8. Benchmarking distribution

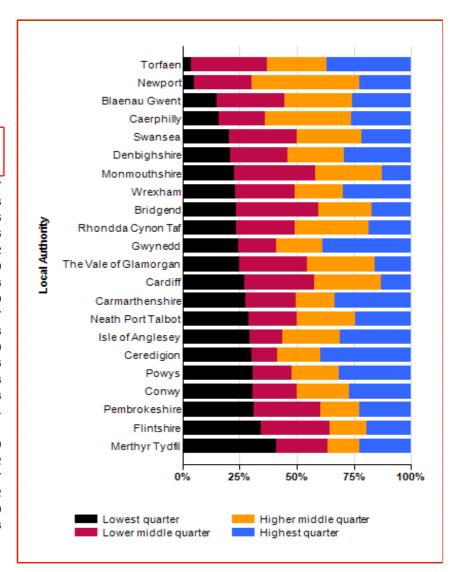


8.1 KS2 CSI - Distribution of schools by benchmarked quarters for % pupils achieving LA comparison 2011/12

Schools are benchmarked against other schools within the same free school meal band.

Schools in the lowest quarter are within the lowest performing 25% of schools in the relevant benchmarking group Schools in the lower middle quarter are within the lowest performing 50% of schools in the relevant benchmarking group Schools in the higher middle quarter are within the highest performing 50% of schools in the relevant benchmarking group Schools in the highest quarter are within the highest performing 25% of schools in the relevant benchmarking group

	Number	Number of schools in each quarter				% of schools in each quarter			
Local Authority	of schools	Lowest	Lower middle	Higher middle	Highest	Lowest	Lower middle	Higher middle	Highest
Torfaen	27	1	9	7	10	4	33	26	37
Newport	40	2	10	19	9	5	25	48	23
Blaenau Gwent	27	4	8	8	7	15	30	30	26
Caerphilly	69	11	14	26	18	16	20	38	26
Swansea	78	16	23	22	17	21	29	28	22
Denbighshire	48	10	12	12	14	21	25	25	29
Monmouthshire	31	7	11	9	4	23	35	29	13
Wrexham	57	13	15	12	17	23	26	21	30
Bridgend	47	11	17	11	8	23	36	23	17
Rhondda Cynon Taf	98	23	25	32	18	23	26	33	18
Gwynedd	98	24	16	20	38	24	16	20	39
The Vale of Glamorgan	44	11	13	13	7	25	30	30	16
Cardiff	92	25	28	27	12	27	30	29	13
Carmarthenshire	105	29	23	18	35	28	22	17	33
Neath Port Talbot	62	18	13	16	15	29	21	26	24
Isle of Anglesey	48	14	7	12	15	29	15	25	31
Ceredigion	53	16	6	10	21	30	11	19	40
Powys	92	28	16	19	29	30	17	21	32
Conwy	52	16	10	12	14	31	19	23	27
Pembrokeshire	58	18	17	10	13	31	29	17	22
Flintshire	67	23	20	11	13	34	30	16	19
Merthyr Tydfil	22	9	5	3	5	41	23	14	23



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