

## KS4 Attainment indicators by school medium, benchmarked by FSM, 2014-15

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### 2014-15

| FSM 3 year average       | Number of pupils aged 15 | Percentage of pupils aged 15 achieving: |                               |              |            |              | Number of 15 year olds who:  | Of those who entered Welsh First Language: |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
|                          |                          | L2 inclusive                            | L2 inclusive (omitting Welsh) | A*-C English | A*-C Maths | A*-C Science | Entered Welsh First Language | % Achieved A*-C Welsh                      |
|                          |                          |                                         |                               |              |            |              |                              |                                            |
| English Medium           |                          |                                         |                               |              |            |              |                              |                                            |
| Less than 10%            | 4,488                    | 74.2                                    | 74.2                          | 84.0         | 79.5       | 90.9         | 48                           | 58.3                                       |
| 10-15%                   | 5,205                    | 65.7                                    | 65.7                          | 75.8         | 72.4       | 90.0         | 121                          | 62.0                                       |
| 15-22%                   | 6,933                    | 58.4                                    | 58.4                          | 70.0         | 65.4       | 86.6         | 43                           | 44.2                                       |
| Greater than or equal to | 9,273                    | 46.3                                    | 46.3                          | 59.5         | 53.4       | 81.8         | 49                           | 34.7                                       |
| Welsh Medium             |                          |                                         |                               |              |            |              |                              |                                            |
| Less than 10%            | 2,855                    | 68.0                                    | 64.9                          | 76.3         | 73.0       | 87.2         | 2,404                        | 80.2                                       |
| 10-15%                   | 2,554                    | 62.6                                    | 60.5                          | 72.6         | 67.1       | 93.5         | 2,083                        | 72.1                                       |
| 15-22%                   | 919                      | 60.7                                    | 57.9                          | 69.1         | 66.3       | 87.3         | 695                          | 75.4                                       |
| 22%                      | 0                        | .                                       | .                             | .            | .          | .            | .                            | .                                          |

### Notes

Caution should be used when analysing the data particularly where the pupil cohorts are small, for example for the Welsh First Language pupil cohorts.

Pupils aged 15 on 31 August 2014.

FSM data are based on 3 year averages.

The FSM groups are as follows: Less than 10%, 10%-15% (greater than or equal to 10% and less than 15%), 15-22% (greater than or equal to 15% and less than 22%), greater than or equal to 22%.

Only includes maintained mainstream secondary schools.

The Welsh Medium category includes bilingual schools.

L2 inclusive threshold: 5 A\*-C GCSEs or equivalents including English or Welsh First Language and Mathematics.

L2 inclusive threshold (omitting Welsh): 5 A\*-C GCSEs or equivalents including English and Mathematics.

English L2: Achieving a level 2 qualification (A\*-C GCSE or equivalent). For each pupil the best grade of core English language and English literature is taken. Also includes equivalents.

Maths L2: Achieving a level 2 qualification (A\*-C GCSE or equivalent). For each pupil the best grade of the core Maths qualifications is taken. Also includes equivalents.

Science L2: Achieving a level 2 qualification (A\*-C GCSE or equivalent). For each pupil the best grade of the core Science qualifications is taken. Also includes equivalents.

Welsh L2: Achieving a level 2 qualification (A\*-C GCSE or equivalent). For each pupil the best grade of core Welsh First Language and Welsh literature is taken. Also includes equivalents. Note that the denominator for this indicator is the number of pupils who entered Welsh first language, rather than the total number of 15 year olds.

Note that some percentages are based on small numbers of pupils (e.g. Welsh First Language entry in English Medium Schools). Any comparison of these percentages with others based on larger cohorts should be treated with caution.

\*\*\* Refers to a data item that has been suppressed as it is disclosive

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