its last inspection was judged to be satisfactory.

For most schools, inspectors make over 80 judgements about the school as a whole and the quality of standards of provision in different key stages. From these judgements, Ofsted has constructed composite judgements concerning the four broad headings that inspection covers.

The composite judgements calculated for your school were as follows:
standards achieved by pupils were requiring some improvement;
the quality of education provided by the school was requiring some improvement;

## the school's climate for learning was good;

## the management and efficiency of the school were good.

All schools inspected in 03/04 have been given a direct judgement on a scale of 1-7 (1 being excellent and 7 being very poor) for the 4 main areas of inspection. This allows inspectors to weigh up the balance of evidence they find and give overall school grades directly rather than statistically calculate composites. For the purposes of producing cumulative national information these direct judgements have been re-allocated into a category shown in Table 2.1 and matched to the related statistically calculated composite for 96/97-- 02/03 (see Glossary for details).

Table 2.1 enables comparison of the judgements about the school with the judgements made about schools nationally and schools with pupils from similar backgrounds. In particular, the table shows the percentage of schools rated very good, good etc. against each of the four broad headings that inspection covers. The figures may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

Table 2.1 Inspection judgements (latest inspection 1996-2004)

| Inspection Grades | Very <br> Good | Good | Some <br> Improvement <br> Required | Substantial <br> Improvement <br> Required |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| All Schools | 16 | 38 |  |  |
| Standards achieved by pupils | 13 | 55 | 34 | 11 |
| Quality of education | 41 | 41 | 28 | 4 |
| The school's climate ${ }^{1}$ | 39 | 42 | 14 | 4 |
| Management and efficiency ${ }^{2}$ | 1 | 15 | 4 |  |
| Non-selective schools with more than 21\% and up to 35\% FSM |  |  |  |  |
| Standards achieved by pupils | 6 | 24 | 53 | 22 |
| Quality of education | 19 | 47 | 38 | 9 |
| The school's climate ${ }^{1}$ | 30 | 50 | 24 | 7 |
| Management and efficiency ${ }^{2}$ | 45 | 19 | 7 |  |

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## Attainment Summary

This section gives a broad overview of examination results of pupils at An Anonymous Secondary School, both in comparison with all schools and in comparison with similar schools. For these latter comparisons, schools are grouped together by their average prior attainment at the previous key stage, or by the proportion of pupils eligible for free school meals.

The grades shown are based on the average National Curriculum points achieved by pupils at your school and their GCSE and equivalent qualifications results (shown later in the PANDA report). Average points are calculated by attaching points scores to the levels achieved by pupils. Details are given in the Autumn Package (Key Stages 3 and 4). Prior Attainment figures for Key Stage 3 are based on pupils that have had their Key Stage 2 and Key Stage 3 data matched. Capped scores are based on the best 8 GCSE or equivalent qualifications each pupil achieves. Further detail on Value Added, Prior Attainment and Capped scores is available in the Glossary.

For 2004 two PANDA grades are displayed for GCSE and equivalent qualifications. The first column is based on GCSE/GNVQ and the second column is based on GCSE and a wider range of equivalent qualifications. See the Glossary for details.

Table 3.1 Attainment summary (in comparison with all schools nationally)

## Key Stage 3 National Curriculum tests <br> (average points)

## English

Mathematics
Science

| 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| D | D | D | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| C | D | D | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| C | D | D | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| C | D | D | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |

## KS4 GCSE and equivalent

5 or more grades $\mathrm{A}^{*}$-C
5 or more grades $A^{*}-\mathrm{G}^{2}$
1 or more grades $A^{*}$-G
Average total GCSE points score per pupil GCSE/GNVQ

|  |  <br> equivalent <br> qualifications ${ }^{\mathbf{1}}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| C | 2004 |
| C | C |
| E | E |
| E | E |
| D | D |
| D | E |

The grades above have descriptive meanings, which are explained in the Glossary pages at the end of this PANDA report.

Care should be taken when analysing the results of small year groups and small schools. The effect of one additional pupil on, for example, a school percentage measure can be considerable, whereas in larger schools the effect will be less marked. This does not mean that analysing the performance of small cohorts is invalid. Rather it means that the findings from such analyses should be interpreted carefully, and may need to be augmented with other information or considered over more than one year. Please refer to the section on small cohorts in the Glossary.

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For 2004 two PANDA grades are displayed for GCSE and equivalent qualifications. The first column is based on GCSE/GNVQ and the second column is based on GCSE and a wider range of equivalent qualifications. See the Glossary for details.

Table 3.2 Attainment summary (in comparison with similar schools -- FSM)
Key Stage 3 National Curriculum tests
(average points)

|  |  | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 3004 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| English |  | B | C | B | B $\quad \mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Mathematics |  | A* | A | A | A $\quad \mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Science |  | A* | A | B | B $\quad \mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| All core subjects |  | A* | B | B | B $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| GCSE and equivalent |  |  | SE/GNVQ |  | GCSE \& equivalent qualifications ${ }^{1}$ |
|  | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2004 |
| 5 or more grades $\mathrm{A}^{*}$ - C | B | C | A | A | A |
| 5 or more grades $\mathrm{A}^{*}-\mathrm{G}^{2}$ | B | D | B | E | D |
| 1 or more grades $A^{*}$-G | B | C | E | E | E |
| Average points score per pupil | B | C | A | B | C |
| Capped Average points score per pupil | - | C | A | C | C |

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For 2004 two PANDA grades are displayed for GCSE and equivalent qualifications. The first column is based on GCSE/GNVQ and the second column is based on GCSE and a wider range of equivalent qualifications. See the Glossary for details.

Table 3.3 Attainment summary (in comparison with similar schools -- prior attainment)

## Key Stage 3 National Curriculum tests

(average points)


The grades above have descriptive meanings, which are explained in the Glossary pages at the end of this PANDA report.

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## Attainment statistics for the inspection report

The inspection report should include the following information on pupils' attainment, subject to checking with the school. The number of pupils shown below each table is the number of eligible pupils in the year group. The number is not necessarily the denominator for calculating average points. For further details on the calculation of average points please refer to the Glossary or the Autumn Package.

## Attainment at Key Stage 3

Table 4.3 Standards in national tests at the end of Year 9-average point score in 2004

| Standards in: | School Results | National Results |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| English | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(31.9)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(33.4)$ |
| Mathematics | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(34.4)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(35.4)$ |
| Science | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(32.1)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(33.6)$ |

Figures in brackets are for the previous year.

## Attainment at Key Stage 4

Table 4.4 Standards in Key Stage 4 at the end of Year 11 in 2004

| GCSE/GNVQ | School Results |  | National Results |  |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5 or more A* - C grades $(\%)$ | 52 | $(55)$ | 52 | $(52)$ |
| 5 or more A* - G grades $(\%)$ | 78 | $(84)$ | 89 | $(88)$ |
| 1 or more A* - G grades $(\%)$ | 90 | $(89)$ | 96 | $(96)$ |
| Average point score per pupil | 35.0 | $(37.9)$ | 41.4 | $(40.6)$ |
| Capped average point score per pupil | 29.7 | $(31.6)$ | 34.9 | $(34.7)$ |


| GCSE \& Equivalent Qualifications ${ }^{\mathbf{1}}$ | School Results | National Results |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 5 or more A* - C grades $(\%)$ | 52 | 52 |
| 5 or more A* - G grades $(\%)$ | 83 | 89 |
| 1 or more A* - G grades (\%) | 90 | 96 |
| Average point score per pupil | 293.7 | 340.3 |
| Capped average point score per pupil | 246.9 | 282.8 |

There were 126 pupils in the current year group, 65 boys and 61 girls. Figures in brackets are for the previous year.

## Attainment at Key Stage Three: <br> Comparison with National Averages

Percentage of pupils achieving each level

The charts below are designed to give a broad overview of pupils' NC test results at your school in 2004 compared to the National picture. They show the percentage of pupils achieving each level (in tests and tasks). As Key Stage 3 information is not yet available at school level only National data is currently shown.

## English KS3 Tests <br> School vs National Percentage of pupils by level



Mathematics KS3 Tests
School vs National
School Percentage of pupils by level

National


## Science KS3 Tests <br> School vs National Percentage of pupils by level



Please note that in calculating the percentage of pupils at each level in these charts, absent and disapplied pupils are included as part of the base (or denominator). For this reason, and because absent and disapplied pupils are not shown as a separate category, the percentages in the chart may not add to 100 .

## Attainment at Key Stage Three: <br> Comparison with National Averages by Gender

## Average points

This section provides some additional analysis of pupils' performance as revealed by their test results, using pupils' average NC points in English, Mathematics and Science. Full details of the calculations are set out in the Glossary pages of this report. Using average NC points provides an overview of pupils' results that takes full account of the achievements of all pupils and is not dependent simply on the proportions reaching a threshold level. The table below shows the average NC points scores in the three core subjects between 2000 and 2004. The average of pupil performance over the last three years is not available due to missing 2004 Key Stage 3 data.

Table 5.1 Comparison with national average by gender (average points)

|  | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2002/04 <br> average |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
| English |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Boys - school | 29.9 | 30.0 | 30.9 | 30.9 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Boys - national | 31.3 | 31.6 | 31.9 | 32.1 |  |  |
| Boys - school difference | -1.4 | -1.6 | -1.0 | -1.2 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Girls - school | 31.2 | 31.7 | 31.9 | 33.5 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Girls - national | 34.0 | 34.4 | 34.8 | 34.6 |  |  |
| Girls - school difference | -2.8 | -2.7 | -2.9 | -1.1 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| All Pupils - school | 30.6 | 30.9 | 31.4 | 31.9 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| All Pupils - national | 32.6 | 33 | 33.3 | 33.4 |  |  |
| All Pupils - school difference | -2.0 | -2.1 | -1.9 | -1.5 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Mathematics |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Boys - school | 33.8 | 33.1 | 33.8 | 33.7 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Boys - national | 34.4 | 34.4 | 34.8 | 35.4 |  |  |
| Boys - school difference | -0.6 | -1.3 | -1.0 | -1.7 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Girls - school | 34.3 | 34.7 | 33.0 | 35.6 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Girls - national | 34.2 | 34.5 | 34.7 | 35.5 |  |  |
| Girls - school difference | 0.1 | 0.2 | -1.7 | 0.1 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| All Pupils - school | 34.1 | 34.0 | 33.4 | 34.4 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| All Pupils - national | 34.3 | 34.4 | 34.7 | 35.4 |  |  |
| All Pupils - school difference | -0.2 | -0.4 | -1.3 | -1.0 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Science |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Boys - school | 31.1 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 31.7 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Boys - national | 32.4 | 33.2 | 33.4 | 33.7 |  |  |
| Boys - school difference | -1.3 | -0.4 | -0.6 | -2.0 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Girls - school | 30.4 | 32.8 | 31.6 | 32.7 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Girls - national | 31.9 | 33.1 | 33.3 | 33.6 |  |  |
| Girls - school difference | -1.5 | -0.3 | -1.7 | -0.9 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| All Pupils - school | 30.8 | 32.8 | 32.2 | 32.1 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| All Pupils - national | 32.2 | 33.1 | 33.3 | 33.6 |  |  |
| All Pupils - school difference | -1.4 | -0.3 | -1.1 | -1.5 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |


| (continued) | $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 1}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 2}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 3}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 2 / 0 4}$ <br> average |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
| All core subjects |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Boys - school | 31.6 | 32.0 | 32.5 | 32.1 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Boys - national | 32.7 | 33.1 | 33.4 | 33.7 |  |  |
| Boys - school difference | -1.1 | -1.1 | -0.9 | -1.6 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Girls - school | 32.0 | 33.1 | 32.2 | 34.0 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| Girls - national | 33.4 | 34 | 34.2 | 34.6 |  |  |
| Girls - school difference | -1.4 | -0.9 | -2.0 | -0.6 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| All Pupils - school | 31.8 | 32.6 | 32.3 | 32.8 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| All Pupils - national | 33 | 33.5 | 33.8 | 34.1 |  |  |
| All Pupils - school difference | -1.2 | -0.9 | -1.5 | -1.3 | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ |

## Attainment at Key Stage Three: <br> Comparison with National Averages: Trends over Time

## Average Points

The charts below show the changes in the average NC points at your school over the five years 2000 to 2004 in English, mathematics and science, compared with the national average. Due to missing Key Stage 3 data, no 2004 values are shown.

Key Stage 3: English Average NC points School vs National


Key Stage 3: Mathematics, Average NC points School vs National


## Key Stage 3: Science, Average NC points School vs National



## Attainment at Key Stage Three:

## Comparison with National Averages: Trends over Time

## Average Points

The chart below shows the trends in the school's all core subjects Key Stage 3 results in recent years, in comparison with the national picture. It shows both the evolution of the school's results year by year. Due to missing 2004 Key Stage 3 school level data, no trend line is shown.

## Key Stage 3 Trend (Average points for all core subjects)



## Attainment at Key Stage Three: <br> Comparison with National Benchmarks for All Schools

## Percentage of pupils achieving each level

The national benchmarks compare schools' results with the performance of other schools. This particular section compares attainment at An Anonymous Secondary School with all other maintained secondary schools that participated in the Key Stage 3 tests.

