

Attendance data and updates

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Penalty Notices

Outcomes of PNs requested / issued

(whole academic years and current academic year to date)

	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24
Requested	895	2368	3277
Total Issued	707	1870	2834
% issued	79.0%	79.0%	86.5%
Paid	548	1570	2464
Withdrawn	154	267	260
Unpaid - Prosecuted	2	21	8
Unresolved	3	12	102
% paid	77.5%	84.0%	86.9%

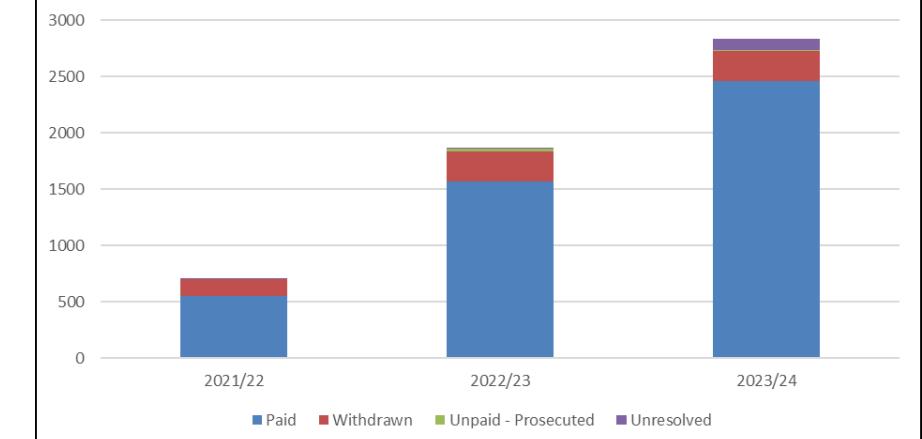
England: 4.7 PNs issued per 100 pupils in 2018/19
2.1 in Gloucestershire

England: 0.6 PNs issued per 100 pupils in 2020/21
0.2 in Gloucestershire

England: 3.0 PNs issued per 100 pupils in 2021/22
0.9 in Gloucestershire

England: 5.4 PNs issued per 100 pupils in 2022/23
2.3 in Gloucestershire

Number and outcomes of PNs issued - whole academic years and current Year to Date



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Penalty Notices

Penalty Notices issued for Holiday absence by term (terms include to end of holiday i.e. the day before new term starts):									
		Aut1	Aut2	Spr1	Spr2	Sum1	Sum2	YTD	TOTAL
2021/22	Primary	24	15	29	22	45	276	411	411
	Secondary	27	38	13	13	9	195	295	295
	Special	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	APS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL		51	53	42	35	54	471	706	706
2022/23	Primary	95	154	91	56	80	672	1148	1148
	Secondary	83	127	50	50	42	363	715	715
	Special	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	APS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL		178	281	141	106	122	1035	1863	1863
2023/24	Primary	214	265	164	115	151	858	1767	1767
	Secondary	177	226	72	35	83	454	1047	1047
	Special	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	APS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL		391	491	236	150	234	1312	2814	2814

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Latest publicly-available data



As derived from school census

School-level absence (with reasons) and Persistent & Severe Absentee numbers

...aggregated to:

- Phase and District-level*
- Phase and LA-level*
- Phase and regional-level*
- Phase and National*

Autumn Term collected January, published [May](#)

Autumn & Spring terms collected May, published [October](#)

Whole academic year collected October, published [March](#)

As derived from View Your Education Data (VYED)

Absence (Auth / Unauth) and Persistent Absentee numbers

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Collected **daily** from schools (via WONDE)

Fortnightly for previous week / **academic year to date**
Termly Reports

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Latest publicly-available data

Overall absence and Persistent Absence (PA) rates (Primary whole academic year):

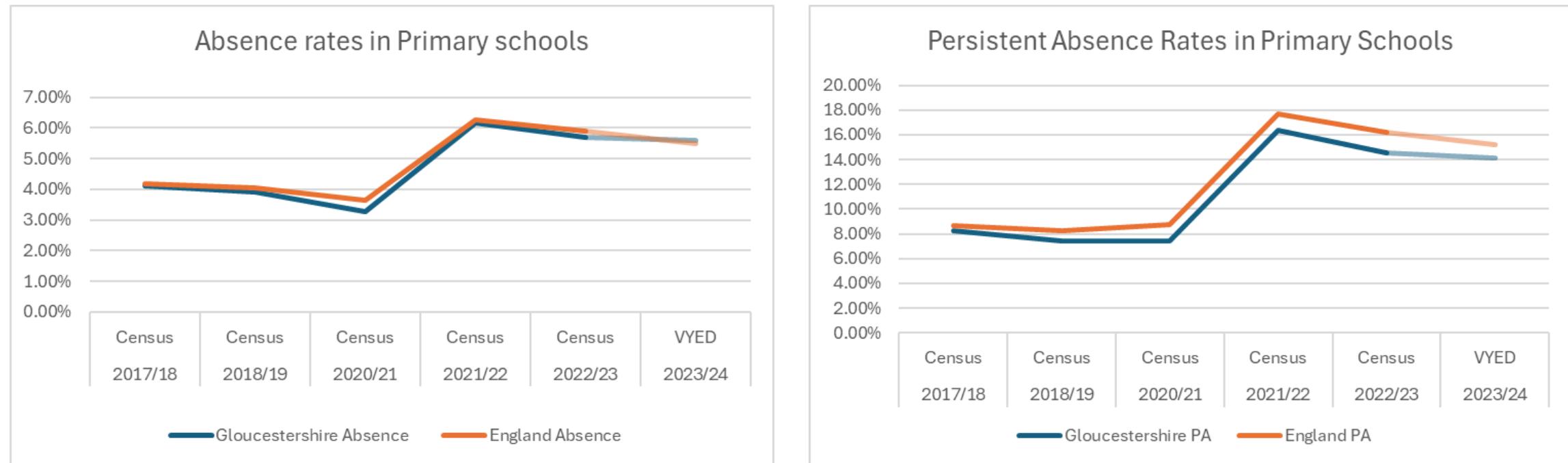
	2017/18 Census	2018/19 Census	2020/21 Census	2021/22 Census	2022/23 Census	2023/24 VYED
Gloucestershire absence %	4.13%	3.90%	3.27%	6.18%	5.69%	5.6%
England absence %	4.17%	4.03%	3.64%	6.26%	5.90%	5.5%
Gloucestershire PA %	8.25%	7.41%	7.39%	16.40%	14.51%	14.1%
England PA %	8.67%	8.25%	8.78%	17.70%	16.21%	15.2%
Gloucestershire SA %	0.35%	0.37%	0.43%	0.58%	0.70%	<i>n/a</i>
England SA %	0.72%	0.76%	1.15%	1.21%	1.44%	<i>n/a</i>

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Overall absence and Persistent Absence (PA) rates (Primary whole academic year):



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Overall absence and Persistent Absence (PA) rates
(Secondary whole academic year):

