## Attendance in Schools, Elective Home Education and Children Missing

## Education

## Annual Report Data <br> September 2022 - August 2023



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This data supports the School Attendance, Elective Home Education and Children Missing Education Annual Report 2022/23

## Lincolnshire Attendance Data:

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|  |  | East Midlands |  | England |
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|  |  | East <br> Midlands | Lincolnshire |  |
| Total | Authorised absence rate | 5.1\% | 5.8\% | 5.1\% |
|  | Illness rate | 4.1\% | 4.6\% | 4.1\% |
|  | Overall absence rate | 7.2\% | 7.5\% | 7.3\% |
|  | Percentage of persistent absentees - 10\% or more sessions missed | 21.2\% | 20.4\% | 21.6\% |
|  | Percentage of persistent absentees - 50\% or more sessions missed | 2.0\% | 2.2\% | 1.9\% |
| Special | Authorised absence rate | 10.4\% | 12.4\% | 10.2\% |
|  | Illness rate | 6.1\% | 5.9\% | 6.1\% |
|  | Overall absence rate | 13.0\% | 14.5\% | 13.2\% |
|  | Percentage of persistent absentees - 10\% or more sessions missed | 37.8\% | 39.5\% | 39.1\% |
|  | Percentage of persistent absentees - 50\% or more sessions missed | 6.4\% | 9.4\% | 6.1\% |
| State-funded primary | Authorised absence rate | 4.4\% | 4.7\% | 4.5\% |
|  | Illness rate | 3.7\% | 4.0\% | 3.8\% |
|  | Overall absence rate | 5.7\% | 5.8\% | 6.0\% |
|  | Percentage of persistent absentees - 10\% or more sessions missed | 16.1\% | 16.1\% | 17.3\% |
|  | Percentage of persistent absentees - 50\% or more sessions missed | 0.7\% | 0.8\% | 0.7\% |
| State-funded primary and secondary | Authorised absence rate | 5.1\% | 5.7\% | 5.0\% |
|  | Illness rate | 4.1\% | 4.6\% | 4.1\% |
|  | Overall absence rate | 7.1\% | 7.3\% | 7.2\% |
|  | Percentage of persistent absentees - 10\% or more sessions missed | 20.1\% | 21.2\% | 20.9\% |
|  | Percentage of persistent absentees - 50\% or more sessions missed | 1.9\% | 2.0\% | 1.8\% |
| State-funded secondary | Authorised absence rate | 5.9\% | 6.8\% | 5.6\% |
|  | Illness rate | 4.5\% | 5.3\% | 4.4\% |
|  | Overall absence rate | 8.8\% | 9.1\% | 8.7\% |
|  | Percentage of persistent absentees - 10\% or more sessions missed | 25.0\% | 27.0\% | 25.2\% |
|  | Percentage of persistent absentees - 50\% or more sessions missed | 3.3\% | 3.4\% | 3.1\% |

## School Attendance for 2022-23: Experimental

|  |  | East Midlands |  | England |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | East Midlands | Lincolnshire |  |
|  | Authorised absence rate | 5.0\% | Not available | 5.0\% |
|  | Authorised illness absence rate | 3.8\% | not available | 3.8\% |
|  | Overall absence rate | 7.3\% | Not available | 7.5\% |
| Total | Persistent absence rate | 21.1\% | not available | 22.3\% |
|  | Authorised absence rate | 4.1\% | 4.4\% | 4.3\% |
|  | Authorised illness absence rate | 3.4\% | 3.6\% | 3.5\% |
|  | Overall absence rate | 5.7\% | 5.7\% | 6.0\% |
| Primary | Persistent absence rate | 15.7\% | 15.3\% | 17.2\% |
|  | Authorised absence rate | 5.9\% | 6.9\% | 5.8\% |
|  | Authorised illness absence rate | 4.2\% | 5.0\% | 4.2\% |
|  | Overall absence rate | 9.3\% | 9.6\% | 9.3\% |
| Secondary | Persistent absence rate | 27.6\% | 29.2\% | 28.3\% |
|  | Authorised absence rate | 10.5\% | 12.0\% | 10.0\% |
|  | Authorised illness absence rate | 5.6\% | 5.4\% | 5.6\% |
|  | Overall absence rate | 12.8\% | 14.4\% | 13.1\% |
| Special | Persistent absence rate | 39.3\% | 39.6\% | 38.7\% |