The comparisons are achieved by ranking secondary schools for each of the various attainment categories from the highest attaining schools to the lowest. The table shows the national spread of attainment. As school level Key Stage 3 data are not yet available all interpretation grades are shown as $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$.

Table 5.2 Comparison with national benchmarks for all schools
Percentage of pupils reaching level 5 and above

| Percentile | 95th | Upper <br> Quartile | 60th | 40th | Lower <br> Quartile | 5th <br> Interp- <br> retation <br> English$\quad 97$ | 82 |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 76 | 76 | 67 | 59 | 40 | $\mathbf{n} \mathbf{a}$ |  |  |
| Mathematics | 98 | 83 | 78 | 71 | 64 | 48 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| Science | 98 | 79 | 73 | 62 | 54 | 36 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |

Percentage of pupils reaching level 6 and above

| Percentile | 95th | Upper <br> Quartile | 60th | 40th | Lower <br> Quartile | 5th <br> Interp- <br> retation |  |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| English | 77 | 44 | 35 | 26 | 20 | 9 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| Mathematics | 95 | 64 | 56 | 46 | 38 | 24 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| Science | 84 | 45 | 37 | 26 | 20 | 9 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |

## Average Points

Table 5.3 Comparison with national benchmarks for all schools

## Average points score achieved

| Percentile | 95 th | Upper <br> Quartile | 60th | 40th | Lower <br> Quartile | 5th <br> Interp- <br> retation |  |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| English | 39.5 | 35.2 | 34.1 | 32.6 | 31.4 | 28.7 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| Mathematics | 44.0 | 37.7 | 36.4 | 34.7 | 33.4 | 30.4 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| Science | 40.3 | 35.1 | 33.9 | 32.3 | 31.0 | 28.1 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| All core subjects $^{1}$ | 40.5 | 35.6 | 34.5 | 33.0 | 31.8 | 29.1 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |

${ }^{1}$ Calculation of all core subjects average points scores EXCLUDES ICT.

## Attainment at Key Stage Three: <br> Comparison with National Benchmarks for Schools in Similar Contexts

The national benchmarks compare your school's results with the performance of other schools nationally. This particular section compares the school's attainment with schools in a similar context in tests in English, Mathematics and Science.

The Autumn Package provides two types of National Benchmark information that group similar schools together; information based on attainment at an earlier key stage, and information based on the percentage of pupils in schools known to be eligible for free school meals.

## Benchmarks based on prior attainment at the end of Key Stage 2

The benchmark group to which An Anonymous Secondary School has been allocated is based on the prior attainment of the 2004 Key Stage 3 cohort in their 2001 Key Stage 2 examinations. Since the introduction of the unique pupil number (UPN) within the 2003 PLASC the DfES have been able to match pupils between the two key stages.

The table below shows the percentile distribution for all schools with a similar level of prior attainment. As Key Stage 3 data is not yet available all interpretation grades are shown as $n / a$. The Glossary provides details of how the PANDA grades are allocated and schools may wish to add their own data to the table.

Key Stage 3 pupils in your school had a Key Stage 2 average points score of 27.7. This puts you into the following benchmark group.

Schools that achieved a Key Stage 2 average points score of at least 27 but less than 28 in 2001
Table 5.4 Comparison with benchmarks for schools in similar context (prior attainment, level)
Percentage of pupils reaching level 5 or above

| Percentile | 95th | Upper <br> Quartile | 60th | 40th | Lower <br> Quartile | 5th | Interp- <br> retation |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| English (tests) | 87 | 80 | 76 | 72 | 68 | 56 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| Mathematics (tests) | 86 | 81 | 78 | 75 | 73 | 64 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| Science (tests) | 83 | 76 | 73 | 68 | 65 | 54 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |

Percentage of pupils reaching level 6 or above

| Percentile | 95 th | Upper <br> Quartile | 60th | 40th | Lower <br> Quartile | 5thInterp- <br> retation |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| English (tests) | 53 | 41 | 36 | 31 | 26 | 17 | $\mathbf{n} \mathbf{a}$ |
| Mathematics (tests) | 67 | 60 | 56 | 52 | 49 | 39 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| Science (tests) | 51 | 41 | 37 | 32 | 28 | 19 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |

## Attainment at Key Stage Three: <br> Comparison with National Benchmarks for Schools in Similar Contexts

## Percentage of pupils achieving each level

The national benchmarks compare schools' results with the performance of other schools. This particular section compares your school's attainment in English, Mathematics and Science tests with schools in a similar context.

The Autumn Package provides two types of National Benchmark information that group similar schools together; information based on attainment at an earlier key stage, and information based on the percentage of pupils in schools known to be eligible for Free School Meals (FSM).

## Benchmarks based on the percentage of pupils in schools known to be eligible for free school meals

Schools are grouped by the percentage of pupils of compulsory school age that are eligible for free school meals (see glossary for details on calculations). Your free school meal percentage is shown in the basic characteristics section of your PANDA. The tables grade the school's results, using the interpretation codes, from A* (very high) to E* (very low). See the glossary for details.

Non-selective schools with more than $21 \%$ and up to $35 \%$ FSM

Table 5.5 Comparison with benchmarks for schools in similar context (based on FSM, level)

Percentage of pupils reaching level 5 or above

| Percentile | 95 th | Upper <br> Quartile | 60th | 40 th | Lower <br> Quartile | 5thInterp- <br> retation |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| English (tests) | 81 | 67 | 61 | 54 | 49 | 37 | $\mathbf{n} \mathbf{a}$ |
| Mathematics (tests) | 78 | 69 | 65 | 59 | 56 | 45 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| Science (tests) | 71 | 59 | 55 | 50 | 46 | 35 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |

Percentage of pupils reaching level 6 or above

| Percentile | 95 th | Upper <br> Quartile | 60th | 40th | Lower <br> Quartile | 5thInterp- <br> retation |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| English (tests) | 44 | 28 | 23 | 17 | 14 | 7 | $\mathbf{n} \mathbf{a}$ |
| Mathematics (tests) | 55 | 44 | 40 | 35 | 31 | 21 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| Science (tests) | 37 | 25 | 21 | 18 | 15 | 8 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |

## Attainment at Key Stage Three: <br> Comparison with National Benchmarks for Schools in Similar Contexts

## Average points score

The national benchmarks compare your school's results with the performance of others schools nationally. This particular section compares the school's attainment with schools in similar context in tests in English, Mathematics and Science.

Using information published in the Autumn Package two types of benchmark information can be used. Information based on attainment at an earlier key stage, and information based on the percentage of pupils in schools known to be eligible for free school meals.

## Benchmarks based on prior attainment at the end of Key Stage 2

The benchmark group to which An Anonymous Secondary School has been allocated is based on the prior attainment at the end of Key Stage 2 using matched pupil data.

Key Stage 3 pupils in your school had a Key Stage 2 average points score of 27.7. This puts you into the following benchmark group.

Schools that achieved a Key Stage 2 average points score of at least 27 but less than 28 in 2001
Table 5.6 Comparison with national benchmarks for schools in similar context (prior attainment, points)
Average points achieved

| Percentile | 95th | Upper <br> Quartile | 60th | 40th | Lower <br> Quartile | 5th | Interp- <br> retation |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| English (tests) | 36.5 | 34.8 | 34.1 | 33.3 | 32.7 | 31.2 | $\mathbf{0 . 0}$ | $\mathbf{n} \mathbf{a}$ |
| Mathematics (tests) | 38.3 | 37.1 | 36.5 | 35.7 | 35.2 | 33.7 | $\mathbf{0 . 0}$ | $\mathbf{n} \mathbf{a}$ |
| Science (tests) | 36.0 | 34.7 | 34.0 | 33.3 | 32.7 | 31.0 | $\mathbf{0 . 0}$ | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| All core subjects (tests) | 36.4 | 35.1 | 34.5 | 33.8 | 33.3 | 31.9 | $\mathbf{0 . 0}$ | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |

Benchmarks based on pupils known to be eligible for free school meals

Schools are placed into groups for comparison purposes using the proportion of pupils known to be eligible for free school meals. Your free school meal percentage is shown in basic characteristics section of your PANDA.

Non-selective schools with more than $21 \%$ and up to $35 \%$ FSM

Table 5.7 Comparison with benchmarks for school in similar context (FSM, points)
Average points score achieved

| Percentile | 95 th | Upper <br> Quartile | 60th | 40th | Lower <br> Quartile | 5th <br> Interp- <br> retation <br> English (tests) | 35.0 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 32.7 | 31.7 | 30.7 | 30.0 | 28.2 | $\mathbf{n} \mathbf{a}$ |  |  |
| Mathematics (tests) | 36.3 | 34.3 | 33.6 | 32.6 | 32.0 | 30.1 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |
| Science (tests) | 33.9 | 31.9 | 31.2 | 30.5 | 29.7 | 28.0 | $\mathbf{n} \mathbf{a}$ |
| All core subjects (tests) | 34.8 | 32.7 | 31.9 | 31.0 | 30.3 | 28.8 | $\mathbf{n} / \mathbf{a}$ |

## Attainment at GCSE and Equivalent Qualifications: Comparison with National Averages

These figures show GCSE and equivalent results at your school in relation to national averages based on all maintained secondary schools - the same national comparator that has always been used in PANDA Reports and Inspection Reports. Please note: All other comparisons with national averages in the PANDA Report are on the same basis as the Autumn Package.

In 2004 a new points score system was introduced to make it possible to include a broader range of qualifications alongside GCSE. Each qualification contributes a certain amount to the threshold level (see the Glossary for details). If your school offers a broad range of qualifications you may find that your percentage achieving the threshold level changes under this new system. The DfES will publish the percentage achieving the threshold level under the new system in the School and College Achievement and Attainment tables (formerly the Performance tables).

## GCSE \& Equivalent Qualifications

Table 6.1 Comparison with national average (percentages)

|  | GCSE/GNVQ |  |  |  |  |  | GCSE <br> \&all <br> equiv. ${ }^{~}$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | $02 / 04$ | 2004 |
| avg |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |$|$

[^5]
## Attainment at GCSE and Equivalent Qualifications: Comparison with National Averages

The judgements given below are based on comparing your school's performance in the latest academic year in GCSE and all equivalent qualifications with national performance in the latest academic year:
the proportion of pupils obtaining 5 or more grades at $A^{*}$ - $C$ was close to the national average;
the proportion of pupils obtaining 5 or more grades at $A^{*}$ - $G$ was well below the national average.

The judgements given below are based on comparing your school's average of pupil performance in GCSE/GNVQ over the last three years with national pupil performance over the last three years
the proportion of pupils obtaining 5 or more grades at $A^{*}$ - $C$ was close to the national average;
the proportion of pupils obtaining 5 or more grades at $A^{*}$ - $G$ was well below the national average.

## Attainment in GCSE and Equivalent Qualifications: Comparison with National Averages by Gender

## Average Points

The average total points score per pupil on roll is the most comprehensive single measure of pupils' total GCSE attainment. Guidance on the calculation of average points scores is given in the Glossary.

In 2004 a new points score system was introduced to make it possible to include a broader range of qualifications alongside GCSE. To aid interpretation during the transition from the old to the new points score system GCSE/GNVQ under the new points score system is shown for 2004. The column entitled 'GCSE and all equiv' includes a wide range of qualifications such as GCSEs, Key Skills, BTECH, vocational qualification and GNVQs. The DfES will publish the points score for GCSE and all equivalent qualifications in the School and College Achievement and Attainment tables (formerly the Performance tables).

## GCSE \& Equivalent Qualifications using point scores

Table 6.2 Comparison with national average by gender (points)

|  | GCSE/GNVQ |  |  |  |  |  |  | GCSE <br> \&all <br> equiv. ${ }^{1}$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 1}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 2}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 3}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 4}$ <br> (old <br> points) | $\mathbf{2 0 0 2 / 0 4}$ <br> (avg) | $\mathbf{2 0 0 4}$ <br> (new <br> points) | $\mathbf{2 0 0 4}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average point score |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| per 15 year old pupil on roll |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Boys - school | 35.1 | 28.6 | 27.4 | 37.4 | 33.9 | 32.8 | 283.8 | 290.0 |
| Boys - national | 35.8 | 36.4 | 37.2 | 38 | 38.8 | 38.2 | 319.4 | 322 |
| Boys - school difference | -0.7 | -7.8 | -9.8 | -0.6 | -4.9 | -5.4 | -35.6 | -32.0 |
| Girls - school | 32.9 | 32.7 | 36.7 | 38.3 | 36.2 | 36.6 | 297.6 | 297.6 |
| Girls - national | 41 | 41.6 | 42.4 | 43.2 | 44.1 | 43.7 | 355.9 | 358.9 |
| Girls - school difference | -8.1 | -8.7 | -5.7 | -4.9 | -7.9 | -7.1 | -58.3 | -61.3 |
| All pupils - school | 34.2 | 30.9 | 31.8 | 37.9 | 35 | 34.7 | 290.5 | 293.7 |
| (best eight subjects) | - | - | - | $(31.6)$ | $(29.7)$ | - | 244.5 | 246.9 |
| All pupils - national | 38.4 | 39 | 39.8 | 40.6 | 41.4 | 40.7 | 338 | 340.3 |
| (best eight subjects) | - | - | - | $(34.7)$ | $(34.9)$ | - | 281.7 | 282.8 |
| All pupils - school difference | -4.2 | -8.1 | -8.0 | -2.7 | -6.4 | -6.0 | -47.5 | -46.6 |

## Attainment in GCSE and Equivalent Qualifications:

Comparison with National Averages by Gender

## Judgements

The judgements given below are based on comparing your school's average points score in the latest academic year in GCSE and all equivalent qualifications with the national average points score in the latest academic year:
the average points score of boys at your school was below the national median for boys;
the average points score of girls at your school was well below the national median for girls;
the average points score overall at your school was below the national median for all.