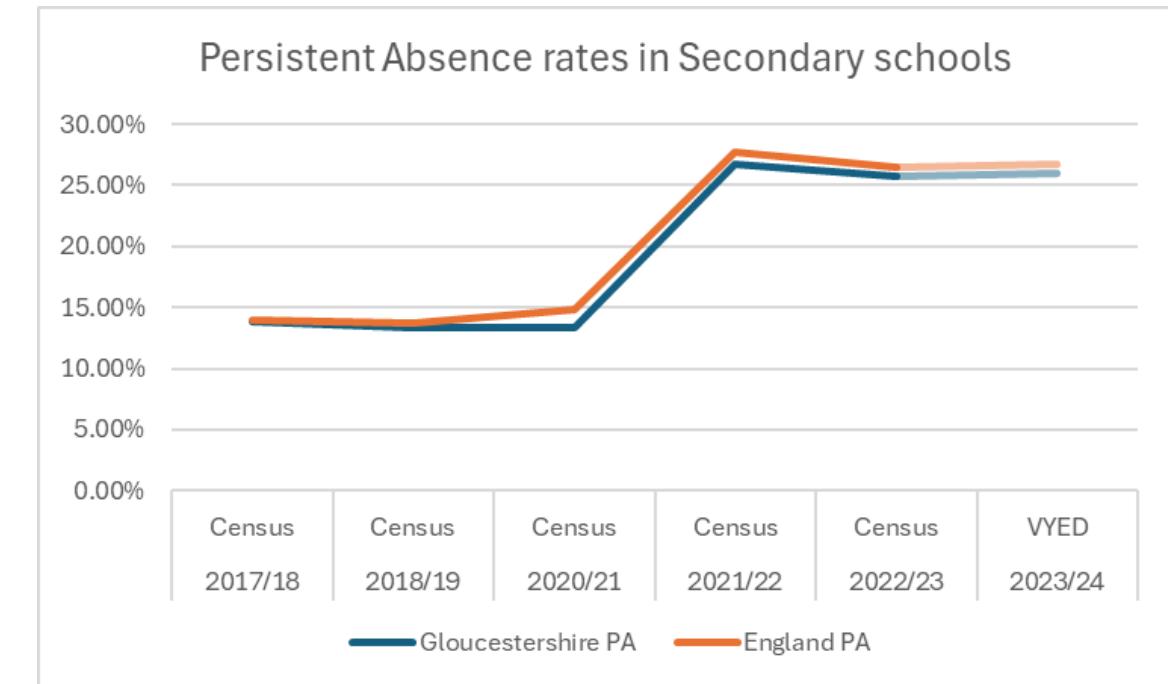
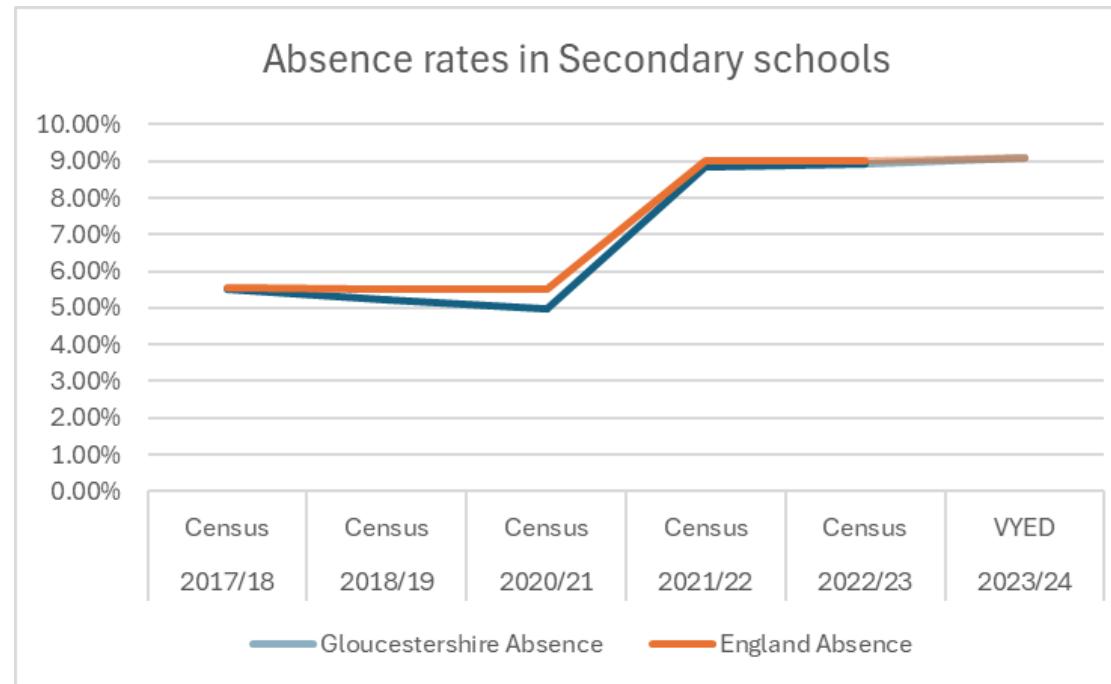
	2017/18 Census	2018/19 Census	2020/21 Census	2021/22 Census	2022/23 Census	2023/24 VYED
Gloucestershire absence %	5.52%	5.24%	4.99%	8.84%	8.91%	9.1%
England absence %	5.53%	5.49%	5.49%	8.99%	9.01%	9.1%
Gloucestershire PA %	13.88%	13.30%	13.31%	26.75%	25.75%	26.0%
England PA %	13.91%	13.69%	14.83%	27.71%	26.52%	26.7%
Gloucestershire SA %	1.09%	1.20%	1.39%	2.88%	3.40%	n/a
England SA %	2.26%	2.52%	2.87%	5.61%	6.80%	n/a

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Overall absence and Persistent Absence (PA) rates (Special whole academic year):

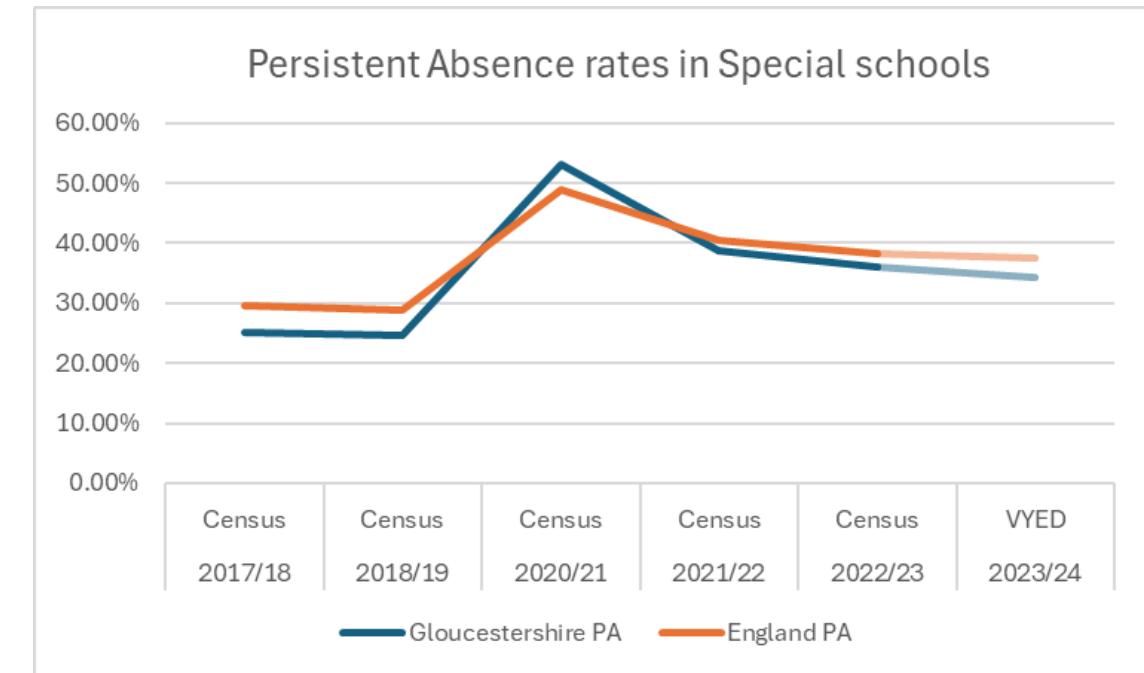
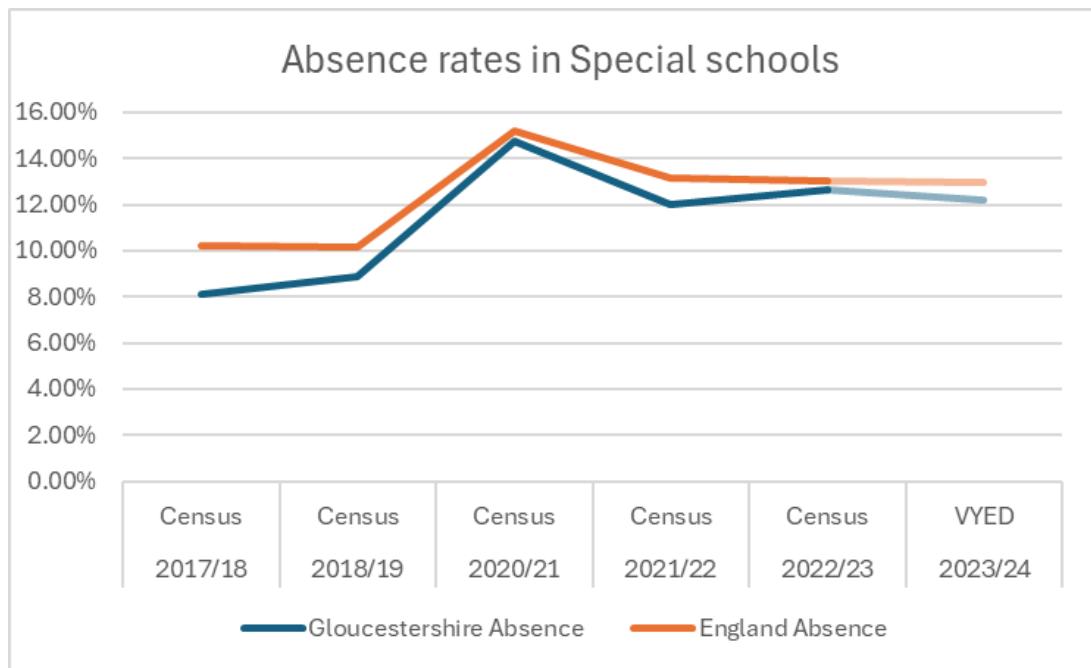
	2017/18 Census	2018/19 Census	2020/21 Census	2021/22 Census	2022/23 Census	2023/24 VYED
Gloucestershire absence %	8.08%	8.87%	14.75%	11.99%	12.66%	12.2%
England absence %	10.22%	10.13%	15.21%	13.18%	13.02%	13.0%
Gloucestershire PA %	25.17%	24.65%	53.03%	38.84%	36.09%	34.2%
England PA %	29.65%	28.85%	48.94%	40.36%	38.33%	37.6%
Gloucestershire SA %	1.80%	3.21%	3.57%	3.62%	5.39%	n/a
England SA %	6.20%	7.79%	9.16%	9.43%	11.63%	n/a