'Pupil attendance since week commencing 12 September - Academic year 2022 - 2023' for Primary, Secondary and Special in East Midlands, England and Lincolnshire for 2022/23

Pupils Not Attending Regularly

|  | 2022/2023 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Number of Cases | 1202 |
| Open Cases | 16 |
| Closed Cases | 1186 |
| Repeat Pupils | 429 |
| Number of children <br> open to EHCP | 71 |


|  | Cases per year group |
| :---: | :---: |
| Reception | 8 |
| Yr 1 | 14 |
| Yr 2 | 25 |
| Yr 3 | 29 |
| Yr 4 | 39 |
| Yr 5 | 26 |
| Yr 6 | 34 |
| Yr 7 | 74 |
| Yr 8 | 163 |
| Yr 9 | 263 |
| Yr 10 | 287 |
| Yr 11 | 234 |

## Reduced Timetable

|  | $\mathbf{2 0 2 2 / 2 0 2 3}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Number of Cases | 3705 |
| Open Cases | 75 |
| Closed Cases | 3630 |
| Repeat Pupils | 2260 |


|  | Cases per <br> year group |
| :---: | :---: |
| Reception | 283 |
| Yr 1 | 175 |
| Yr 2 | 165 |
| Yr 3 | 79 |
| Yr 4 | 127 |


| Yr 5 | 170 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Yr 6 | 177 |
| Yr 7 | 231 |
| Yr 8 | 401 |
| Yr 9 | 543 |
| Yr 10 | 646 |
| Yr 11 | 607 |


| Reasons for RTT | 2022/2023 |
| :--- | :---: |
| Some reasons might be missing | 0 |
| Induction or reintegration into school | 584 |
| Medical (mental health conditions) | 1295 |
| Medical (physical health conditions) | 291 |
| Other - Behaviour - At risk of suspension / exclusion | 5 |
| Other - Behaviour - Risk to self / others | 9 |
| Other - Behaviour | 87 |
| Other - SEND - Awaiting EHCP | 2 |
| Other - SEND - Awaiting a specialist setting | 10 |
| Other - SEND - School unable to meet need | 3 |
| Other - SEND | 24 |
| Other - Bereavement | 3 |
| Other - Adoption process | 0 |
| Other - Young Carer | 0 |
| Other | 1115 |

Children Electively Home Educated

|  | 2019/20 |  |  | 2020/21 |  |  | 2021/22 |  |  | 2022/23 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| School Age <br> Group | Pri | Sec | Total | Pri | Sec | Total | Pri | Sec | Total | Pri | Sec | Total |
| Current <br> number EHE | 364 | 759 | 1123 | 548 | 920 | 1262 | 501 | 1104 | 1605 | 478 | 1400 | 1878 |


| Starters and <br> Leavers | 2019/20 | 2020/21 | 2021/22 | 2022/23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Number of <br> new starters | 554 | 1031 | 883 | 1152 |
| Number of <br> cases closed | 487 | 680 | 802 | 903 |