The judgements given below are based on comparing your school's average of pupil performance in GCSE/GNVQ over the last three years with national pupil performance over the last 3 years:
the average points score of boys at your school was below the national median for boys;
the average points score of girls at your school was below the national median for girls;
the average points score overall at your school was below the national median for all.

The reliability of all pupil attainment indicators, as a measure of school performance, depends on the number of pupils in a year group: the larger the group the greater the likelihood that differences between school averages and national averages reflect performance factors. Please refer to the Glossary section for more detail.

## Attainment in GCSE/GNVQ: <br> Comparison with National Averages: Trend over Time

## Average Points

The chart below shows the trends in the school's all core subjects GCSE/GNVQ results in recent years, in comparison with the national picture. It shows both the evolution of the school's results year by year and a trend line of the school's results - this trend line is the line of best fit through the school's yearly results. The gradient of the school's trend line is compared with the gradient of the national trend line and a statement made on whether it is below, broadly in line with or above the national trend ${ }^{1}$.

GCSE/GNVQ progress
(Average total GCSE/GNVQ point score per pupil)


The chart is based on Table 6.2 and shows figures for the last five years:
the trend in the school's average total GCSE/GNVQ point score per pupil was broadly in line with the national trend.

[^6]
## Attainment in GCSE/GNVQ: <br> Comparison with National Benchmarks for All Schools

## Percentage of pupils achieving each level and average points scores per pupil

The national benchmarks compare your school's results with the performance of other schools. This particular section compares your school's attainment with all other maintained secondary schools that participated in GCSE/GNVQ in 2004.

The comparisons are achieved by ranking secondary schools for each of the various attainment categories from the highest attaining schools to the lowest. The table then shows both the national spread of attainment and your own school's results (in bold). An interpretation of your school's performance is also given in comparison with the national average, as measured by the median for all schools. Please see the Glossary at the end of this document for a description of these grades.

The comparison with national benchmarks based on the capped average points score is also shown in the table. The average total point score includes all examination entries and can be useful as a comparator of the total achievement of pupils. The detail of the calculation of the capped average points score can be found in the Glossary.

Table 6.3a Comparison of GCSE/GNVQ with national benchmarks for all schools (level/points)


## Attainment in GCSE and Equivalent Qualifications: <br> Comparison with National Benchmarks for All Schools

Percentage of pupils achieving each level and average points scores per pupil

In 2004 a new points score system was introduced to make it possible to include a broader range of qualifications alongside GCSE/GNVQ. Table 6.3 b shows this information. Your school's figures may differ from the figures in table 6.3a if your school offers a wider range of qualifications than just GCSE/GNVQ.

Table 6.3b Comparison of GCSE and equivalent qualifications with national benchmarks (level/points)

| Percentile | 95th | Upper Quartile | 60th |  | 40th |  | Lower Quartile |  | 5th Interpretation |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $5+\mathrm{A}^{*}$ - C | 95 | 65 | 56 | 52 | 45 |  | 37 |  | 23 | C |
| $5+A *-G$ <br> (incl ENG \& MAT) | 99 | 95 | 93 |  | 88 |  | 84 | 80 | 71 | E |
| 1+ A*-G | 100 | 99 | 98 |  | 96 |  | 95 | 90 | 89 | E |
| Average total points score per pupil | 474.1 | 380.0 | 353.6 |  | 320.6 | 293.7 | 288.3 |  | 227.8 | D |
| Average total points score per pupil -capped | 377.3 | 312.1 | 294.4 |  | 270.0 |  | 247.5 | 246.9 | 202.4 | E |

## Attainment at GCSE/GNVQ: <br> Comparison with National Benchmarks for Schools in Similar Contexts

The national benchmarks compare your school's results with the performance of other schools nationally. This particular section compares your school's attainment with schools in a similar context by the numbers of pupils achieving $5+A^{*}-C, 5+A^{*}-G$ and $1+A^{*}-G$, in GCSE/GNVQ. The Autumn Package provides two types of National Benchmark information that group similar schools together; information based on attainment at an earlier key stage, and information based on the percentage of pupils in schools known to be eligible for FSM. More detail is available in the Autumn Package.

The comparison with national benchmarks based on the capped GCSE/GNVQ average points score is also shown in the table. The detail of the calculation of the capped average points score can be found in the Glossary.

## Benchmarks based on prior attainment at the end of Key Stage 3

The benchmark group to which your school has been allocated is based on the attainment of the 2004 cohort in their 2002 key stage 3 examinations. Since the introduction of the unique pupil number (UPN) within the 2003 PLASC the DfES have been able to match pupils between the two key stages.

The table shows a summary of the school's results in bold. The school's results are compared with a percentile distribution of schools with a similar level prior attainment. A grade is given depending on which percentile the school's results fall into. This grade (shown in the final column) sums up the progress made by pupils between key stage 3 and their results in GCSE and all equivalent qualifications (see the glossary for details).

Your school had a key stage 3 average points score of 32.3. This puts you into the following benchmark group.

Schools that achieved a Key Stage 3 average points score of at least 30 but less than 33 in 2002
Table 6.4a Comparison with benchmarks for schools in similar context (prior attainment)

| Percentile | 95th | Upper Quartile |  | 60th |  | 40th | Lower Quartile |  | 5th | Interpretation |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $5+\mathrm{A}$ *-C | 57 | 52 | 43 | 40 |  | 35 | 31 |  | 23 | A |
| $\begin{aligned} & 5+\mathrm{A} *-\mathrm{G} \\ & \text { (incl ENG \& MAT) } \end{aligned}$ | 94 |  | 89 | 87 |  | 83 | 79 | 78 | 72 | E |
| 1+ A*-G | 99 |  | 97 | 96 |  | 94 | 93 | 90 | 88 | E |
| Average total points score per pupil | 43.6 |  | 37.6 | 35.5 | 35.0 | 33.0 | 31.1 |  | 27.0 | C |
| Average total points score per pupil -capped | 35.4 |  | 31.9 | 30.5 | 29.7 | 28.7 | 27.3 |  | 24.2 | C |

## Attainment in GCSE and Equivalent Qualifications: <br> Comparison with National Benchmarks for Schools in Similar Contexts

The national benchmarks compare your school's results with the performance of other schools nationally. This particular section compares your school's attainment with schools in a similar context by the numbers of pupils achieving $5+A^{*}-C, 5+A^{*}-G$ and $1+A^{*}-G$ in GCSE and all equivalent qualifications. The Autumn Package provides two types of National Benchmark information that group similar schools together; information based on attainment at an earlier key stage, and information based on the percentage of pupils in schools known to be eligible for FSM. More detail is available in the Autumn Package.

## Benchmarks based on prior attainment at the end of Key Stage 3

In 2004 a new points score system was introduced to make it possible to include a broader range of qualifications alongside GCSE. Table 6.4 b shows this information. Your school's figures may differ from the figures in table 6.4a if your school offers a wider range of qualifications than just
GCSE/GNVQ.

Schools that achieved a Key Stage 3 average points score of at least 30 but less than 33 in 2002
Table 6.4b Comparison of with benchmarks for schools in similar context (prior attainment)

| Percentile | 95 th | Upper <br> Quartile | 60 th | 40 th | Lower <br> Quartile | 5th Interp- <br> retation |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5+ A*-C | 57 | $\mathbf{5 2}$ | 43 | 40 | 35 | 31 | 23 | $\mathbf{A}$ |
| 5+ A*-G <br> (incl ENG \& MAT) | 94 | 89 | 87 | 83 | $\mathbf{8 0}$ | 79 | 72 | $\mathbf{D}$ |
| $1+A^{*}-G$ | 99 | 97 | 96 | 94 | 93 | $\mathbf{9 0}$ | 88 | $\mathbf{E}$ |
| Average total points <br> score per pupil | 365.3 | 317.2 | 301.0 | $\mathbf{2 9 3 . 7}$ | 280.9 | 266.0 | 234.6 | $\mathbf{C}$ |
| Average total points <br> score per pupil <br> -capped | 290.3 | 264.8 | 255.4 | $\mathbf{2 4 6 . 9}$ | 243.0 | 232.4 | 210.3 | $\mathbf{C}$ |

## Attainment in GCSE/GNVQ: <br> Comparison with National Benchmarks for Schools in Similar Contexts

## Benchmarks based on the percentage of pupils known to be eligible for free school meals

The national benchmarks compare your school's results with the performance of other schools. This particular section compares the attainment at your school in English, mathematics and science tests with schools in a similar context.

The table below shows a summary of the school's GCSE/GNVQ results (shown in bold type) in comparison with the national benchmark information (using data on eligibility for free school meals). The table grades the school's results in this context, using the interpretation codes, from A* (very high) to $\mathrm{E}^{*}$ (very low) as defined in the Glossary section at the end of this report.

The comparison with national benchmarks based on the capped GCSE/GNVQ average points score is shown in the table. The detail of the calculation of the capped average points score can be found in the Glossary.

Non-selective schools with more than $21 \%$ and up to $35 \%$ FSM
Table 6.5a Comparison of GCSE/GNVQ with benchmarks for schools in similar context (FSM)

| Percentile | 95th | Upper Quartile |  | 60th |  |  | 40th | Lower Quartile |  | 5th Interpretation |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $5+\mathrm{A}^{*}-\mathrm{C}$ | 63 | 52 | 44 |  | 39 |  | 32 | 28 |  | 19 | A |
| $5+A^{*}-\mathrm{G}$ <br> (incl ENG \& MAT) | 96 |  | 89 |  | 85 |  | 81 | 78 | 78 | 66 | E |
| 1+ A*-G | 99 |  | 97 |  | 96 |  | 94 | 92 | 90 | 85 | E |
| Average total points score per pupil | 48.2 |  | 37.2 | 35.0 | 34.6 |  | 31.6 | 29.3 |  | 24.0 | B |
| Average total points score per pupil -capped | 38.1 |  | 31.8 |  | 29.8 | 29.7 | 27.5 | 25.9 |  | 22.1 | C |

## Attainment at GCSE/GNVQ and Equivalence: <br> Comparison with National Benchmarks for Schools in Similar Contexts

Benchmarks based on the percentage of pupils known to be eligible for free school meals

The national benchmarks compare your school's results with the performance of other schools. This particular section compares the attainment at your school in English, mathematics and science tests with schools in a similar context.

In 2004 a new points score system was introduced to make it possible to include a broader range of qualifications alongside GCSE. Table 6.5 b shows this information. Your school's figures may differ from the figures in Table 6.5a if your school offers a wide range of qualifications than just
GCSE/GNVQ.

Non-selective schools with more than $21 \%$ and up to $35 \%$ FSM
Table 6.5b Comparison of with benchmarks for schools in similar context (FSM)

| Percentile | 95th |  | Upper uartile | 60th |  | 40th |  | Lower uartile |  | 5th Interpretation |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $5+\mathrm{A}^{*}-\mathrm{C}$ | 63 | 52 | 44 | 39 |  | 32 |  | 28 |  | 19 | A |
| $5+\mathrm{A}^{*}-\mathrm{G}$ <br> (incl ENG \& MAT) | 96 |  | 89 | 85 |  | 81 | 80 | 78 |  | 66 | D |
| $1+A^{*}-\mathrm{G}$ | 99 |  | 97 | 96 |  | 94 |  | 92 | 90 | 86 | E |
| Average total points score per pupil | 394.9 |  | 315.4 | 294.8 | 293.7 | 272.8 |  | 254.6 |  | 213.6 | C |
| Average total points score per pupil -capped | 306.9 |  | 263.5 | 249.0 | 246.9 | 234.1 |  | 222.1 |  | 194.9 | C |

## Attainment at Key Stage Four: <br> Comparison with National Benchmarks: Value Added Measure Between KS2 and KS4

Value added measures compare the relative progress made by pupils in your school between two key stages with the progress made by pupils nationally between Key Stage 2 and Key Stage 4. The tables below show your school's value added score benchmarked against all schools nationally.

The value added measure from Key Stage 2 to the capped GCSE and all equivalent qualifications points score is shown below. 2004 is the first year that this measure is available. The validated version of this score will be shown in the School and College Achievement and Attainment tables. The measure centres around 1000.

The significance which can be attached to the school's value added measure depends, among other factors, on the percentage of pupils included in the calculation. The higher the percentage the more confidence can be placed on the value added measure as an indicator of whether the effectiveness of the school is above or below average.

The coverage of the matched pupil level data between KS2 and KS4 is $\mathbf{9 5 \%}$.

Another factor which needs to be considered in assessing the value added measure is mobility (conversely stability). All pupils with matched KS2 and KS4 data are included in the value added measure regardless of the school they attended for KS2.