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Overall absence and Persistent Absence (PA) rates (Special whole academic year):



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Focus on...

How do Gloucestershire schools compare with other LAs, starting with those with whom we share borders, with SEN needs (highlighted by the DfE) and PP students (highlighted by Rachel De Souza, Commissioner).

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Children with an Education Health and Care Plan (EHCP) and children receiving pupil premium were more likely to have higher levels of absence than their peers:

- Having an EHCP is associated with **four** additional days of absence relative to not having any SEND support.
- Receiving pupil premium is associated with **three** additional days of absence relative to not receiving pupil premium.

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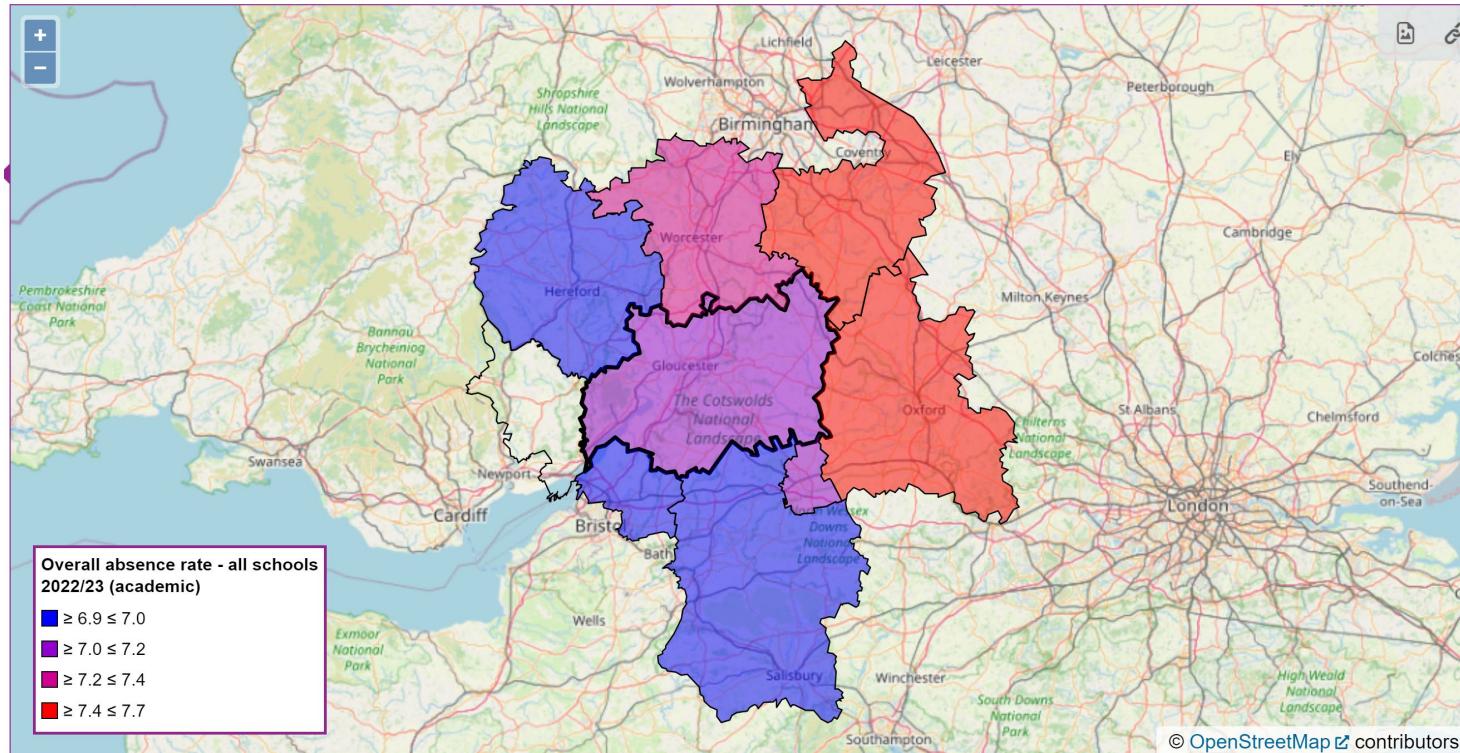
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Bordering neighbours



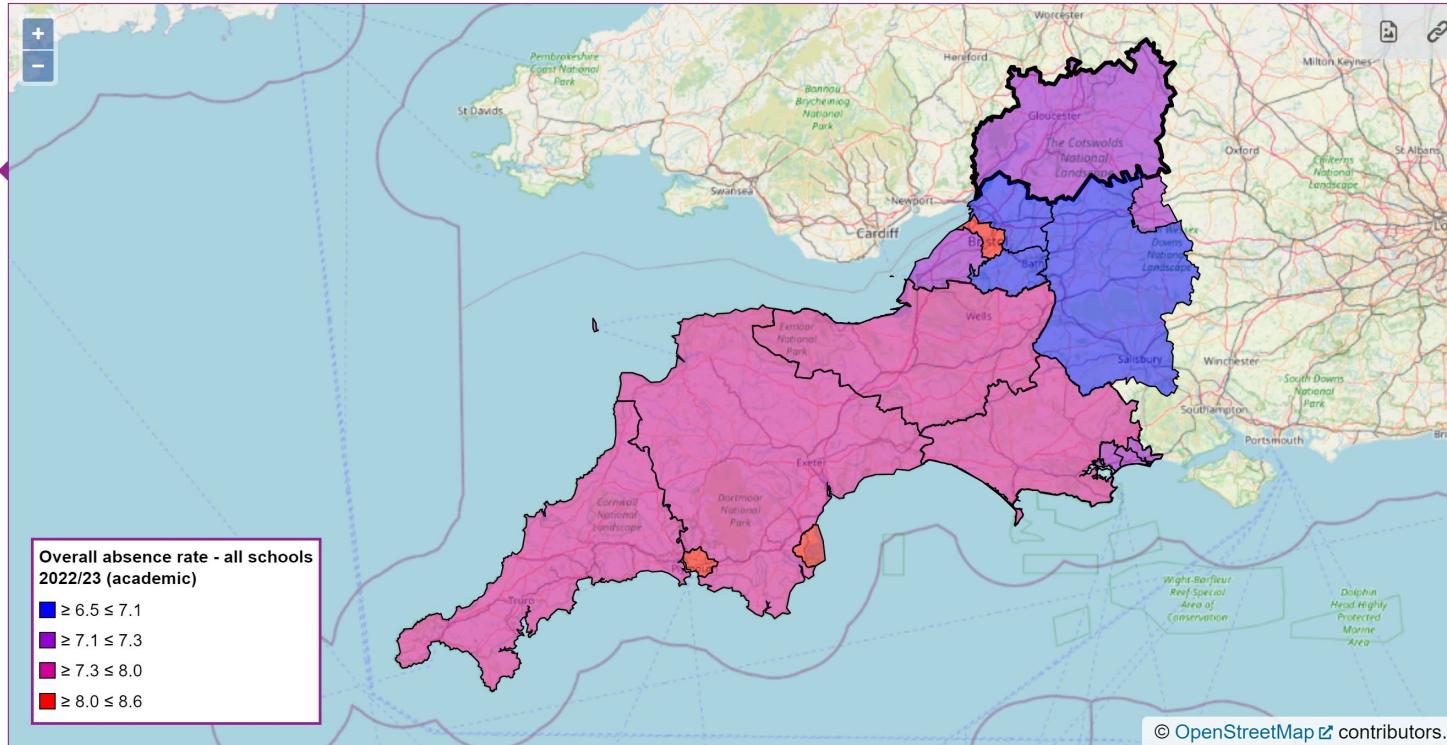
Gloucestershire
Herefordshire
(Monmouthshire)
Oxfordshire
South Gloucestershire
Swindon
Warwickshire
Wiltshire
Worcestershire

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Focus on...