|  | $\mathbf{2 0 1 9 / 2 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 0 / 2 1}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 1 / 2 2}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 2 / 2 3}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 2 / 2 3}$ \% of <br> total school <br> population | \% <br> annual <br> increase <br> in EHE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Reception | 11 | 37 | 24 | 35 | $0.034 \%$ | 45.83 |
| Yr 1 | 37 | 59 | 49 | 37 | $0.035 \%$ | -24.49 |
| Yr 2 | 52 | 65 | 58 | 56 | $0.054 \%$ | -3.45 |
| Yr 3 | 46 | 79 | 63 | 58 | $0.056 \%$ | -7.94 |
| Yr 4 | 70 | 80 | 81 | 70 | $0.068 \%$ | -13.58 |
| Yr 5 | 67 | 107 | 95 | 91 | $0.088 \%$ | -4.21 |
| Yr 6 | 81 | 121 | 131 | 131 | $0.13 \%$ | 0 |
| Yr 7 | 108 | 133 | 175 | 197 | $0.19 \%$ | 12.57 |
| Yr 8 | 115 | 180 | 171 | 261 | $0.25 \%$ | 52.63 |
| Yr 9 | 160 | 168 | 234 | 299 | $0.29 \%$ | 27.78 |
| Yr 10 | 171 | 232 | 246 | 345 | $0.36 \%$ | 40.24 |
| Yr 11 | 205 | 204 | 278 | 298 | $0.29 \%$ | 7.19 |
| Total |  |  |  | 1878 | $1.8 \%$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| Area | $\mathbf{2 0 1 9 / 2 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 0 / 2 1}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 1 / 2 2}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 2 / 2 3}$ | \% annual <br> increase <br> in EHE |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Boston | 82 | 114 | 126 | 168 | 33.33 |
| East Lindsey | 312 | 348 | 374 | 436 | 16.58 |
| Lincoln | 113 | 150 | 193 | 209 | 8.29 |
| North <br> Kesteven | 150 | 201 | 223 | 249 | 11.66 |
| South <br> Holland | 148 | 214 | 215 | 261 | 21.40 |
| South <br> Kesteven | 158 | 215 | 255 | 305 | 19.61 |
| West Lindsey | 160 | 223 | 219 | 255 | 16.44 |
| Lincolnshire | 1123 | 1465 | 1605 | 1883 | 17.32 |


| EHE Advisor visits and outcomes | 2019/20 | $\mathbf{2 0 2 0 / 2 1}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 1 / 2 2}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 2 / 2 3}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Number of written submissions <br> reviewed | 285 | 494 | 465 | 327 |
| Number of submissions by phone | - | 1044 | 987 | 823 (inc <br> 15 <br> Virtual) |
| Number of suitable (visits and <br> submissions) | 620 | 1138 | 1084 | 1175 |
| Number of unsuitable (visits and <br> submissions) | 65 | 96 | 92 | 86 |
| Failed visits | 153 | 290 | 262 | 356 |


|  | $2018 / 19$ | $2020 / 21$ | $2021 / 22$ | 2022/23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CIN | 24 | 25 | 25 | 44 |
| CP | 2 | 1 | 0 | 4 |
| TAC | - | 24 | 24 | 54 |
| EHCP | 73 | 60 | 75 | 99 |

Children Missing Education - NB pandemic started March 2020, data end of Aug 23

| New <br> Starters | Sept | Oct | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 9 / 2 0}$ | 146 | 203 | 141 | 110 | 121 | 88 | 113 | 30 | 53 | 82 | 102 | 18 | $\mathbf{1 2 0 7}$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 2 0 / 2 1}$ | 219 | 160 | 240 | 133 | 104 | 71 | 112 | 100 | 110 | 136 | 116 | 28 | $\mathbf{1 5 2 9}$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 2 1 / 2 2}$ | 234 | 121 | 189 | 101 | 180 | 168 | 170 | 100 | 192 | 144 | 168 | 62 | $\mathbf{1 8 2 9}$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 2 2 / 2 3}$ | 101 | 151 | 186 | 255 | 162 | 178 | 169 | 148 | 143 | 134 | 165 | 150 | $\mathbf{1 9 4 2}$ |