## Comparison with National average

Table 6.6 Value added measure: in comparison with national distribution

| Percentile | 95th | Upper <br> Quartile | 60th | 40th | Lower <br> Quartile |  | 5th | Interp- <br> retation |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | 1027.0 | 1003.7 | 993.4 | 980.2 | 967.2 | $\mathbf{9 6 1 . 5}$ | 936.9 | $\mathbf{E}$ |

## Attainment at Key Stage Four: <br> Comparison with National Benchmarks: Value Added Measure Between KS3 and KS4

Value added measures compare the relative progress made by pupils in your school between two key stages with the progress made by pupils nationally between Key Stage 3 and Key Stage 4. The tables below show your school's value added score benchmarked against all schools nationally.

A value added measure for Key Stage 3 to Key Stage 4 has been available since 2002. For details on the methodology for calculating this measure please refer to the Glossary.

The value added measure from Key Stage 3 to the capped GCSE and all equivalent qualifications points score is shown below. The validated version of this score will be shown in the School and College Achievement and Attainment tables. The measure centres around 1000.

The significance which can be attached to the school's value added measure depends, among other factors, on the percentage of pupils included in the calculation. The higher the percentage the more confidence can be placed on the value added measure as an indicator of whether the effectiveness of the school is above or below average.

The coverage of the matched pupil level data between KS3 and KS4 is $\mathbf{9 9 \%}$.

Another factor which needs to be considered in assessing the value added measure is mobility (conversely stability). All pupils with matched KS3 and KS4 data are included in the value added measure regardless of the school they attended for KS3.

It is important to note that the Key Stage 2 to Key Stage 3 value added measure and the Key Stage 3 to Key Stage 4 value added measure are based on different cohorts of pupils.

Comparison with National average
Table 6.7 Value added measure: in comparison with national distribution

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Percentile | 95 th | Upper <br> Quartile | 60 th | 40th | Lower <br> Quartile |  | 5th | Interp- <br> retation |
|  | 1019.5 | 1001.6 | 994.7 | 986.2 | 979.2 | $\mathbf{9 7 2 . 0}$ | 960.0 | E |

## VALUE ADDED MEDIAN - Key Stage 2 to Key Stage 4 (Capped)



## VALUE ADDED MEDIAN - Key Stage 3 to Key Stage 4 (Capped)



## Attainment in GCSE: <br> Comparison with National Averages By Subjects

A Subject Indicator Report is provided at page P-0. This contains information on pupils' attainment in the subjects taken in their GCSEs. It also provides information on pupils' relative performance in different GCSE subjects, in particular, giving comparisons of pupils' performances in each subject with the performance of the same pupils in the other subjects they took. The charts below show the percentage of pupils in your school taking each number of GCSE full subjects compared to the percentage nationally.

The percentage of pupils taking at least one GCSE full course is $\mathbf{9 1 \%}$.

## Number of GCSE Full Courses Taken (boys) School vs National



Number of GCSE Full Courses Taken (girls)
School vs National



## Attainment in GCSE: <br> Additional statistics: attainment in GCSE short courses

Information on attainment in GCSE short courses can give inspectors a more complete picture of overall attainment and achievement in the school. The table below displays the standard measures of attainment for GCSE short courses, and measures of participation and uptake for this type of exam.

Table 6.8 Standards in Key Stage 4 (short courses)

| Short Courses |  | Boys |  | Girls |  | All |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| \% of GCSE cohort taking short courses | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(45.2)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(47.3)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(46.2)$ |
| \% of candidates doing 1 short course | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(74.6)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(73.6)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(74.1)$ |
| \% of candidates doing 2 short courses | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(22.9)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(23.8)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(23.4)$ |
| \% of candidates doing 3 or more short courses | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(2.5)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(2.6)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(2.6)$ |
| Average points score per candidate | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(20.2)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(22.9)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(21.6)$ |
| Average points score per entry | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(15.7)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(17.7)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(16.8)$ |
| \% of entries graded A* to C | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(37.0)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(47.5)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(42.4)$ |
| \% of entries graded A* to G | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(77.0)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(80.7)$ | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{a}$ | $(78.9)$ |

Figures in brackets refer to the corresponding national values.

## Additional Information

## Attendance

## Comparison with National Averages

The figures in the table below show pupils' absence and attendance at your school over a three year period in comparison with national averages.

Table 7.1 The school's attendance information

|  | $\mathbf{2 0 0 1 / 0 2}$ <br> Attendance <br> Rate | $\mathbf{2 0 0 2 / 0 3}$ <br> Attendance <br> Rate | Attendance <br> Rate | Authorised <br> Absence | Unauthorised <br> Absence |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| School | 88.1 | 90.7 | 90.7 | 8.4 | 0.9 |
| England (secondary) | 91.0 | 91.7 | 91.9 | 6.9 | 1.1 |
| School difference | -2.9 | -1.0 | -1.2 | 1.5 | -0.2 |

Where attendance falls below 92 percent for the school, or 90 per cent in any year group, an analysis of the patterns of absence and their effect on attainment needs to be undertaken. This analysis may show whether poor attendance or punctuality affects particular groups of pupils. Details of national attendance rates appear in the NSDR

## Comparison with National Benchmarks for All Schools

The interpretations below are based on comparisons of the school's attendance with the national distribution. Please note: the judgements are not based on the national figures shown in the table above.

Thus, on the basis of the 2003/2004 figures:
the attendance rate at the school in the 2003/2004 academic year was below the national median;
the rate of unauthorised absence at the school, in the same year, was broadly in line with the national median.

The possible judgements for attendance rates are the same as the percentile thresholds underpinning interpretations listed in the Glossary, and therefore the interpretation categories elsewhere in the PANDA.

The possible judgements for unauthorised absence are:
well above the national median (within the range of the top $10 \%$ of schools across the country); above the national median (within the range of the top $35 \%$ of schools across the country but not the top 10\%);
broadly in line with the national median (differences from the national average are unlikely to be statistically significant);
below the national median (within the range of the bottom $35 \%$ of schools across the country but not the lowest $10 \%$ );
well below the national median (within the range of the bottom $10 \%$ of schools across the country).

The School's Context

## THESE DATA ARE FOR BACKGROUND INFORMATION ONLY. THEY ARE NOT USED FOR ANY CALCULATIONS IN YOUR PANDA REPORT

Information from the Census of Population about the economic, social and demographic characteristics of the catchment area can be a useful supplement to the Basic Characteristics on page 8. The Census of Population gives indicators related to potential educational advantage (e.g. the number of adults with higher educational qualifications) as well as potential disadvantage (e.g. children in overcrowded households) of the area around the school.

The table below shows some key indicators for up to 10 wards that contribute the greatest proportion of the school's pupils, for which we have been able to match pupil data with their home postcodes, together with the national averages for the indicators.

83\% of pupils attending An Anonymous Secondary School live in the wards shown in the table.
Table 7.2 The school's context: census information

|  | \% <br> Pupils <br> in ward | \% Adult <br> higher <br> education | \% High <br> social class <br> households | \% Minority <br> ethnic <br> children | \% <br> Overcrowded <br> households |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ward 1 | 14.1 | 10.1 | 10.6 | 2.0 | 12.3 |
| Ward 2 | 12.7 | 5.1 | 5.3 | 1.9 | 18.6 |
| Ward 3 | 12.4 | 12.1 | 15.4 | 2.9 | 11.0 |
| Ward 4 | 9.9 | 14.3 | 15.3 | 4.5 | 10.5 |
| Ward 5 | 9.2 | 16.0 | 16.5 | 2.6 | 7.0 |
| Ward 6 | 7.6 | 10.2 | 11.0 | 2.8 | 13.1 |
| Ward 7 | 4.7 | 16.4 | 22.4 | 1.4 | 13.6 |
| Ward 8 | 4.5 | 8.5 | 3.1 | 4.7 |  |
| Ward 9 | 4.2 | 16.9 | 21.2 | 4.3 | 12.8 |
| Ward 10 | 3.9 | 19.8 | 20.7 | 10.3 | 4.2 |
| England |  |  |  | 15.1 |  |

When interpreting the census information you should remember:

- the school may draw its pupils from a wider catchment area than the ward in which the school is situated; or, indeed, the set of wards shown in the table;
- the school's pupils may not always come from families representative of the wards where they live.

Only a small amount of census information is shown in the PANDA report to complement information about the school's pupils in the Basic Characteristics section (page 8).

Whilst there is a correlation between pupils' background and their attainment, the socio-economic data should not be used as a definitive measure of the capabilities of an individual pupil or their attainment on entry to the school. However, together with the indicators shown in the Basic Characteristics (page 8) they can give a broad proxy indication of pupils' backgrounds.

In some cases, schools may find they are classified in the incorrect ward, or that their ward has changed. Schools should use data for the wards appropriate to their individual circumstances.

## Additional Information

## The Inward Mobility

## THESE DATA ARE FOR BACKGROUND INFORMATION ONLY. THEY ARE NOT USED FOR ANY CALCULATIONS IN YOUR PANDA.

The information is derived from the date of joining school variable from the 2004 Pupil Level Annual School Census (PLASC) in January.

The table and the chart show the percentage of pupils, by year group and the year they joined the school. Looking down any of the year group columns shows the proportion of pupils who joined in each year. The emboldened figure at the bottom of each column shows the proportion of pupils in each year group who started in the first year group at An Anonymous Secondary School and have remained.

Table 7.3 Inward Mobility

|  | Pupils in (\%) |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  | Year 11 | Year 10 | Year 9 | Year 8 | Year 7 |
|  | $2003 / 04$ | 2.4 | 0.8 | 3.1 | 2.5 | $\mathbf{9 8 . 6 0}$ |
| \% of pupils joined | $2002 / 03$ | 4.7 | 3.3 | 6.9 | $\mathbf{9 6 . 9 0}$ |  |
| before the 1st | $2001 / 02$ | 2.4 | 2.5 | $\mathbf{8 9 . 3 0}$ |  |  |
| October of each | $2000 / 01$ | 3.9 | $\mathbf{9 2 . 6 0}$ |  |  |  |
| year | $1999 / 00$ | $\mathbf{8 6 . 6 0}$ |  |  |  |  |

The figures in each column may not add to $100 \%$. The missing pupils are those who joined the school after 30th September 2003 and before the PLASC data were submitted in January.

| The percentage of pupils who did not join a secondary school |  |  |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| in the first year by year group | $\square$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { School }\end{array}$ |
| $\begin{array}{l}\text { National }\end{array}$ |  |  |



The school figure for each year group in the chart is an aggregation of the percentage of pupils who did not join the school in the first year. Pupils who joined the school after 30th September 2003 are not included.

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## *These tables appear for mixed gender schools only

## Subject Indicators

## Please read this section carefully before using the data.

Purpose
This section of the PANDA gives more detailed information on the performance of the school's pupils in their GCSE examinations.

This section will assist schools and inspectors in their analysis of pupils' progress at the school. For each subject, the report gives the percentage of pupils achieving each of the possible grades, the distribution of grades achieved nationally, and an analysis of the statistical significance ${ }^{1}$ of any differences between the school's performance and the national picture. It also shows the performance of the school's pupils in each subject relative to other subjects they took.

Data Content
Please note that:

- The calculation of the percentage of pupils reaching each level, and of the Average Points Scores (APS) are exactly the same as elsewhere in the PANDA. Grades such as U, X, Q, P, N etc are included in the Average Points Scores calculations with a value of zero. The average points score is shown using the new points score equivalencies introduced in 2004 (see the Glossary for details).
- Data are shown only where cohorts entered for examination are 20 pupils or more. This applies to all the tables (and accompanying graphs), and there may be entries against a subject at 'All School' level, but not for boys and/or girls separately.
- Tables S1, S2, S3 and S4 will only appear for mixed gender schools.
- The information is based on the GCSE public examinations data collected by DfES for 2004.
- National results, where shown, are for all students in maintained schools in England entered for that examination.

Guide to the tables and graphs

## Subject Classifications

This table shows how subjects are grouped into subject areas for the purposes of the Subject Indicator Report.

## Table S5

The information shown, for each subject, are:

- the percentages of pupils achieving different grades;
- summary statistics of the percentages achieving $A^{*}-C$ and $A^{*}-G$ grades;
- The number of pupils entered for examination, and this entry expressed as a percentage of the 15 year old cohort (that is aged 15 at the start of the academic year);
- pupils' average GCSE points score in the subject.

[^7]Figures are given to one decimal place. For each of these entries, the school information is complemented by comparative national data. A test of the statistical significance of differences between the percentage of pupils achieving $A^{*}$ to C grades in the school and nationally, is also shown. This takes into account the numbers of pupils taking each subject. If there is a significant difference, the legend 'SIG' appears; where the difference is not statistically significant, the column is blank.

Immediately following Table S 5 is a graphical representation of the information in the 'Grade Distribution' section of the table. These charts give a good overview of the school's subject results in comparison with national norms. They show, for each subject taken by one third or more of the school cohort, the grade distribution of the school's results (dark shade) alongside the grade distribution for the subject nationally (light shade).

Tables S3 and S1 and the graphs that accompany them, show exactly the same information as table S5, but for girls and boys respectively.