South West Regional neighbours



Bath and North East Somerset
Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole
City of Bristol
Cornwall
Devon
Dorset
Gloucestershire
Isles of Scilly
North Somerset
Plymouth
Poole
Somerset
South Gloucestershire
Swindon
Torbay
Wiltshire

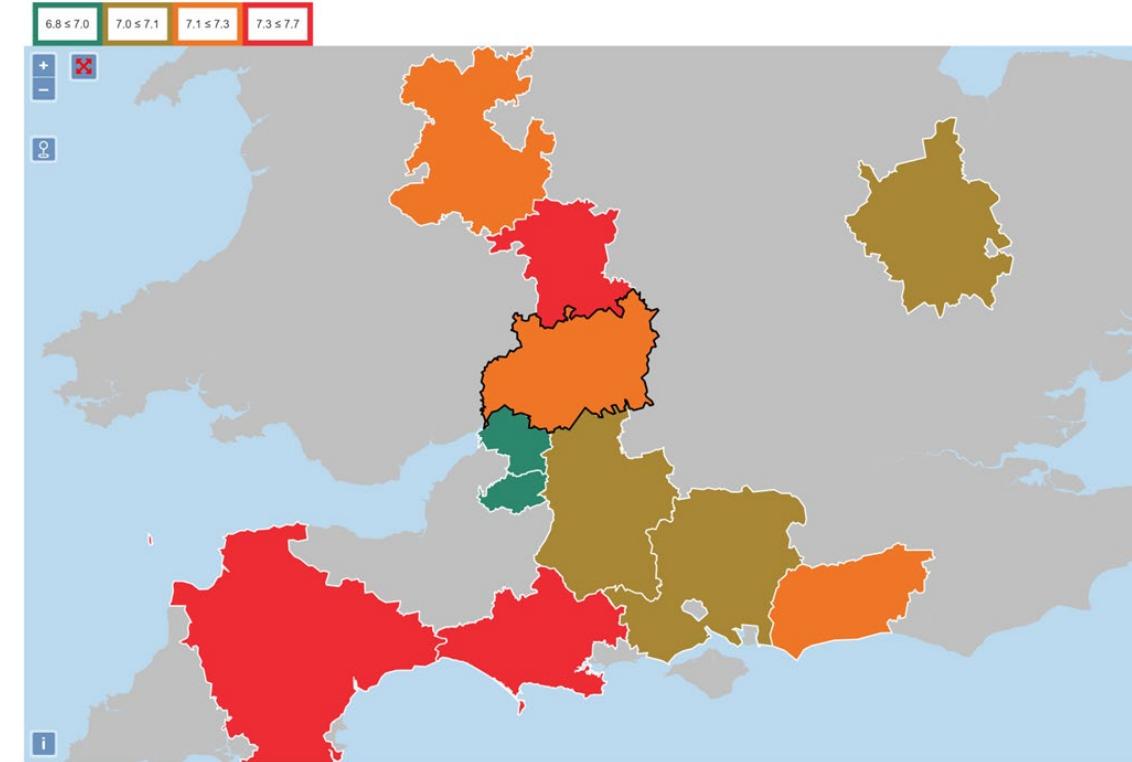
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Focus on...

Statistical neighbours

Quartiles for Children's services near neighbours for Gloucestershire



Councils with similar features within services for children and most similar socio-economic characteristics.

Bath and North East Somerset
Cambridgeshire
Devon
Dorset
Gloucestershire
Hampshire
North Somerset
Shropshire
South Gloucestershire
West Sussex
Wiltshire
Worcestershire

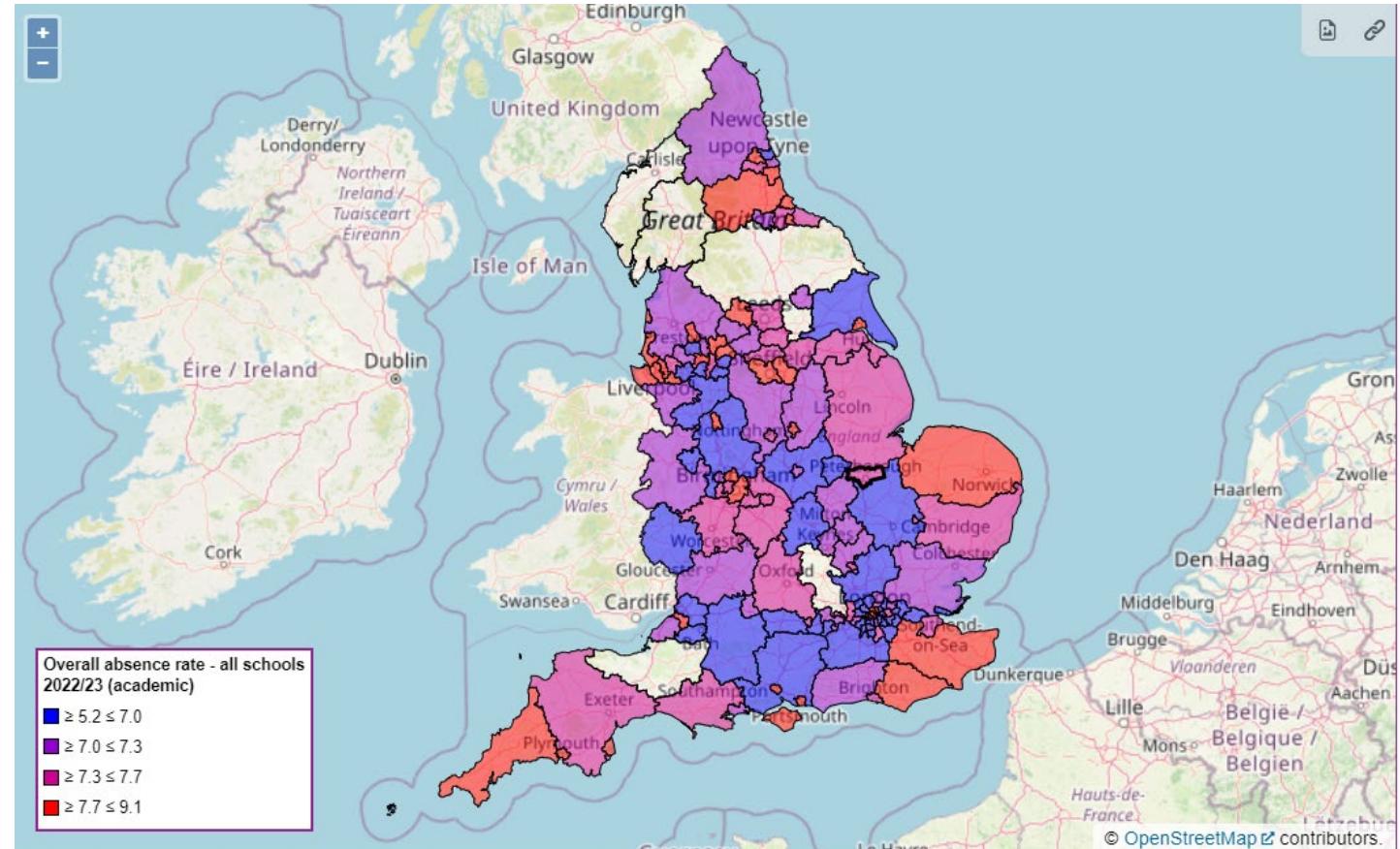
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National