| Source reporting CME | 2019/20 |  | 2020/21 |  | $\mathbf{2 0 2 1 / 2 2}$ |  | 2022/23 |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EHE | 65 | $5.4 \%$ | 110 | $7.2 \%$ | 129 | $7.1 \%$ | 94 | $4.8 \%$ |
| Lincs School | 670 | $55.5 \%$ | 848 | $55.5 \%$ | 1056 | $57.7 \%$ | 1103 | $56.8 \%$ |
| Out of County School | 18 | $1.5 \%$ | 4 | $0.3 \%$ | 17 | $0.9 \%$ | 31 | $1.6 \%$ |
| Leavers Form | 5 | $0.4 \%$ | 103 | $6.7 \%$ | 1 | $0.1 \%$ | 14 | $0.7 \%$ |
| Admissions team | 112 | $9.3 \%$ | 118 | $7.7 \%$ | 54 | $3.0 \%$ | 12 | $0.6 \%$ |
| Other LA CME Teams | 247 | $20.5 \%$ | 226 | $14.8 \%$ | 287 | $15.7 \%$ | 267 | $13.8 \%$ |
| Other (i.e. SAO, Social <br> Care, Anon) | 90 | $7.5 \%$ | 120 | $7.8 \%$ | 224 | $12.2 \%$ | 341 | $17.6 \%$ |
| Police/Screening Team | - | - | - | - | 61 | $3.3 \%$ | 27 | $1.4 \%$ |
| Operation <br> Encompass/MARAC | - | - | - | - | - | - | 52 | $2.7 \%$ |
| Total | $\mathbf{1 2 0 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 5 2 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 8 2 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 9 4 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ |


| Reason for CME | 2019/20 |  | 2020/21 |  | $\mathbf{2 0 2 1 / 2 2}$ |  | $\mathbf{2 0 2 2 / 2 3}$ |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ex EHE | 21 | $1.7 \%$ | 43 | $2.8 \%$ | 64 | $3.5 \%$ | 44 | $2.3 \%$ |
| Moved out of county | 333 | $27.6 \%$ | 445 | $29.1 \%$ | 534 | $29.2 \%$ | 526 | $27.1 \%$ |
| Moved out of UK | 218 | $18.1 \%$ | 339 | $22.2 \%$ | 374 | $20.4 \%$ | 469 | $24.2 \%$ |
| Moved within Lincs | 92 | $7.6 \%$ | 119 | $7.8 \%$ | 122 | $6.7 \%$ | 97 | $5.0 \%$ |
| Possibly EHE | 0 | $0.0 \%$ | 13 | $0.9 \%$ | 11 | $0.6 \%$ | 21 | $1.1 \%$ |
| Moved into Lincs | 277 | $22.9 \%$ | 286 | $18.7 \%$ | 356 | $19.5 \%$ | 334 | $17.2 \%$ |
| Unknown | 108 | $8.9 \%$ | 155 | $10.1 \%$ | 233 | $12.7 \%$ | 333 | $17.2 \%$ |
| Proof of Address | 58 | $4.8 \%$ | 38 | $2.5 \%$ | 2 | $0.1 \%$ | 13 | $0.7 \%$ |
| Other | 100 | $8.3 \%$ | 91 | $6.0 \%$ | 133 | $7.3 \%$ | 104 | $5.4 \%$ |
| Total | $\mathbf{1 2 0 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 5 2 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 8 2 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 9 4 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ |


| Year Group | 2020/21 | $\mathbf{2 0 2 1 / 2 2}$ | \% <br> Increase | 2022/23 | \% <br> Increase |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Reception | 112 | 147 | $31 \%$ | 172 | $17 \%$ |
| Yr 1 | 144 | 140 | $-3 \%$ | 137 | $-3 \%$ |
| Yr 2 | 124 | 149 | $20 \%$ | 162 | $9 \%$ |
| Yr 3 | 126 | 150 | $19 \%$ | 153 | $2 \%$ |
| Yr 4 | 121 | 131 | $8 \%$ | 147 | $12 \%$ |
| Yr 5 | 125 | 139 | $11 \%$ | 134 | $-4 \%$ |
| Yr 6 | 116 | 141 | $22 \%$ | 124 | $-12 \%$ |
| Yr 7 | 205 | 186 | $-9 \%$ | 201 | $8 \%$ |
| Yr 8 | 120 | 167 | $39 \%$ | 203 | $22 \%$ |
| Yr 9 | 136 | 190 | $40 \%$ | 196 | $3 \%$ |
| Yr 10 | 121 | 160 | $32 \%$ | 196 | $23 \%$ |
| Yr 11 | 79 | 127 | $61 \%$ | 106 | $-17 \%$ |