## Table S6

Shows how pupils perform in each subject relative to the other GCSE subjects they take. The RPI is only shown where more than $1 / 3$ of pupils took the exam.

Using Music as an example the table will show the following information

- Subject - Average points score in Music.
- Other subjects - Average points score in all other subjects for those pupils who took Music.
- Difference - The difference between 'subject' and 'other subject' in the school and nationally.
- RPI (relative performance indicator) - To filter out the effect of some examinations being inherently easier or more difficult than others, the RPI is used. This indicates the difference in attainment between Music and other subjects taken in the school compared to the national picture. It is calculated as: (School difference (Music v Other subjects)) - (National difference (Music v Other subjects)) = RPI
- Significance - Tells you with $95 \%$ confidence whether or not the difference between attainment in Music and attainment in other subjects taken by Music pupils in the school is significantly different from the national picture ${ }^{2}$.

Immediately following Table S 6 is a graphical representation of the information in the 'Relative Performance Indicator' section of the table. Tables S4 and S2 and the graphs that accompany them, show exactly the same information as table S6, but for girls and boys respectively.

Please note:

- The RPI measure gives an indication of pupil progress in a subject relative to other subjects. In every school there will always be some variability in progress between different subjects. It should be recognised that the information does not give clues to overall progress across the whole curriculum; only to relative progress within different subjects.
- RPI figures are not comparable between subjects. A figure of 1.12 may be significant in relation to Biology, whereas a similar RPI in Art and Design may not be significant. This is because the test takes account of the number of students taking the examination, and the national pattern of distribution of their results.

[^8]
## Subject Classifications

| Subject Area | Subjects used |
| :---: | :---: |
| Art and Design | ART AND DESIGN |
|  | ART AND DESIGN (DRAWING \& PAINTING) |
|  | ART \& DESIGN (GRAPHICS) |
|  | ART AND DESIGN (PHOTO) |
|  | ART AND DESIGN (POTTERY) |
|  | ART AND DESIGN (PRINTING) |
|  | ART AND DESIGN (TEXTILES) |
|  | ART AND DESIGN (3D STUDIES) |
|  | ART AND DESIGN (CRITICAL STUDIES) |
|  | CRAFT |
|  | ART |
|  | CREATIVE ARTS |
| Biology | BIOLOGY |
|  | BIOLOGY (HUMAN) |
| Business Studies | BUSINESS STUDIES (SINGLE) |
|  | BUSINESS STUDIES AND ECONOMICS |
| Chemistry | CHEMISTRY |
| Classical Studies | CLASSICAL CIVILISATION |
|  | CLASSICAL GREEK |
|  | LATIN |
|  | OTHER CLASSICAL LANGUAGES |
| Combined Business Studies | FRENCH AND BUSINESS STUDIES (COMBINED) |
|  | GERMAN AND BUSINESS STUDIES (COMBINED) |
|  | SPANISH \& BUSINESS STUDIES (COMBINED) |
|  | GEOGRAPHY AND BUSINESS STUDIES (COMBINED) |
| Combined Design and Technology | DESIGN/TECHNOLOGY \& ART (COMBINED) |
|  | DESIGN/TECHNOLOGY (COMBINED) |
|  | DESIGN TECHNOLOGY \& CATERING (COMBINED) |
|  | DESIGN/TECHNOLOGY (COMBINED) |
|  | DESIGN/TECHNOLOGY \& IT (COMBINED) |
|  | D\&T ELECTRONIC PRODUCTS AND BUSINESS STUDIES (COMBINED) |
|  | D\&T FOOD TECHNOLOGY \& BUSINESS STUDIES |
|  | D\&T GRAPHIC PRODUCTS \& BUSINESS STUDIES |
|  | D\&T RESISTANT MATERIALS TECHNOLOGY \& BUSINESS |
|  | D\&T TEXTILES TECHNOLOGY \&BUSINESS STUDIES (COMBINED) |
| Combined Information Technology | IT AND BUSINESS STUDIES (COMBINED) |
| Combined Science - Double Award | SCIENCE DOUBLE AWARD A |
|  | SCIENCE DOUBLE AWARD B |
| Combined Science - Single Award | SCIENCE SINGLE AWARD |
| Combined Studies | GEOGRAPHY AND HISTORY (COMBINED) |
| Communication Studies | COMMUNICATION STUDIES |
|  | EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND PERFORMANCE STUDIES |
|  | MEDIA FILM TV STUDIES |


| Subject Area <br> As listed in the Subject Indicator report | Subjects used |
| :---: | :---: |
| Dance | DANCE |
| Design and Technology | DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY |
|  | D\&T ELECTRONIC PRODUCTS |
|  | D\&T FOOD TECHNOLOGY |
|  | D\&T GRAPHIC PRODUCTS |
|  | D\&T RESISTANT MATERIALS |
|  | D\&T TEXTILES TECHNOLOGY |
|  | D\&T SYSTEMS \& CONTROL |
|  | D\&T ENGINEERING |
| Drama | DRAMA AND THEATRE STUDIES |
| Economics | ECONOMICS |
| English / English Language | ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE |
| English Literature | ENGLISH LITERATURE |
| French | FRENCH |
| General Studies | GENERAL STUDIES |
| Geography | GEOGRAPHY |
|  | ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES SINGLE |
| German | GERMAN |
| History | HISTORY |
| Home Economics | CHILD DEVELOPMENT |
|  | FOOD |
|  | TEXTILES |
| Humanities | HUMANITIES SINGLE |
| Information Technology | COMPUTER STUDIES/COMPUTING |
|  | INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY |
|  | INFORMATION STUDIES |
| Mathematics | MATHEMATICS |
|  | ADDITIONAL MATHEMATICS |
| Music | MUSIC |
| Other Languages | WELSH (SECOND LANGUAGE) |
|  | IRISH |
|  | DUTCH |
|  | ITALIAN |
|  | MODERN GREEK |
|  | PORTUGUESE |
|  | ARABIC |
|  | BENGALI |
|  | CHINESE |
|  | GUJARATI |
|  | JAPANESE |
|  | MODERN HEBREW |
|  | PUNJABI |
|  | POLISH |
|  | RUSSIAN |
|  | TURKISH |
|  | URDU |
|  | PERSIAN |
|  | OTHER LANGUAGES |
| Other Sciences | SCIENCE AGRICULTURAL \& HORTICULTURE |
|  | SCIENCE ASTRONOMY |
|  | SCIENCE ELECTRONICS |
|  | SCIENCE GEOLOGY |
|  | PSYCHOLOGY (AS A SCIENCE) |
|  | SCIENCE RURAL |
| Other Social Studies | ARCHAEOLOGY |


| Subject Area | LAW |
| :--- | :--- |
| As listed in the Subject Indicator report |  |
|  | PERSONAL \& SOCIAL EDUCATION used |
|  | GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS |
|  | PSYCHOLOGY |
| Other Workshop Subjects | MOTOR VEHICLE STUDIES |
| Physical Education/Sports Studies | PHYSICAL EDUCATION/SPORTS STUDIES |
| Physics | PHYSICS |
| Religious Studies / Education | RELIGIOUS STUDIES |
| Social Science | SOCIAL SCIENCE |
| Sociology | SOCIOLOGY |
| Spanish | SPANISH |
| Statistics | STATISTICS |
| Vocational Studies | ACCOUNTING /FINANCE |
|  | CATERING STUDIES |
|  | COMMERCE OFFICE STUDIES |
|  | KEYBOARDING APPLICATION |
|  | NAUTICAL STUDIES |
|  | PHOTOGRAPHY |
|  | TOURISM |

TABLE S5(1): GCSE RESULTS FOR 15 YEAR OLDS(1) FOR 2004 (3) BY SUBJECT

- School Results SCHOOL RESULTS AGAINST FOR ALL MAINTAINED SECONDARY SCHOOLS - ALL
- National Results

| Subject Area | Percentage Achieving Grades |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Percent <br> A* - C <br> grades | Percent <br> A-G <br> grades | Number of 15(1) year old pupils entered | Average point score(2) | Entry as percentage of the Cohort | Point per 15(1) year old pupil | $\% A^{*}-C$ significance test |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A* | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | U |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Art and Design | 0.0 | 11.5 | 17.3 | 42.3 | 9.6 | 3.8 | 7.7 | 5.8 | 0.0 | 71.2 | 98.1 | 52 | 37.8 | 41.3 | 15.6 |  |
|  | 4.7 | 13.3 | 19.7 | 27.6 | 14.4 | 10.0 | 5.9 | 2.6 | 0.5 | 65.2 | 98.1 | 131749 | 39.1 | 20.6 | 8.1 |  |
| Combined Science - Double Award | 0.0 | 8.2 | 18.4 | 63.3 | 8.2 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 89.8 | 100.0 | 49 | 41.2 | 38.9 | 16.0 | Sig |
|  | 3.5 | 7.6 | 12.7 | 28.4 | 19.8 | 14.0 | 8.1 | 3.6 | 2.2 | 52.2 | 97.7 | 456970 | 36.2 | 71.4 | 25.8 |  |
| Combined Science - Single Award | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.8 | 11.1 | 25.4 | 31.7 | 19.0 | 7.9 | 4.8 | 92.1 | 63 | 22.8 | 50.0 | 11.4 | Sig |
|  | 0.2 | 0.7 | 2.0 | 12.1 | 18.0 | 23.7 | 21.8 | 12.2 | 8.5 | 15.0 | 90.7 | 50731 | 25.7 | 7.9 | 2.0 |  |
| Computer Studies | 0.0 | 5.6 | 26.8 | 19.7 | 11.3 | 11.3 | 8.5 | 8.5 | 8.5 | 52.1 | 91.5 | 71 | 33.3 | 56.3 | 18.8 |  |
|  | 3.6 | 10.5 | 16.9 | 24.1 | 15.5 | 10.7 | 8.2 | 5.4 | 4.6 | 55.1 | 94.7 | 74366 | 35.8 | 11.6 | 4.2 |  |
| Design and Technology | 0.0 | 3.7 | 9.2 | 21.1 | 31.2 | 14.7 | 11.9 | 5.5 | 2.8 | 33.9 | 97.2 | 109 | 32.8 | 86.5 | 28.4 | Sig |
|  | 2.9 | 12.0 | 15.0 | 24.8 | 19.8 | 11.4 | 6.6 | 3.6 | 3.0 | 54.7 | 96.2 | 392860 | 36.7 | 61.3 | 22.5 |  |
| English / English Language | 0.9 | 6.1 | 14.0 | 36.0 | 19.3 | 8.8 | 2.6 | 6.1 | 6.1 | 57.0 | 93.9 | 114 | 35.1 | 90.5 | 31.8 |  |
|  | 3.1 | 10.2 | 18.5 | 26.0 | 20.0 | 11.5 | 6.0 | 2.6 | 1.7 | 57.7 | 97.9 | 554391 | 37.7 | 86.6 | 32.7 |  |
| English Literature | 0.0 | 1.3 | 16.3 | 51.3 | 17.5 | 5.0 | 6.3 | 0.0 | 2.5 | 68.8 | 97.5 | 80 | 37.3 | 63.5 | 23.7 |  |
|  | 3.3 | 11.6 | 20.9 | 26.2 | 17.0 | 10.4 | 5.5 | 2.5 | 2.2 | 62.0 | 97.4 | 492028 | 38.3 | 76.8 | 29.4 |  |
| French | 0.0 | 13.5 | 18.9 | 32.4 | 24.3 | 10.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 64.9 | 100.0 | 37 | 40.0 | 29.4 | 11.7 | Sig |
|  | 4.1 | 8.2 | 13.1 | 21.5 | 19.8 | 14.9 | 10.4 | 5.7 | 1.6 | 47.0 | 97.8 | 259975 | 35.4 | 40.6 | 14.4 |  |
| Geography | 0.0 | 20.0 | 25.0 | 15.0 | 10.0 | 20.0 | 5.0 | 0.0 | 5.0 | 60.0 | 95.0 | 20 | 38.0 | 15.9 | 6.0 |  |
|  | 5.8 | 12.2 | 16.1 | 24.7 | 16.2 | 11.0 | 6.7 | 3.8 | 3.1 | 58.7 | 96.5 | 176731 | 37.7 | 27.6 | 10.4 |  |
| Mathematics | 2.6 | 8.8 | 13.2 | 16.7 | 12.3 | 14.0 | 15.8 | 8.8 | 6.1 | 41.2 | 92.1 | 114 | 31.8 | 90.5 | 28.8 |  |
|  | 3.3 | 7.2 | 17.3 | 22.3 | 17.5 | 15.5 | 9.3 | 4.0 | 3.2 | 50.0 | 96.3 | 560542 | 35.5 | 87.5 | 31.0 |  |
| Physical Education/Sports Studies | 4.5 | 0.0 | 13.6 | 22.7 | 45.5 | 9.1 | 0.0 | 4.5 | 0.0 | 40.9 | 100.0 | 22 | 36.7 | 17.5 | 6.4 |  |
|  | 3.8 | 11.9 | 19.8 | 21.5 | 24.3 | 12.4 | 4.5 | 1.2 | 0.3 | 57.0 | 99.4 | 116617 | 39.0 | 18.2 | 7.1 |  |
| Religious Studies/Education | 0.0 | 6.1 | 16.2 | 30.3 | 20.2 | 15.2 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 2.0 | 52.5 | 98.0 | 99 | 35.7 | 78.6 | 28.1 | Sig |
|  | 6.8 | 16.0 | 20.4 | 19.0 | 13.9 | 9.8 | 6.7 | 3.9 | 2.5 | 62.3 | 96.6 | 112224 | 38.8 | 17.5 | 6.8 |  |
| Total | 1.3 | 6.3 | 14.3 | 28.6 | 17.8 | 11.9 | 9.1 | 6.0 | 4.2 | 50.5 | 95.2 | 872 | 34.4 |  |  |  |
|  | 4.1 | 10.7 | 17.2 | 24.4 | 17.9 | 12.1 | 7.2 | 3.6 | 2.4 | 56.3 | 97.1 | 4230644 | 37.2 |  |  |  |

