



18.1 KS4 L2 inc E/W & M - Distribution of schools by benchmarked quarters for % 15 year olds achieving LA comparison 2011/12

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

NB For KS4 performance in Welsh 1st Language, schools are benchmarked against all schools in Wales with Welsh 1st Language

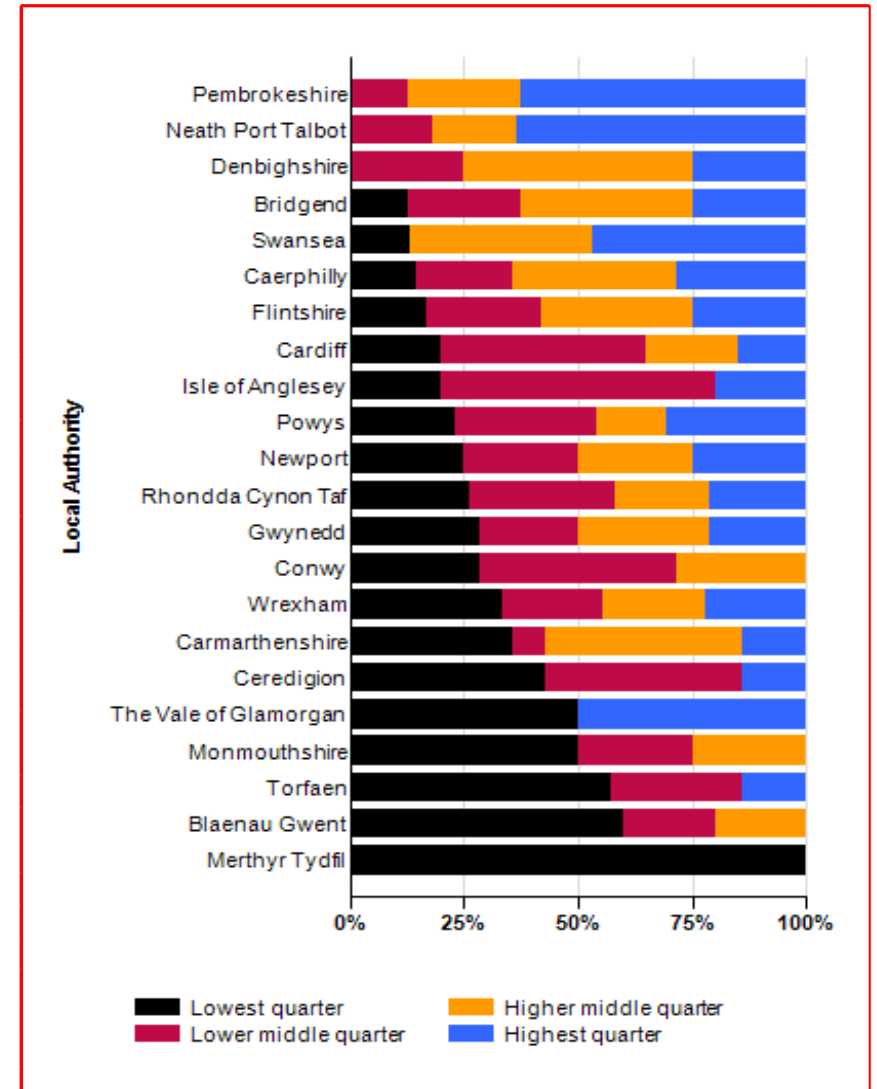
Schools in the lowest quarter are within the lowest performing 25% of schools in the relevant benchmarking group

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

Local Authority	Number of schools	Number of schools in each quarter				% of schools in each quarter				
		Lowest	Lower middle	Higher middle	Highest	Lowest	Lower middle	Higher middle	Highest	
Pembrokeshire	8	0	1	2	5	0	13	25	63	
Neath Port Talbot	11	0	2	2	7	0	18	18	64	
Denbighshire	8	0	2	4	2	0	25	50	25	
Bridgend	8	1	2	3	2	13	25	38	25	
Swansea	15	2	0	6	7	13	0	40	47	
Caerphilly	14	2	3	5	4	14	21	36	29	
Flintshire	12	2	3	4	3	17	25	33	25	
Cardiff	20	4	9	4	3	20	45	20	15	
Isle of Anglesey	5	1	3	0	1	20	60	0	20	
Powys	13	3	4	2	4	23	31	15	31	
Newport	8	2	2	2	2	25	25	25	25	
Rhondda Cynon Taf	19	5	6	4	4	26	32	21	21	
Gwynedd	14	4	3	4	3	29	21	29	21	
Conwy	7	2	3	2	0	29	43	29	0	
Wrexham	9	3	2	2	2	33	22	22	22	
Carmarthenshire	14	5	1	6	2	36	7	43	14	
Ceredigion	7	3	3	0	1	43	43	0	14	
The Vale of Glamorgan	8	4	0	0	4	50	0	0	50	
Monmouthshire	4	2	1	1	0	50	25	25	0	
Torfaen	7	4	2	0	1	57	29	0	14	
Blaenau Gwent	5	3	1	1	0	60	20	20	0	
Merthyr Tydfil	4	4	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	



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