| Areas | 2019/20 |  | 2020/21 |  | $\mathbf{2 0 2 1 / 2 2}$ |  | 2022/23 |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Boston | 262 | $21.7 \%$ | 363 | $23.7 \%$ | 381 | $20.8 \%$ | 448 | $23.1 \%$ |
| East Lindsey | 142 | $11.8 \%$ | 161 | $10.5 \%$ | 249 | $13.6 \%$ | 265 | $13.6 \%$ |
| Lincoln | 163 | $13.5 \%$ | 192 | $12.6 \%$ | 219 | $12.0 \%$ | 229 | $11.8 \%$ |
| North <br> Kesteven | 42 | $3.5 \%$ | 82 | $5.4 \%$ | 114 | $6.2 \%$ | 125 | $6.4 \%$ |
| South Holland | 134 | $11.1 \%$ | 224 | $14.7 \%$ | 236 | $12.9 \%$ | 212 | $10.9 \%$ |
| South <br> Kesteven | 106 | $8.8 \%$ | 131 | $8.6 \%$ | 168 | $9.2 \%$ | 235 | $12.1 \%$ |
| West Lindsey | 105 | $8.7 \%$ | 114 | $7.5 \%$ | 139 | $7.6 \%$ | 171 | $8.8 \%$ |
| Out of area | 253 | $21.0 \%$ | 262 | $17.1 \%$ | 323 | $17.7 \%$ | 257 | $13.2 \%$ |
| Total | $\mathbf{1 2 0 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 . 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 5 2 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 . 0} \%$ | $\mathbf{1 8 2 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 . 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 9 4 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 . 0 \%}$ |

Children not attending regularly - Fixed Penalty Notices (FPN) and Prosecutions

| Fixed Penalty Notice Summary | 2018/19 | 2019/20 | 2020/21 | 2021/22 | 2022/23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total FPNs issued for unauthorised absence | 3059 | 1600 | 604 | 1760 | 3576 |
| 1a Total FPNs issued: main reason-family holiday | 2732 | 1139 | 437 | 1603 | 3332 |
| 1b Total FPNs issued: main reason- late | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1c <br> Total FPNs issued: main reason: other unauthorised | 327 | 185 | 167 | 157 | 244 |
| 2 FPNs paid within 21 days | 1830 | 1056 | 311 | 1253 | 2699 |
| 3 FPNs paid within 22-28 days | 23 | - | 33 | 67 | 127 |
| 4 FPNs withdrawn | 93 | 148 | 23 | 77 | 110 |
| FPNs withdrawn as issued <br> 4a outside the terms of the local code of conduct | 13 | - | - | 70 | 110 |
| FPNs withdrawn as ought <br> 4b not to have been issued to the named recipient | 33 | - | - | 7 | - |
| FPNs withdrawn as notice <br> 4c appears have material errors | 27 | - | - | - | - |
| FPNs withdrawn as after 28- <br> 4d day expiry, penalty is unpaid and LA do not wish to bring legal proceedings | 20 | - | - | - | - |
| $5 \begin{aligned} & \text { Cases prosecuted following } \\ & \text { non-payment }\end{aligned}$ | 72 | 396 * | 77 | 75 | 134 |
| 6 Unresolved | 84 | - | 160 | 288 | 484 |

[^0]| Prosecutions | $\mathbf{2 0 1 9 / 2 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 0 / 2 1}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 1 / 2 2}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 2 / 2 3}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Prosecutions | 293 | 77 | 124 | 149 |
| Prosecutions due to unpaid <br> FPN's | 197 | 77 | 75 | 134 |
| Persistent absence - $\mathbf{1}^{\text {st }}$ <br> Prosecution | 49 | 0 | 24 | 7 |
| Aggravated - 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ Prosecution | - | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| Total Withdrawn | 0 | - | 6 | 42 |
| Education Supervision Orders | 3 | 0 | 6 | 1 |
| School Attendance Orders | 20 | 0 | 20 | 5 |

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[^0]:    *All related to non-payment as cases could not be prosecuted as pandemic meant that school attendance was not compulsory