(1) Aged 15 on $31 / 8 / 2003$

- less than 100 candidates
(2) Calculated on the following point basis $A^{*}=58, A=52, B=46, C=40, D=34, E=28, F=22, G=16$
x information not available
(3) Including attempts and achievements by these pupils in previous academic years


## Distribution of Mathematics Results



School
National

Distribution of English / English Language Results


School

Distribution of Design and Technology Results


School
National

## Distribution of Religious Studies/Education Results



Distribution of English Literature Results


School

Distribution of Computer Studies Results


School
National

Distribution of Combined Science - Single Award Results


School
National

Distribution of Art and Design Results


School

Distribution of Combined Science - Double Award Results


School
National

TABLE S6(1): SUBJECT PERFORMANCE INDICATOR - ALL

| Subject Area | School <br> Average | Average in all other Subjects | School Difference | National Difference | Relative Performance Indicator | Significance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Art and Design | 37.85 | 31.65 | 6.19 | 3.28 | 2.91 | Sig |
| Combined Science - Double Award | 41.22 | 42.51 | -1.28 | -0.36 | -0.92 |  |
| Combined Science - Single Award | 22.83 | 27.97 | -5.14 | -1.84 | -3.30 | Sig |
| Design and Technology | 32.79 | 35.82 | -3.03 | 0.22 | -3.25 | Sig |
| English / English Language | 35.12 | 34.67 | 0.46 | 2.03 | -1.57 | Sig |
| English Literature | 37.35 | 38.75 | -1.40 | 1.05 | -2.45 | Sig |
| French | 40.00 | 43.29 | -3.29 | -3.68 |  |  |
| Geography | 38.00 | 39.28 | -1.28 | -0.97 |  |  |
| Information Technology | 33.32 | 36.13 | -2.80 | -2.16 | -0.64 |  |
| Mathematics | 31.79 | 35.14 | -3.35 | -0.34 | -3.01 | Sig |
| Physical Education/Sports Studies | 36.73 | 33.54 | 3.19 | 3.14 |  |  |
| Religious Studies / Education | 35.74 | 36.19 | -0.45 | -0.45 | 0.00 |  |

Relative Performance Indicator


TABLE S1(1): GCSE RESULTS FOR 15 YEAR OLDS(1) FOR 2004 (3) BY SUBJECT

- School Results SCHOOL RESULTS AGAINST FOR ALL MAINTAINED SECONDARY SCHOOLS - BOY
- National Results

| Subject Area | Percentage Achieving Grades |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Percent $A^{*}-C$ <br> grades | Percent <br> A-G <br> grades | Number of 15(1) year old pupils entered | Average point score(2) | Entry as percentage of the Cohort | Point per 15(1) year old pupil | $\% A^{*}-C$ significance test |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A* | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | U |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Combined Science - Double Award | 0.0 | 12.0 | 20.0 | 56.0 | 12.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 88.0 | 100.0 | 25 | 41.9 | 38.5 | 16.1 | Sig |
|  | 3.1 | 7.1 | 12.6 | 28.5 | 20.3 | 14.1 | 8.2 | 3.7 | 2.3 | 51.3 | 97.5 | 226161 | 35.9 | 69.5 | 24.9 |  |
| Combined Science - Single Award | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.9 | 8.8 | 26.5 | 41.2 | 14.7 | 5.9 | 2.9 | 94.1 | 34 | 23.0 | 52.3 | 12.0 |  |
|  | 0.1 | 0.4 | 1.5 | 10.6 | 17.5 | 24.0 | 22.7 | 13.0 | 9.3 | 12.6 | 89.8 | 25270 | 24.9 | 7.8 | 1.9 |  |
| Computer Studies | 0.0 | 5.4 | 13.5 | 18.9 | 18.9 | 13.5 | 13.5 | 10.8 | 5.4 | 37.8 | 94.6 | 37 | 31.5 | 56.9 | 17.9 |  |
|  | 3.0 | 9.3 | 15.7 | 23.6 | 16.1 | 11.6 | 8.9 | 6.0 | 5.1 | 51.7 | 94.2 | 43394 | 34.9 | 13.3 | 4.7 |  |
| Design and Technology | 0.0 | 3.6 | 0.0 | 19.6 | 42.9 | 14.3 | 14.3 | 5.4 | 0.0 | 23.2 | 100.0 | 56 | 32.3 | 86.2 | 27.8 | Sig |
|  | 1.7 | 7.8 | 12.5 | 24.2 | 22.2 | 13.7 | 8.3 | 4.7 | 4.0 | 46.2 | 95.1 | 200337 | 34.4 | 61.5 | 21.2 |  |
| English / English Language | 1.7 | 8.5 | 10.2 | 32.2 | 22.0 | 11.9 | 1.7 | 5.1 | 6.8 | 52.5 | 93.2 | 59 | 34.9 | 90.8 | 31.7 |  |
|  | 2.1 | 7.7 | 15.6 | 24.6 | 21.6 | 14.0 | 8.1 | 3.7 | 2.2 | 50.0 | 97.4 | 276132 | 35.9 | 84.8 | 30.4 |  |
| English Literature | 0.0 | 2.4 | 14.6 | 41.5 | 24.4 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 0.0 | 2.4 | 58.5 | 97.6 | 41 | 36.5 | 63.1 | 23.0 |  |
|  | 2.3 | 8.8 | 18.2 | 25.4 | 18.5 | 12.6 | 7.3 | 3.6 | 2.9 | 54.6 | 96.6 | 237535 | 36.4 | 73.0 | 26.6 |  |
| Mathematics | 3.4 | 8.5 | 6.8 | 16.9 | 10.2 | 22.0 | 16.9 | 10.2 | 3.4 | 35.6 | 94.9 | 59 | 31.3 | 90.8 | 28.4 | Sig |
|  | 3.5 | 7.1 | 16.5 | 22.1 | 17.4 | 15.7 | 9.6 | 4.1 | 3.4 | 49.2 | 96.1 | 280821 | 35.3 | 86.3 | 30.4 |  |
| Religious Studies/Education | 0.0 | 6.1 | 10.2 | 26.5 | 24.5 | 20.4 | 4.1 | 8.2 | 0.0 | 42.9 | 100.0 | 49 | 34.7 | 75.4 | 26.2 |  |
|  | 4.1 | 12.3 | 18.2 | 19.3 | 15.4 | 11.7 | 8.7 | 5.4 | 3.7 | 54.0 | 95.2 | 47454 | 36.2 | 14.6 | 5.3 |  |
| Total | 1.8 | 6.8 | 9.5 | 26.1 | 21.8 | 14.0 | 10.4 | 6.1 | 3.4 | 44.1 | 96.4 | 444 | 34.0 |  |  |  |
|  | 3.2 | 8.8 | 15.5 | 23.9 | 19.0 | 13.4 | 8.4 | 4.3 | 2.9 | 51.4 | 96.5 | 2081720 | 35.9 |  |  |  |

(1) Aged 15 on $31 / 8 / 2003$
(2) Calculated on the following point basis $A^{*}=58, A=52, B=46, C=40, D=34, E=28, F=22, G=16$

- less than 100 candidates
(3) Including attempts and achievements by these pupils in previous academic years


## Distribution of Mathematics Results



School
National

Distribution of English / English Language Results


School

Distribution of Design and Technology Results


School
National

## Distribution of Religious Studies/Education Results



Distribution of English Literature Results


School

Distribution of Computer Studies Results


School
National

Distribution of Combined Science - Single Award Results


- School

National

Distribution of Combined Science - Double Award Results


School

TABLE S2(1): SUBJECT PERFORMANCE INDICATOR - BOY

| Subject Area | School <br> Average | Average in all other Subjects | School Difference | National Difference | Relative Performance Indicator | Significance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Combined Science - Double Award | 41.92 | 41.87 | 0.05 | 1.08 | -1.03 |  |
| Combined Science - Single Award | 23.00 | 27.19 | -4.19 | -0.48 | -3.71 | Sig |
| Design and Technology | 32.29 | 35.76 | -3.48 | -0.91 | -2.57 | Sig |
| English / English Language | 34.95 | 34.29 | 0.66 | 1.32 | -0.66 |  |
| English Literature | 36.54 | 37.96 | -1.43 | 0.07 | -1.50 |  |
| Information Technology | 31.51 | 35.44 | -3.93 | -2.38 | -1.55 |  |
| Mathematics | 31.25 | 34.82 | -3.57 | 0.95 | -4.52 | Sig |
| Religious Studies / Education | 34.73 | 36.32 | -1.59 | -1.97 | 0.38 |  |

Relative Performance Indicator


TABLE S3(1): GCSE RESULTS FOR 15 YEAR OLDS(1) FOR 2004 (3) BY SUBJECT

- School Results SCHOOL RESULTS AGAINST FOR ALL MAINTAINED SECONDARY SCHOOLS - GIRL
- National Results

| Subject Area | Percentage Achieving Grades |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Percent $A^{*}-C$ <br> grades | Percent A-G <br> grades | Number of 15(1) year old pupils entered | Average point score(2) | Entry as percentage of the Cohort | Point per 15(1) year old pupil | $\% A^{*}-C$ significance test |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | A* | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | U |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Art and Design | 0.0 | 16.7 | 16.7 | 41.7 | 5.6 | 2.8 | 5.6 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 75.0 | 97.2 | 36 | 38.2 | 59.0 | 22.6 |  |
|  | 6.4 | 17.0 | 22.5 | 28.0 | 12.4 | 7.3 | 3.6 | 1.4 | 0.3 | 73.9 | 98.7 | 77293 | 41.4 | 24.5 | 10.2 |  |
| Combined Science - Double Award | 0.0 | 4.2 | 16.7 | 70.8 | 4.2 | 0.0 | 4.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 91.7 | 100.0 | 24 | 40.5 | 39.3 | 15.9 | Sig |
|  | 4.0 | 8.1 | 12.7 | 28.3 | 19.3 | 13.8 | 8.1 | 3.5 | 2.0 | 53.1 | 97.9 | 230809 | 36.5 | 73.3 | 26.7 |  |
| Combined Science - Single Award | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6.9 | 13.8 | 24.1 | 20.7 | 24.1 | 10.3 | 6.9 | 89.7 | 29 | 22.6 | 47.5 | 10.8 |  |
|  | 0.3 | 1.0 | 2.5 | 13.6 | 18.5 | 23.4 | 21.0 | 11.4 | 7.8 | 17.4 | 91.6 | 25461 | 26.5 | 8.1 | 2.1 |  |
| Computer Studies | 0.0 | 5.9 | 41.2 | 20.6 | 2.9 | 8.8 | 2.9 | 5.9 | 11.8 | 67.6 | 88.2 | 34 | 35.3 | 55.7 | 19.7 |  |
|  | 4.4 | 12.2 | 18.5 | 24.8 | 14.6 | 9.4 | 7.1 | 4.6 | 4.0 | 59.8 | 95.5 | 30972 | 37.2 | 9.8 | 3.7 |  |
| Design and Technology | 0.0 | 3.8 | 18.9 | 22.6 | 18.9 | 15.1 | 9.4 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 45.3 | 94.3 | 53 | 33.3 | 86.9 | 29.0 | ig |
|  | 4.2 | 16.2 | 17.6 | 25.5 | 17.3 | 9.0 | 4.9 | 2.5 | 2.1 | 63.5 | 97.3 | 192523 | 39.0 | 61.1 | 23.9 |  |
| English / English Language | 0.0 | 3.6 | 18.2 | 40.0 | 16.4 | 5.5 | 3.6 | 7.3 | 5.5 | 61.8 | 94.5 | 55 | 35.3 | 90.2 | 31.8 |  |
|  | 4.0 | 12.7 | 21.4 | 27.3 | 18.5 | 9.0 | 3.9 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 65.3 | 98.5 | 278259 | 39.6 | 88.4 | 35.0 |  |
| English Literature | 0.0 | 0.0 | 17.9 | 61.5 | 10.3 | 2.6 | 5.1 | 0.0 | 2.6 | 79.5 | 97.4 | 39 | 38.2 | 63.9 | 24.4 |  |
|  | 4.2 | 14.2 | 23.5 | 27.0 | 15.5 | 8.3 | 3.8 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 68.9 | 98.0 | 254493 | 40.1 | 80.8 | 32.4 |  |
| French | 0.0 | 10.0 | 25.0 | 25.0 | 20.0 | 20.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 60.0 | 100.0 | 20 | 39.1 | 32.8 | 12.8 |  |
|  | 5.2 | 10.2 | 15.6 | 23.2 | 19.0 | 12.9 | 8.2 | 4.0 | 1.1 | 54.3 | 98.4 | 140329 | 37.3 | 44.6 | 16.6 |  |
| Mathematics | 1.8 | 9.1 | 20.0 | 16.4 | 14.5 | 5.5 | 14.5 | 7.3 | 9.1 | 47.3 | 89.1 | 55 | 32.4 | 90.2 | 29.2 |  |
|  | 3.0 | 7.2 | 18.0 | 22.5 | 17.6 | 15.3 | 9.1 | 3.9 | 3.0 | 50.7 | 96.6 | 279721 | 35.7 | 88.8 | 31.7 |  |
| Religious Studies/Education | 0.0 | 6.0 | 22.0 | 34.0 | 16.0 | 10.0 | 6.0 | 2.0 | 4.0 | 62.0 | 96.0 | 50 | 36.7 | 82.0 | 30.1 |  |
|  | 8.8 | 18.6 | 22.1 | 18.8 | 12.9 | 8.4 | 5.3 | 2.8 | 1.6 | 68.3 | 97.6 | 64770 | 40.8 | 20.6 | 8.4 |  |
| Total | 0.7 | 5.8 | 19.4 | 31.1 | 13.6 | 9.8 | 7.7 | 5.8 | 5.1 | 57.0 | 93.9 | 428 | 34.8 |  |  |  |
|  | 4.9 | 12.5 | 18.8 | 24.9 | 16.9 | 10.8 | 6.1 | 2.8 | 1.9 | 61.0 | 97.6 | 2148924 | 38.5 |  |  |  |