All LAs in England (154)

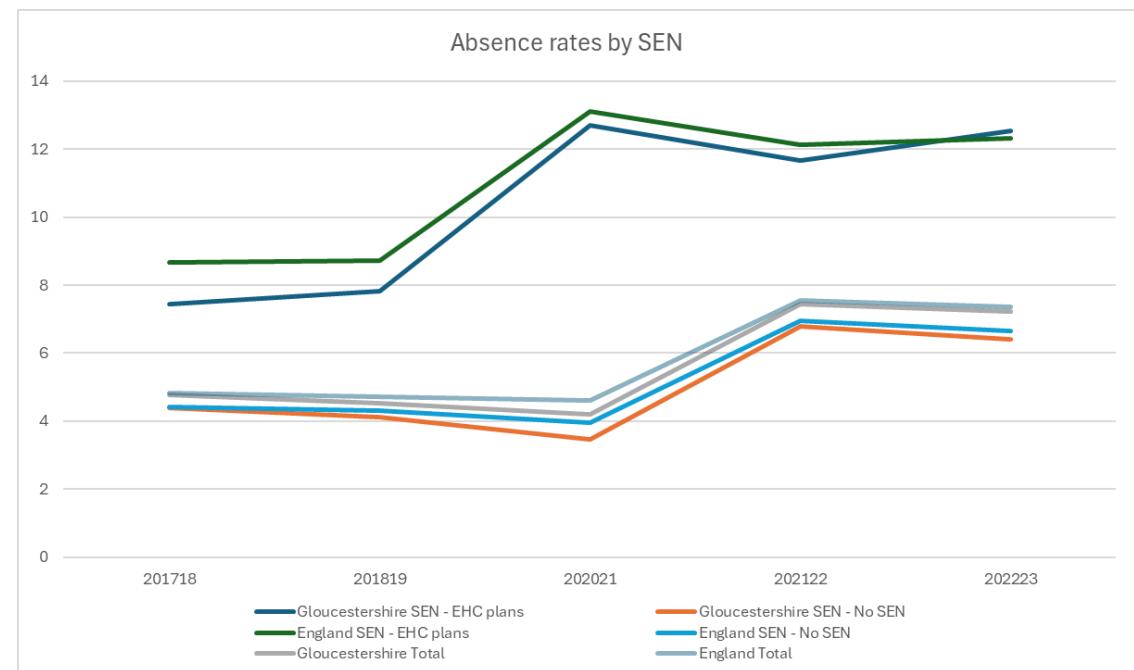
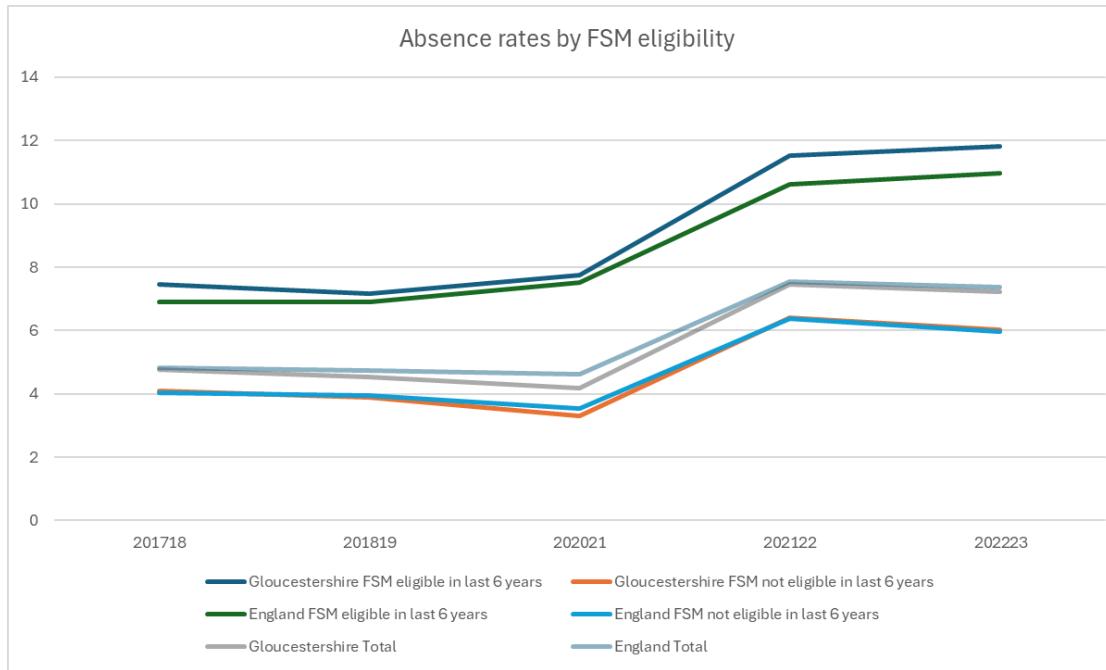


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Gloucestershire and National



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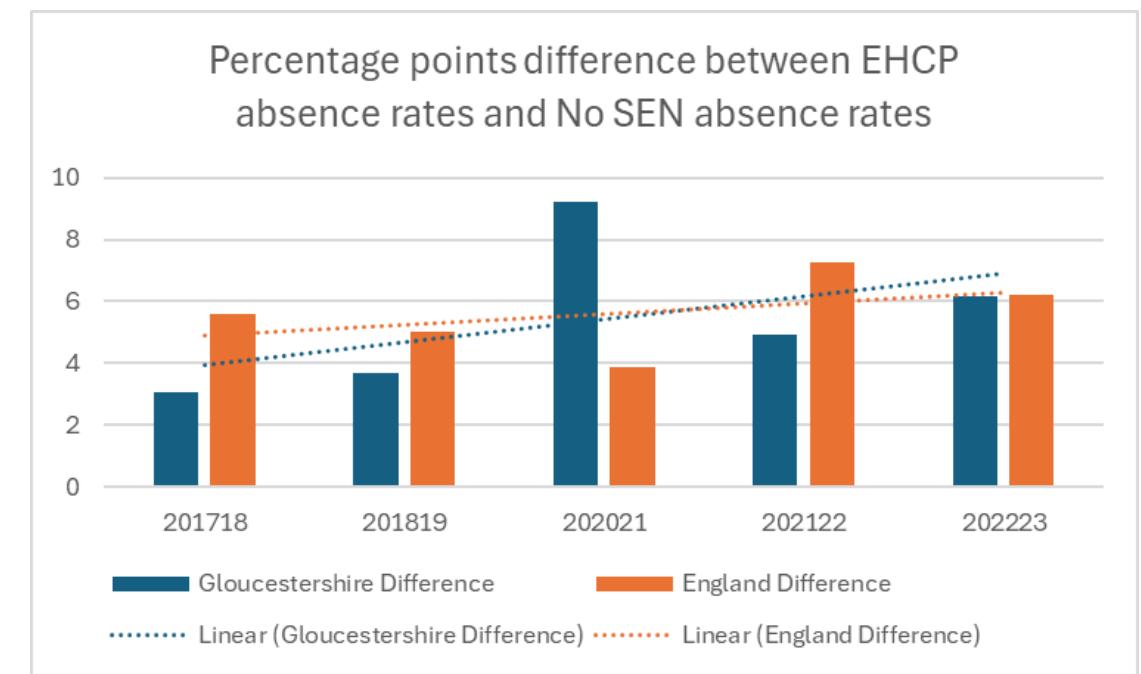
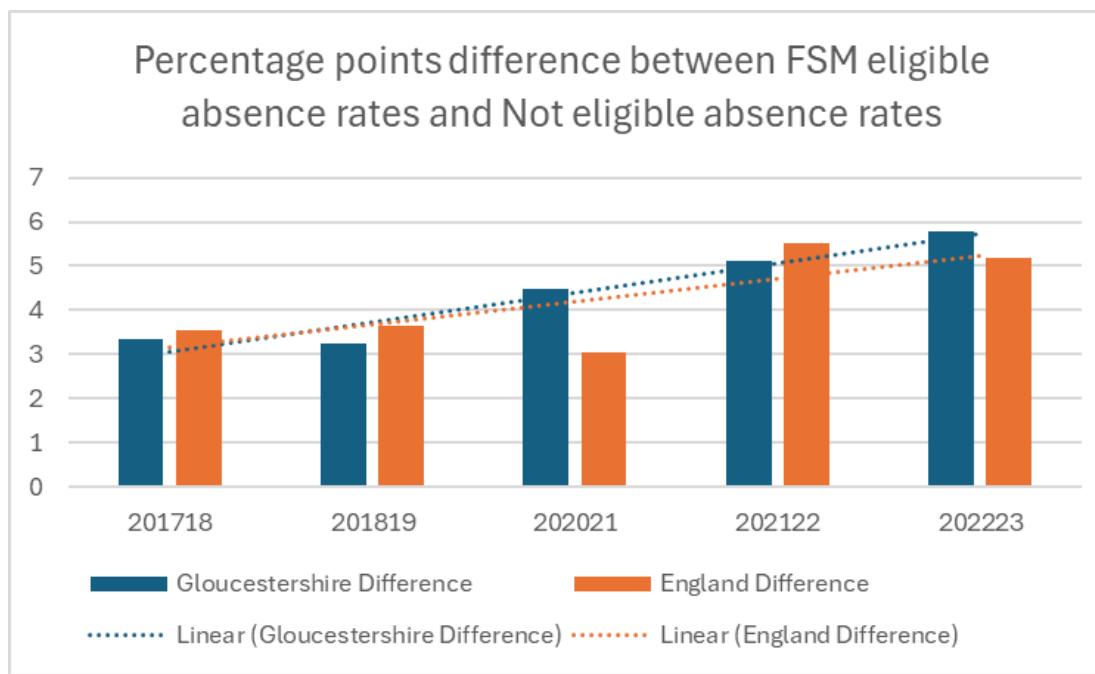