(1) Aged 15 on $31 / 8 / 2003$
(2) Calculated on the following point basis $A^{*}=58, A=52, B=46, C=40, D=34, E=28, F=22, G=16$
(3) Including attempts and achievements by these pupils in previous academic years

## Distribution of Mathematics Results



School
National

Distribution of English / English Language Results


School

Distribution of Design and Technology Results


School
National

## Distribution of Religious Studies/Education Results



Distribution of English Literature Results


School

Distribution of Art and Design Results


School
National


School
National

Distribution of Combined Science - Single Award Results


Scheol
National

Distribution of Combined Science - Double Award Results


School
National

TABLE S4(1): SUBJECT PERFORMANCE INDICATOR - GIRL

| Subject Area | School <br> Average | Average in all other Subjects | School Difference | National Difference | Relative <br> Performance Indicator | Significance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Art and Design | 38.22 | 33.27 | 4.95 | 3.94 | 1.01 |  |
| Combined Science - Double Award | 40.50 | 43.16 | -2.66 | -1.77 | -0.89 |  |
| Combined Science - Single Award | 22.62 | 28.78 | -6.16 | -3.17 | -2.99 | Sig |
| Design and Technology | 33.32 | 35.87 | -2.55 | 1.40 | -3.95 | Sig |
| English / English Language | 35.31 | 35.05 | 0.26 | 2.73 | -2.47 | Sig |
| English Literature | 38.21 | 39.55 | -1.35 | 1.96 | -3.31 | Sig |
| French | 39.10 | 42.75 | -3.65 | -2.58 |  |  |
| Information Technology | 35.29 | 36.83 | -1.53 | -1.87 | 0.34 |  |
| Mathematics | 32.36 | 35.46 | -3.10 | -1.64 | -1.46 |  |
| Religious Studies / Education | 36.72 | 36.05 | 0.67 | 0.66 | 0.01 |  |

Relative Performance Indicator


## Glossary

## Part A: Calculation of Average Points Score and Threshold Levels

## Average Point Scores

Average point scores at Key Stages 2 and 3 are calculated on the basis of full cohorts, excluding pupils who were absent or disapplied. Each level is given a point score equivalency as shown below. For all key stages further details and examples are provided in the Autumn Package (www.standards/dfes.gov.uk/performance/ap).

## Key Stage 2/3: English, mathematics and science

Table 8.1 Points score equivalencies for 2004 Key Stage 2

| Level achieved in Test or Task | Points |
| :---: | :---: |
| Absent (A) | Disregarded |
| T | Disregarded |
| N | 15 |
| B | 15 |
| Level 2 | 15 |
| Level 3 | 21 |
| Level 4 | 27 |
| Level 5 | 33 |
| Level 6 | 39 |

$\mathrm{T}=$ reaching the level but not able to access the test
$B$ = working below the level of the test and therefore are teacher assessed only
$\mathrm{N}=$ working below the Level $2 / 3$ threshold
Table 8.2 Points score equivalencies for 2004 Key Stage 3

| Level achieved in test | English | Mathematics | Science |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Absent (A) | Disregard | Disregard | Disregard |
| Disapplied (D) | Disregard | Disregard | Disregard |
| B | 21 | 15 | 15 |
| N | 21 | 15 | 15 |
| Level 2 | - | 15 | 15 |
| Level 3 | 21 | 21 | 21 |
| Level 4 | 27 | 27 | 27 |
| Level 5 | 33 | 33 | 33 |
| Level 6 | 39 | 39 | 39 |
| Level 7 | 45 | 45 | 45 |
| Level 8 | 51 | 51 | 51 |

$\mathrm{B}=$ working below the level of the test and therefore are teacher assessed only
$\mathrm{N}=$ working below the Level $2 / 3$ threshold
N.B. ICT scores are not included as part of the average point score calculation in the Secondary PANDA

## Average points score for English, Mathematics and Science (Key Stage 2 and Key Stage 3)

Total points in subject
$=$
The number of pupils eligible for assessment (excluding any that were absent, graded T or disapplied)

## Key Stage 4: GCSE/GNVQ Comparison between old and new points scoring systems.

The average total points score per pupil on roll is the most comprehensive single measure of pupils' total GCSE attainment. It is taken from the DfES's pupil-based national database of GCSE/GNVQ results. The average total point score per pupil on roll is calculated as:

## Average points score for GCSE and equivalent qualifications

Total points score in GCSE and equivalent qualifications
$=\quad$ Number of pupils aged 15 at the start of the academic year on roll at the time of the January 2004 PLASC
The total points score is found by assigning each qualification with a points score. The new points score system devised by QCA means a wide range of qualifications can be included. In order to incorporate these new qualifications the points score equivalencies for GCSE and GNVQ have also changed. This is shown in Table 8.3. Under the new system there are hundreds of qualifications each with its own points score e.g. NVQ in Agriculture is worth a points score of 168, a grade 3 in WJEC Certificate in Media Studies is worth 14. Due to the large number of qualifications it is not possible to show everything in the PANDA Glossary. More information can be found at http://www.edexcel.org.uk/virtualcontent/75551/achievement_attainment_tables.pdf.

Table 8.3 Points scores for GCSE/GNVQ and the old and new system

| Qualification | Size | Grade | Points (old system) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Points } \\ \text { (new system) } \end{gathered}$ | Contribution to level 1 threshold | Contribution to level 2 threshold |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| GCSE | 1 | A* | 8 | 58 | 20\% | 20\% |
|  |  | A | 7 | 52 | 20\% | 20\% |
|  |  | B | 6 | 46 | 20\% | 20\% |
|  |  | C | 5 | 40 | 20\% | 20\% |
|  |  | D | 4 | 34 | 20\% |  |
|  |  | E | 3 | 28 | 20\% |  |
|  |  | F | 2 | 22 | 20\% |  |
|  |  | G | 1 | 16 | 20\% |  |
|  |  | U/X/Q | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| Vocational GCSE <br> (Double Award) | 2 | $\mathrm{A}^{*} \mathrm{~A}^{*}$ | 16 | 116 | 40\% | 40\% |
|  |  | AA | 14 | 104 | 40\% | 40\% |
|  |  | BB | 12 | 92 | 40\% | 40\% |
|  |  | CC | 10 | 80 | 40\% | 40\% |
|  |  | DD | 8 | 68 | 40\% |  |
|  |  | EE | 6 | 56 | 40\% |  |
|  |  | FF | 4 | 44 | 40\% |  |
|  |  | GG | 2 | 32 | 40\% |  |
|  |  | U/X/Q | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| GCSE Short Course | 0.5 | A* | 4 | 29 | 10\% | 10\% |
|  |  | A | 3.5 | 26 | 10\% | 10\% |
|  |  | B | 3 | 23 | 10\% | 10\% |
|  |  | C | 2.5 | 20 | 10\% | 10\% |
|  |  | D | 2 | 17 | 10\% |  |
|  |  | E | 1.5 | 14 | 10\% |  |
|  |  | F | 1 | 11 | 10\% |  |
|  |  | G | 0.5 | 8 | 10\% |  |
|  |  | U/X/Q | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| GNVQ Full Intermediate | 4 | D | 30 | 220 |  | 80\% |
|  |  | M | 24 | 184 |  | 80\% |
|  |  | P | 20 | 160 |  | 80\% |
|  |  | U/X | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| GNVQ Part 1 Intermediate | 2 | D | 15 | 110 |  |  |
|  |  | M | 12 | 92 |  |  |
|  |  | P | 10 | 80 |  |  |
|  |  | U/X | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| GNVQ Full Foundation | 4 | D | 16 | 136 | 80\% |  |
|  |  | M | 12 | 112 | 80\% |  |
|  |  | P | 6 | 76 | 80\% |  |
|  |  | U/X | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| GNVQ Part 1 <br> Foundation | 2 | D | 8 | 68 | 40\% |  |
|  |  | M | 6 | 56 | 40\% |  |
|  |  | P | 3 | 38 | 40\% |  |
|  |  | U/X | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| Intermediate GNVQ Language Unit |  | P | 3.5 | 26 | 10\% |  |
|  |  | U/X | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| Foundation GNVQ Language Unit |  | P | 2 | 17 | 10\% |  |
|  |  | U/X | 0 | 0 |  |  |

## Percentage of pupils reaching a particular level

Key Stage 3
The percentage of eligible pupils reaching a particular level and above in the Key Stage 3 tests and teacher assessments in your school is defined as:

Percentages for a particular level are calculated on the basis of the full cohort including pupils who were absent or disapplied when the tests were taken. This is because the calculation is designed to show how many pupils reached a certain level - if they did not take the test they did not reach a level.

## GCSE and equivalent qualifications

All qualifications under the new points score system will contribute to at least one of three levels; entry level qualifications ${ }^{1}$, the level 2 threshold $\left(5+A^{*}-C\right)$ or the level 1 threshold $\left(5+A^{*}-G\right)$. The contribution of GCSE/GNVQ to the threshold level is shown in Table 8.3. More information can be found at http://www.edexcel.org.uk/virtualcontent/75551/achievement attainment tables.pdf.

## Capped Scores

The PANDA includes details of capped average points scores. Capped scores are calculated from the best 8 examinations for each pupil.

1) Qualifications compared to the size of a GCSE to give information about the volume of the examination as shown in Tables 8.4, 8.5 and 8.6.

Table 8.4 GCSE Examinations - number of records and point score per record.

| Examination Type | Volume | Grade Achieved |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\mathrm{A}^{*}$ | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | U |  |
| GCSE Short Course | 0.5 | 29 | 26 | 23 | 20 | 17 | 14 | 11 | 8 | 0 |  |
| GCSE | 1 | 58 | 52 | 46 | 40 | 34 | 28 | 22 | 16 | 0 |  |

Table 8.5 GNVQ Examinations - number of records and point score per record

| Examination type | Volume | Grade achieved |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Intermediate <br> distinction | Intermediate <br> merit | Intermediate <br> pass | Foundation <br> distinction | Foundation <br> merit | Foundation <br> pass | No <br> award <br> $(U)$ |
| GNVQ language unit | 0.5 | - | - | 26 | - | - | 17 | 0 |
| Part one GNVQ | 2 | 110 | 92 | 80 | 68 | 56 | 38 | 0 |
| Full GNVQ | 4 | 220 | 184 | 160 | 136 | 112 | 76 | 0 |

Table 8.6 Example of information on all other qualifications - number of records and point score per record

|  | Number of <br> records | Distinction | Merit | Pass |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ABC certificate in Eygptology | 0.5 | 28 | 25 | 20 |
| CAG certificate for IT users | 1 |  |  | 25 |
| Edexcel 1 BTEC Award in hairdressing | 2 |  |  | 50 |
| Ilex Certificate for Legal Secretaries | 2 | 55 | 49 | 40 |
| TCL Certificate in Integrated Skills in English <br> (ESOL) | 2 | 68 | 56 | 38 |
| Etc |  |  |  |  |

2) The total points value for each qualification is divided by the volume indicator to arrive at a standardised points figure. The standardised points scores are then ranked.
3) The volume indicators should be added until a volume or cap of 8 is reached. The corresponding points scores are then added together. If the cap exceeds 8 by a decimal, a fraction of the total points awarded for the subject is given.
E.g.

|  | Grade | Volume indicator | Total points | Standardised points |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| GCSE | B | 1 | 46 | 46 |
| Part one GNVQ | Merit | 2 | 92 | $=92 / 2=46$ |
| GCSE | C | 1 | 40 | 40 |
| GCSE short course | D | 0.5 | 17 | $=17 / 0.5=34$ |
| GCSE | E | 1 | 28 | 28 |
| CAG certificate for IT users | Pass | 1 | 25 | 25 |
| Edexcel BTEC Award in <br> hairdressing | Pass | 2 | 50 | $=50 / 2=25$ |

[^9]The volume indicators in example 1 add up to 8.5 . Therefore only 0.75 of total points awarded for the Edexcel BTEC award in hairdressing should be included.
$=46+92+40+17+28+25+(50 * 0.75)$
$=285.5$
The capped average point score per 15 year old pupil is then calculated as follows:

## Average points score for all GCSE and equivalent qualifications

Total points score in GCSE and equivalent qualifications
$=\quad$ Number of pupils aged 15 at the start of the academic year on roll at the time of the January 2004 PLASC

## PART B: Benchmarking

Benchmarking your school should help you to understand your school's performance in relation to the performance of other schools. The benchmark tables shown in the Secondary PANDA are school specific and display the national numeric boundaries for the $\mathrm{A}^{\star}-\mathrm{E}^{\star}$ interpretation grades.

## Quartile Values

The data are divided into percentiles and then grades are allocated depending on which percentile the school's results fall into:

UPPER QUARTILE: the upper quartile for any particular assessment is the score or level for which 25 percent of the results are higher than this value.

MEDIAN: the median for any particular assessment is the score or level for which exactly half of the results achieved are higher than this value and the other half of results achieved are lower.

LOWER QUARTILE: the lower quartile for any particular assessment is the score or level for which 25 percent of the results are lower than this value.

## Illustration of how data are arranged to find the quartile values:



## Interpretation grades

The interpretation grades indicate where the school's results fall compared with other schools in the same benchmark group. They do not indicate statistical significance. The $\mathrm{A}^{\star}-\mathrm{E}^{\star}$ grades can be interpreted as follows:

| A $^{*}$ | 95th | A | Upper <br> quartile | B | 60th | C | 40th | D | Lower <br> quartile | E | $5^{\text {th }}$ | E $^{*}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Very <br> high | Well <br> above |  | Above |  | Broadly <br> in line |  | Below |  | Well <br> below | Very <br> low |  |  |

For example,
An $A^{*}$ grade when looking at a national benchmark means:
That pupils' results at the school are very high in comparison with the national average (as measured by the median). The school's results are within the range of the top $5 \%$ of schools across the country.

A complete set of all benchmark tables is provided in the Key Stage 3 and 4 benchmark section of the Autumn Package found at www.standards.dfes.gov.uk/performance/ap. Schools that are close to the benchmark boundaries can use these tables to see what would happen to their grades if they were in a different benchmark category.

## Benchmarking: similar schools

## Calculation of the free school meal (FSM) benchmark

FSM eligibility is derived from the 2003 PLASC return to the DfES. Only pupils recorded as 'known to be eligible for FSM' in the PLASC will be used to benchmark the school in the Secondary PANDA.

Number of full time pupils (and part time above minimum compulsory school age but below school leaving age) "know to be eligible for free school meals" registered as C or M enrolments
Total numbers of full time (and part time above pupils above minimum compulsory school age but below school leaving age) registered as C or M

C = 'Current' (registered solely at this school)
$\mathrm{M}=$ 'Current main' (currently registered at this school and another school - mainly at this school),

## Calculation of the prior attainment benchmark

Each school is allocated a prior attainment benchmark based on the average points score of the key stage cohort

## Three year average

The 3 year average is an average of pupil performance in the school over the past 3 years. It is calculated as follows:

$$
3 \text { year average point score } \quad=\quad \frac{\text { Total points score from last } 3 \text { years }}{\text { Number of pupils taking examination in past } 3 \text { years }}
$$

Using a 3 year average can be particularly useful in assessing standards of attainment when the cohort is small. However, it does not assist in evaluating trends during these three 3 years. The PANDA report provides judgements based on comparing the 3 year average to the national percentile distribution. The judgements are assigned in the same way as PANDA grades; see "Interpretations grades" in the Glossary for details.

## Changes over time

When evaluating attainment over time, schools and inspectors should take care before making strong judgments about year on year changes. This is particularly true where cohort sizes are small. Table 8.3 shows for each cohort size the minimum year on year percentage change necessary before a valid judgement can be made. Even changes of up to one and a half times the minimum percentage change should be treated with caution as a firm indicator unless supplemented by other evidence.

Table 8.7 Calculation of percentage difference for each cohort size

| Cohort size for each year | Percentage change |
| :---: | :---: |
| 20 | 18 |
| 30 | 15 |
| 40 | 13 |
| 60 | 10 |
| 80 | 9 |
| 100 | 8 |
| 150 | 7 |
| 200 | 6 |

## PART C: Value Added

Value added is a measure of the relative progress schools help individuals to make. It is calculated from Key Stage 2 to Key Stage 3 and Key Stage 3 to GCSE and all other equivalent examinations. New in 2004 is a value added measure from Key Stage 2 to GCSE and all other equivalent examinations. The Value Added Measure can be used to compare the relative progress made by pupils against the progress of pupils nationally.

The Value Added Score for each pupil is calculated in relation to the median line shown in your PANDA report. Each key stage average points score, with the corresponding median subsequent key stage average points score, are shown in table 8.8 and 8.9.

Table 8.8 Key Stage 3 to Key Stage 4 Median Line

| Key Stage 3 average points <br> score | National median Key Stage 4 <br> average points score |
| :---: | :---: |
| 17 | 0 |
| 19 | 6 |
| 21 | 8 |
| 23 | 13 |
| 25 | 19 |
| 27 | 22 |
| 29 | 28 |
| 31 | 32 |
| 33 | 36 |
| 35 | 40 |
| 37 | 43 |
| 39 | 46 |
| 41 | 50 |
| 43 | 53 |
| 45 | 56 |
| 47 | 59 |
| 49 | 62 |

Table 8.9 Key Stage 2 to Key Stage 4 Median Line

| Key Stage 2 average points <br> score | National median Key Stage 4 <br> average points score |
| :---: | :---: |
| 15 | 3 |
| 17 | 9 |
| 19 | 14 |
| 21 | 20 |
| 23 | 26 |
| 25 | 32 |
| 27 | 39 |
| 29 | 43 |
| 31 | 48 |
| 33 | 54 |

To calculate the value added score at pupil level it is necessary to find the difference between the score predicted by the median point and the actual score achieved by the pupil. To obtain the school level score sum all the differences for each pupil and add to either 100 (for value added to Key Stage 3) or 1000 (for value added to Key Stage 4)

For example to calculate the value added score between Key Stage 2 and Key Stage 3 for the theoretical school below:

| Pupil | Pupils Key Stage 2 <br> Average Point <br> Score | Pupils Key Stage 3 <br> Average Point <br> Score | Median Key Stage <br> 3 Average Point <br> Score for their Key <br> Stage 2 Average | Pupil's Value <br> added Score |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | 15 | 15 | 21 | -6 |
| B | 15 | 21 | 21 | 0 |
| C | 27 | 39 | 35 | 4 |
| D | 31 | 43 | 39 | 4 |

Total the pupil's value added scores Average value added score per pupil
$=(-6)+0+4+4=2$
$=$ Total of all pupils' value added scores / number of pupils

Value added for each school is calculated in terms of a measure, centred around 100; i.e. by adding 100 to the school's value added score. In the example above:

School's value added measure $=100+0.5=100.5$
The same process applies for Key Stage 3 to Key Stage 4 but the measure is centred around 1000 due to the introduction of the new points score equivalencies in 2004.

## Coverage indicator for value added

The coverage indicator is based on the number of pupils eligible for Key Stage 2 tests in 2003 who are included in the value added calculation.
E.g. A school has 30 pupils eligible for the Key Stage 3 test but four pupils were absent in Key Stage 2. The actual number of pupils included in the value added score is 26 . The coverage indicator would therefore be:

$$
=\frac{26}{30} \quad=86.7
$$

N.B Schools with less than 50 percent coverage or 10 or fewer pupils do not have value added information included in the PANDA.

## Part D: Other Information

## The Census

This year the Census information depends on the postcode of the pupil rather than the postcode of the school. Information is provided for the wards that contain the highest number of pupils. There are up to 10 wards displayed in the table depending on how many different wards the children live in and how many postcodes can be matched. All measures are given as a percentage and provide contextual information on the socio-economic background of children attending the school. All definitions follow those used in the 2001 Census. More details about the census can be found on the Office for National Statistics website at http://www.statistics.gov.uk/census2001.

- The percentage of adults with higher education is a generalised indicator of the ward population. It is calculated as the percentage of people aged 16-74 in the ward who have completed a first university degree or equivalent qualification.
- The percentage of high social class households with children provides an indication of the affluence of the ward. This statistic is obtained by dividing the number of households with children in social group $A B$ by the number of households with children.
- All ethnic groups other than 'White British' are classified as minority ethnic groups and are therefore included under the category of percentage minority ethnic children. More information on minority ethnic groups can be found in the Secondary NSDR.
- The percentage of households with children that are overcrowded provides an indication of social deprivation. It is calculated as the number of households with children that are overcrowded divided by the number of households with children.


## Coverage Indicator for Census Information

A coverage statistic is given to identify the proportion of pupils attending the school who live in the wards displayed.
E.g. when 930 pupils live in the 8 wards displayed in the Census Information Table and 10 pupils live in other wards the coverage statistic is:

$$
=\frac{930}{1003} \times 100 \quad=90.3
$$

## Mobility

Inward mobility identifies the percentage of pupils who join each year group. For the 2004 Secondary PANDA, pupils will have begun their education in the following academic years:

| Year 7 | $2003 / 2004$ | Year 10 | $2000 / 2001$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Year 8 | $2002 / 2003$ | Year 11 | 1999/2000 |
| Year 9 | $2001 / 2002$ |  |  |

Inward mobility is calculated as follows:

NCYG = National Curriculum Year Group (given in PLASC)
$\mathrm{Yn}=$ The year of entry (1999/2000-2003/2004)
N.B. The year of entry is recorded as the first school year that the child is on roll before October 1st. The number of pupils in the year group is derived from the PLASC return made in January. This means figures may not always add up to 100. Any pupils that joined the school after January will not be recorded until the PANDA a year later.
E.g. In a year 9 class 28 pupils joined in 2001, 1 pupil joined before September 30th 2003, 1 pupil joined in December 2003 and 1 pupil joined in February 2004.

| Year | Number joining year 3 |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2003 | $=1 / 30^{*} 100=3.3 \%$ |
| 2002 |  |
| 2001 | $=28 / 30^{*} 100=93.3 \%$ |

93.3 percent of children in year 3 joined in the 1 st year (i.e. 2001) and $3.3 \%$ joined at a later date.


[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ The calculation excludes sixth form pupils. All judgements in the PANDA are based on this method of calculation. More details on the calculation of FSM percentages are given in the Glossary.
    ${ }^{2}$ This year, the First Languge classification is used. The figure shown in the table is an aggregation of two categories: First Language not English and First Language believed not to be English. National averages are not shown here because the concentration of such pupils in certain areas makes the national average misrepresentative. The statement above is based on the percentile groups method of comparison (please refer to the Glossary).

[^1]:    ${ }^{1}$ The direct judgement for schools inspected in 03/04 is named "Pupils' attitudes, values and other personal qualities."
    ${ }^{2}$ The direct judgement for schools inspected in 03/04 is named "The leadership and management of the school."

[^2]:    ${ }^{1}$ These include a wider range of qualifications such as Key Skills, BTECH and Vocational qualifications. For more details please refer to the Glossary.
    ${ }^{2}$ Benchmarks for 5+A*-G from 2002 onwards only include results for pupils achieving the threshold where both English and mathematics are among their $\mathrm{A}^{*}$ - G grades.

[^3]:    ${ }^{1}$ These results include a wider range of qualifications such as Key Skills, BTECH and Vocational qualifications. For more details please refer to the Glossary.
    ${ }^{2}$ Benchmarks for 5+A*-G from 2002 onwards only include results for pupils achieving the threshold where both English and mathematics are among their $\mathrm{A}^{*}$-G grades. More detail is given in the Glossary.

[^4]:    ${ }^{1}$ These results include a wide range of qualifications such as Key Skills, BTECH and Vocational qualifications. For more details please refer to the Glossary.
    ${ }^{2}$ Benchmarks for 5+A*-G from 2002 onwards only include results for pupils achieving the threshold where both English and mathematics are among their $\mathrm{A}^{*}-\mathrm{G}$ grades. More detail is given in the Glossary.

[^5]:    ${ }^{1}$ These results include a wider range of qualifications such as Key Skills, BTECH and Vocational qualifications. For more details please refer to the Glossary.

[^6]:    ${ }^{1}$ The statements 'above' or 'below' are likely to indicate a significant difference from the national trend. Please note: This section does not make use of the percentile bandings and related interpretations given in the Glossary section.

[^7]:    ${ }^{1}$ See the glossary for details on the criteria used to determine whether the significance test will be undertaken.

[^8]:    ${ }^{2}$ A worked example can be found in the Glossary.

[^9]:    ${ }^{1}$ There is no entry level threshold as such. Entry level qualifications will contribute to the average points score, value added calculations and 'achieved at least an entry level' indicator published in the School and College Achievement and Attainment tables