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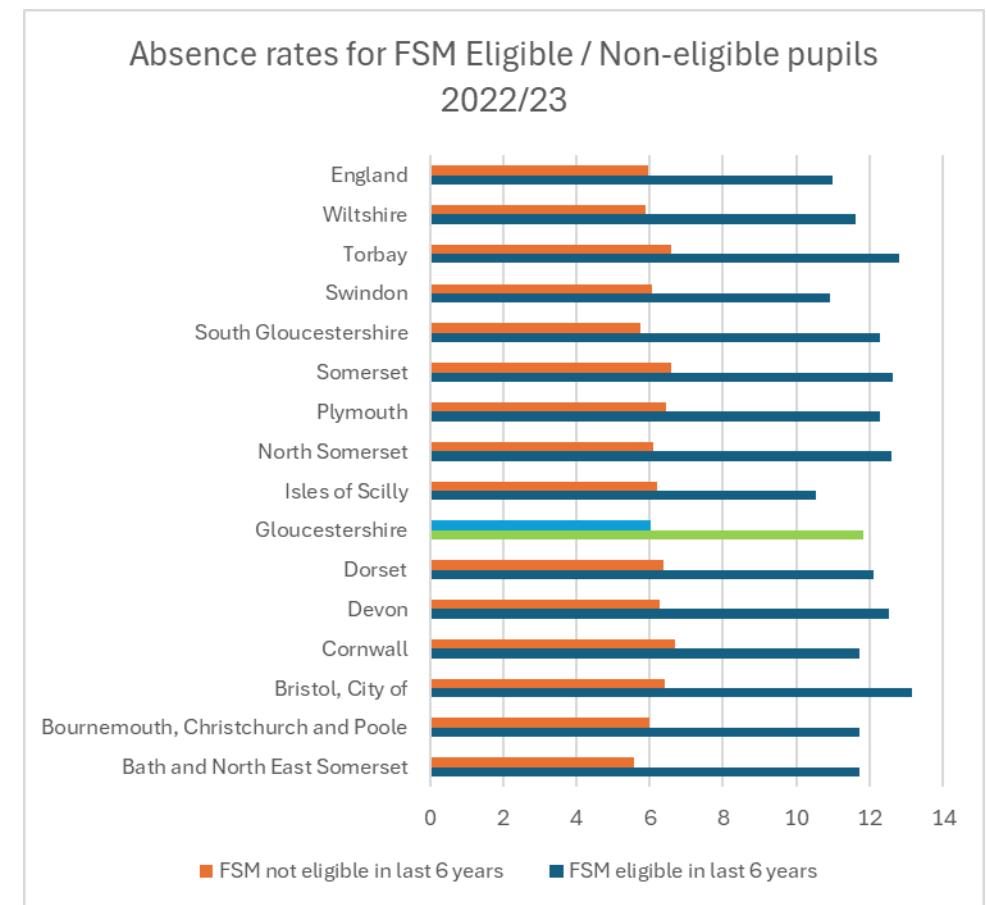
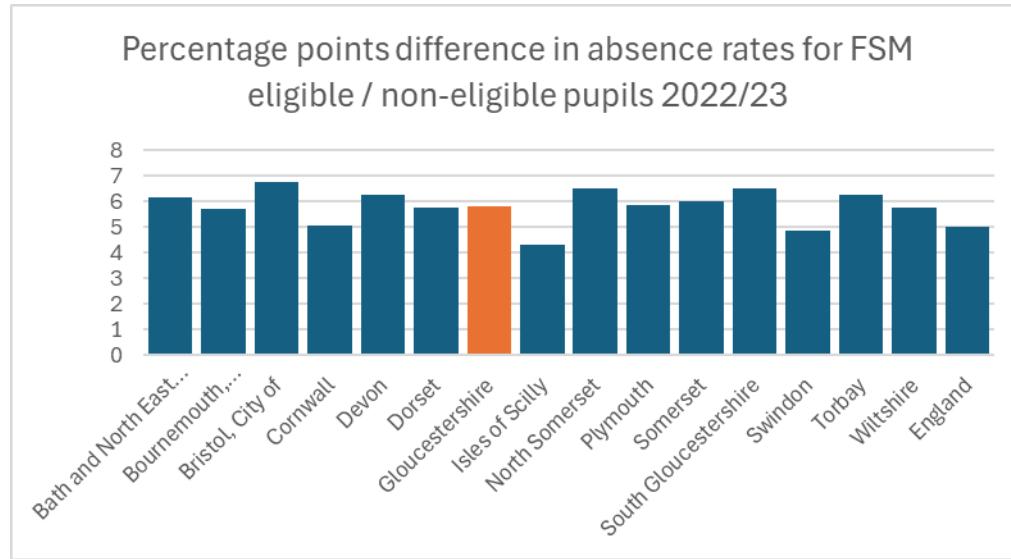


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South West Regional LAs

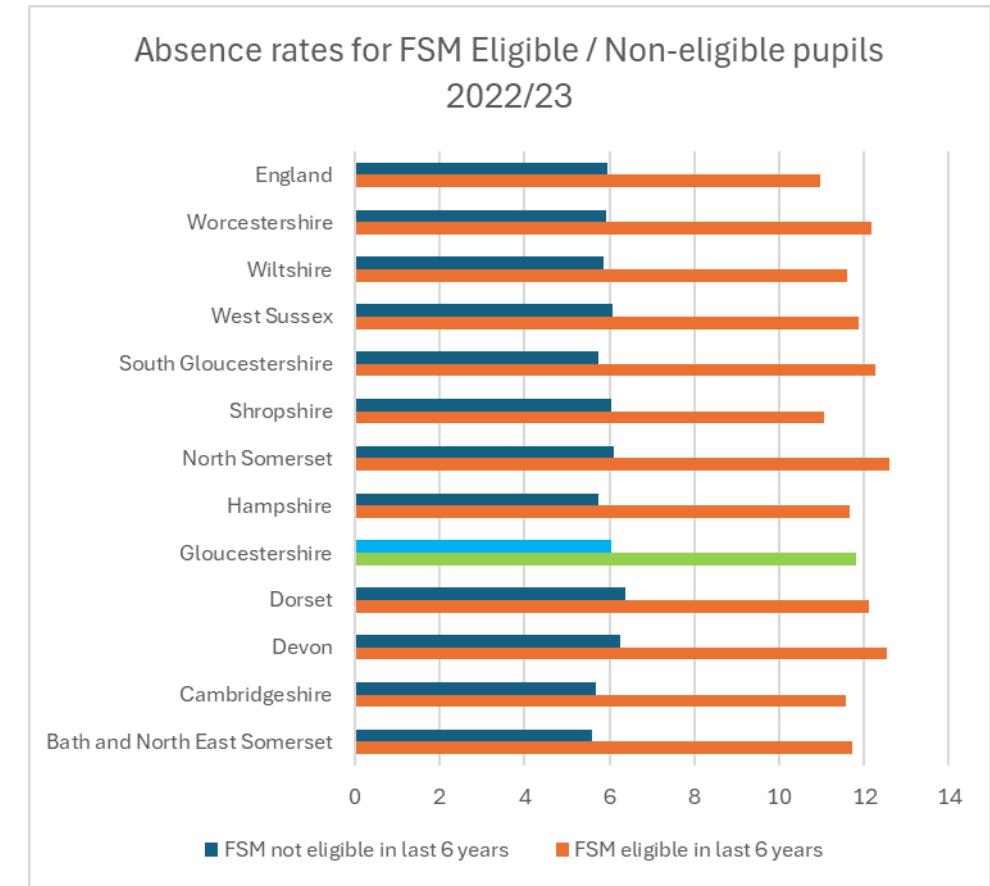
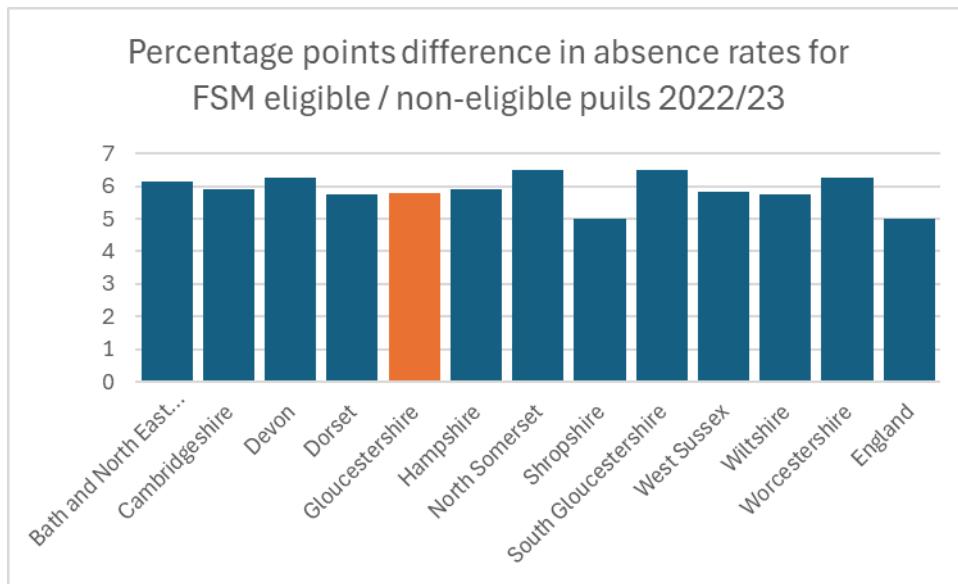


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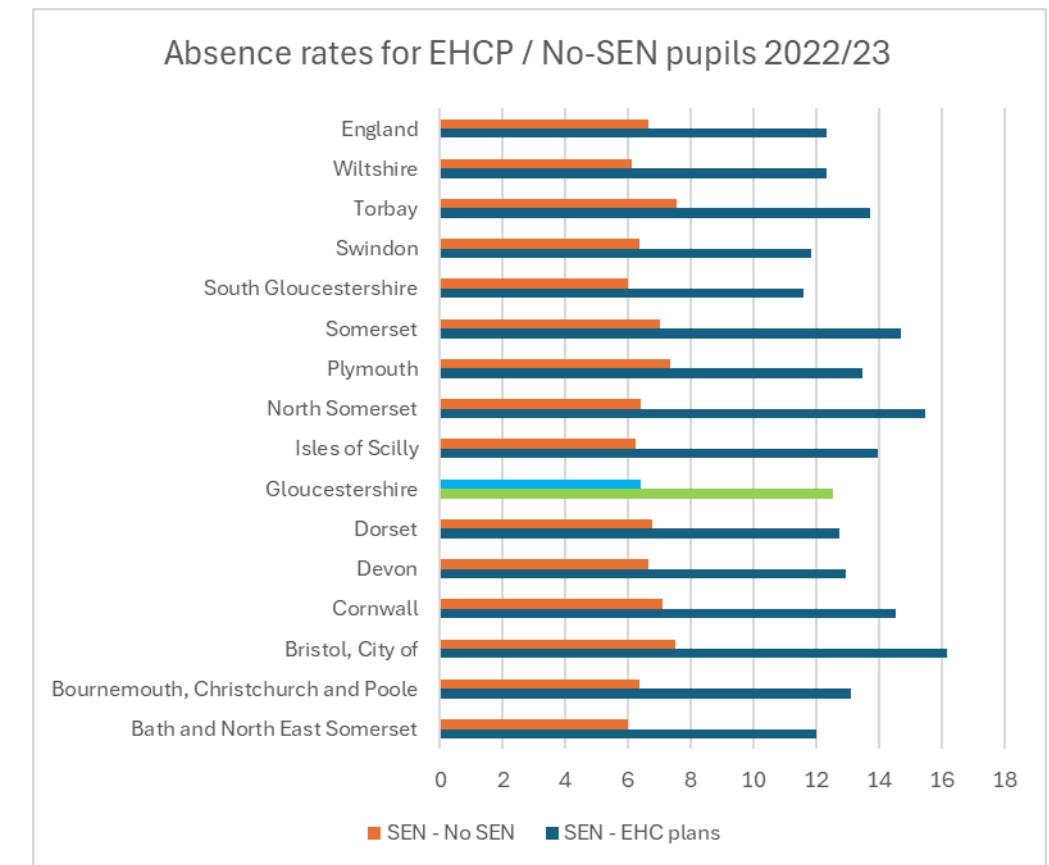
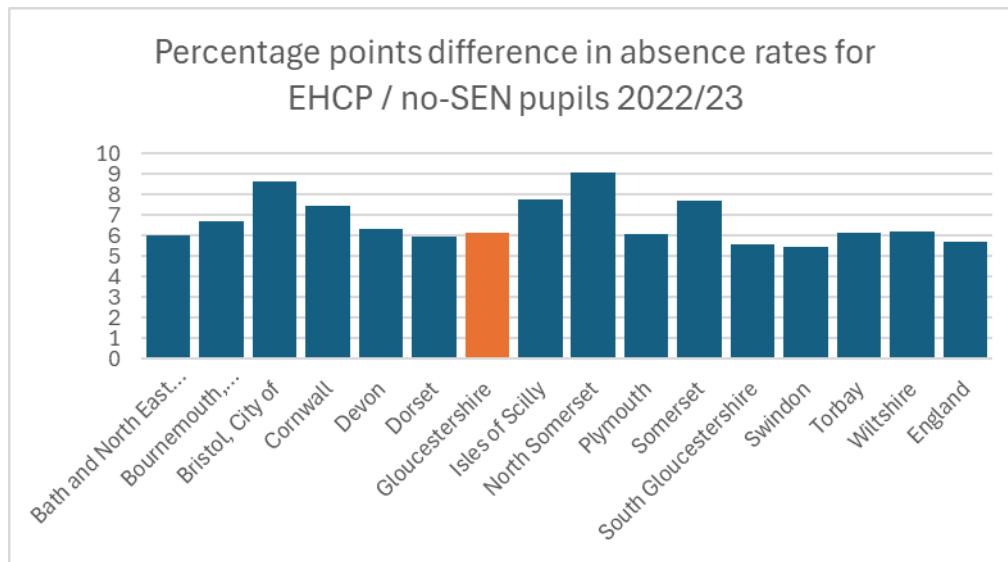
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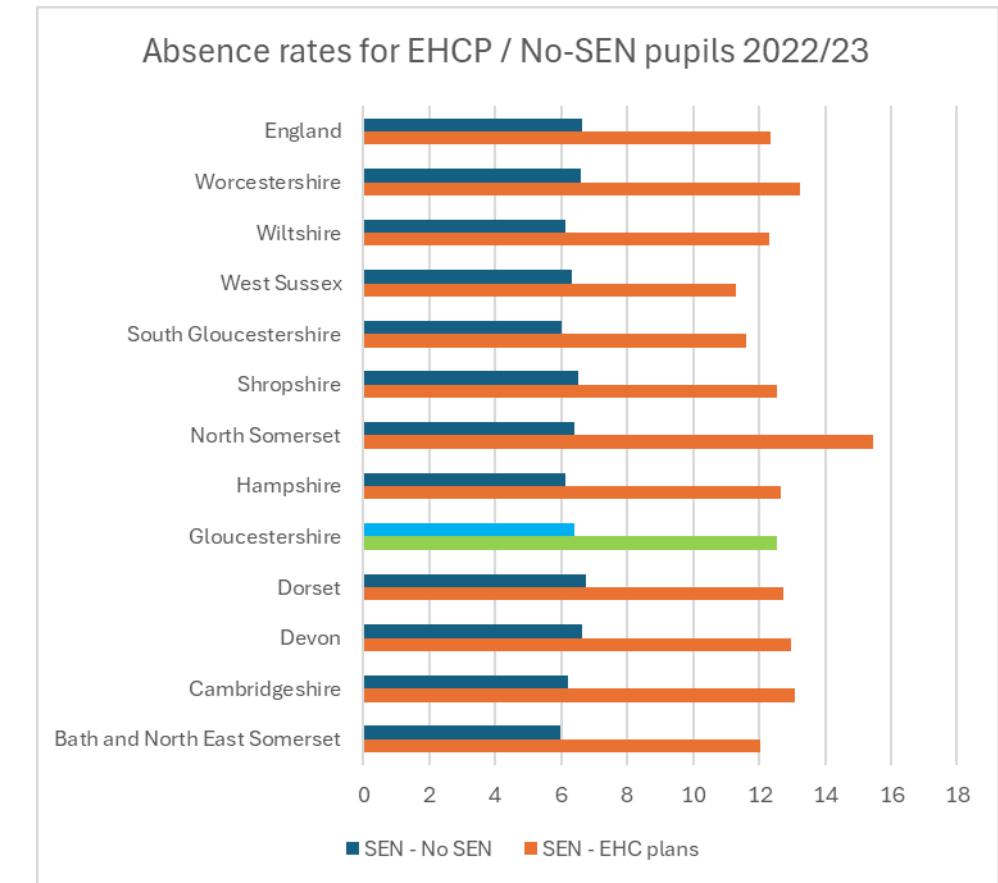
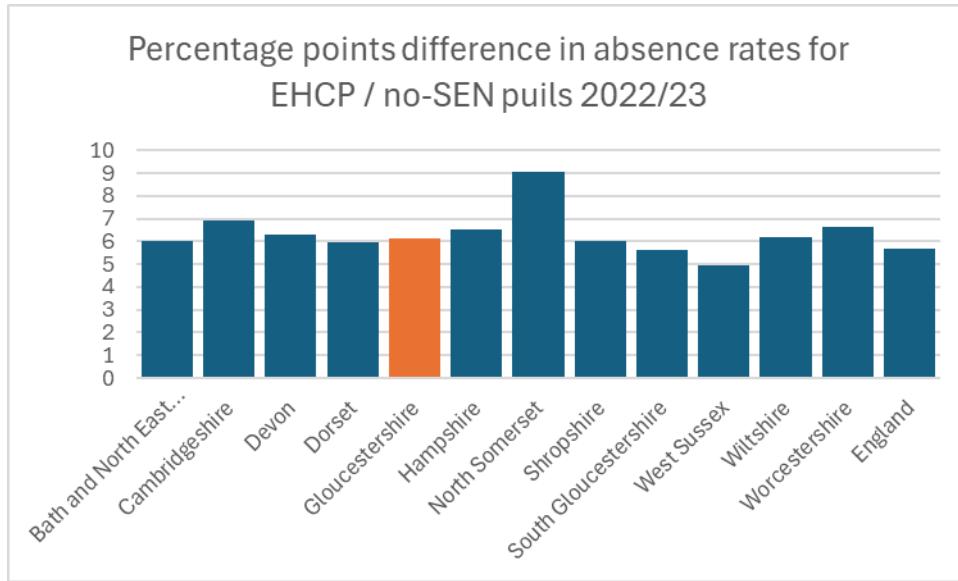


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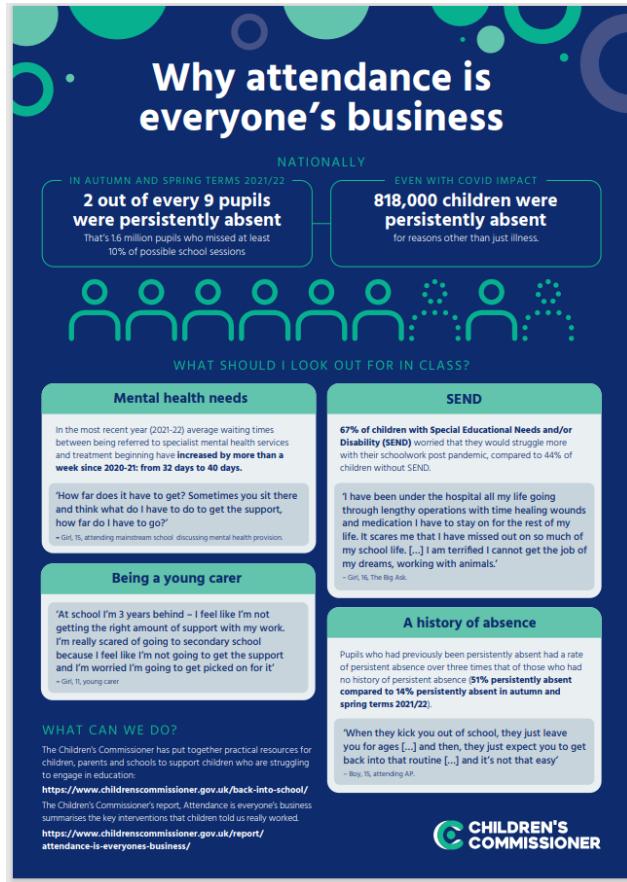
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Children at risk of persistent absence

From the extensive research carried out by the Commissioner, the CCo has identified the following groups of children who are more at risk of absence from school.

- Children with Special Educational Needs and/or Disability (SEND)
- Mental health
- Young carers
- Children with a history of exclusion & absence

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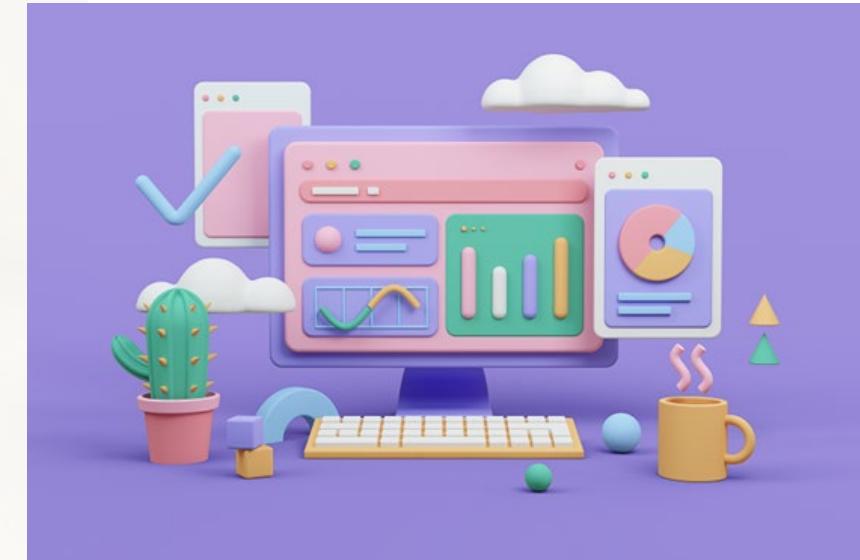
Attendance data and updates

- Contact Inclusion Officers for advice and support on managing absence and promoting attendance
- Upgrade to the latest version of WONDE to keep accurate data flowing between schools, DfE and GCC
- Regularly check Perspective Lite for detail on data quality queries
- Contact your linked Inclusion Officer or Education Data, Analysis and Insights Team if you have any data-related questions or training requests



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Thank you!

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