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**REPORT OF:  
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**SCHOOL ATTENDANCE PERFORMANCE  
IN RCT FOR THE FIRST HALF TERM OF  
THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2013-2014**

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**1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

The purpose of this report is to provide Members with an analysis of school attendance performance for the first half term of 2013/14, to the end of October 2013.

**2. RECOMMENDATIONS**

It is recommended that Members:

- 2.1 Note the information contained within this report.
- 2.2 Scrutinise and comment on the information provided.
- 2.3 Consider whether they wish to scrutinise in greater depth any matters contained in the report.

**3. PRIMARY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE**

3.1 This report monitors progress of the schools attendance in the first half term to the end of October 2013. An analysis of the data, primary school by primary school is set out in Appendix A, which also includes the attendance of the 4 special schools. The table below shows the overall attendance for the first half term of 2013/14 compared to the same period in 2012/13.

	<b>2012/13</b>	<b>2013/14</b>
<b>Autumn ½ Term 1</b>	94.16 %	94.82 %

- 3.2 Currently the overall primary school attendance is 94.82% compared to 94.16% for the previous year, an increase of almost 0.7%.
- 3.3 Of 110 primary schools, 82 schools have met or bettered their targets set to improve their attendance rates, with 45 schools achieving greater or equal to 95%, 19 schools achieving greater or equal to 96%, and 2 schools Coedylan and Penygawsi Primary Schools exceeding 97% attendance.

- 3.4 Appendix B shows each primary school's performance against RCT schools in similar free school meal groups. It provides Members with a more equitable analysis of the best performers when compared to similar schools.
- 3.5 During the period 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2013 to 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2013, the Council's Attendance and Wellbeing Service has:
- Accepted 162 referrals
  - Closed 243 cases (successful outcomes achieved – attendance improved)
  - Prosecuted 15 parents for non-attendance of their children
  - Undertaken 20 Daily Absence Response Team (DART) initiatives to support the first day response procedures in 8 primary schools
  - Undertaken 25 Meet and Greet initiatives to support 9 primary schools to tackle lateness
  - Provided 109 'Super Attender Challenge' Assemblies in primary schools and 2 in special schools
- 3.6 The Council's Attendance and Wellbeing Service will continue to review the attendance data with school headteachers to ensure attendance remains a priority for all schools and is given a very high profile with pupils and parents.

#### 4. **SECONDARY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE**

- 4.1 The table below shows the attendance performance of secondary schools for the first half term of the 2013/14 academic year compared to the same period in 2012/13.

School Name	% Attendance Aut 1/2 Term 1 2012/13	% Attendance Aut 1/2 Term 1 2013/14	% Improvement
Aberdare Girls' Comprehensive	92.42 %	93.47 %	1.05%
Aberdare High School	93.44 %	94.14 %	0.70%
Blaengwawr Comprehensive School	91.18 %	91.99 %	0.72%
Bryncelynnog Comprehensive School	94.53 %	94.73 %	0.20%
Cardinal Newman RC Comprehensive	95.59 %	95.33 %	-0.26%
Ferndale Community School	90.19 %	92.72 %	2.53%
Hawthorn High School	93.01 %	93.78 %	0.77%
Mountain Ash Comprehensive School	90.97 %	92.54 %	1.57%
Pontypridd High School	93.24 %	93.69 %	0.45%
Porth County Community School	92.30 %	92.73 %	0.43%
St John Baptist C in W High School	94.20 %	94.79 %	0.59%
Tonypandy Community College	92.44 %	94.54 %	2.10%
Tonyrefail School	92.17 %	93.17 %	1.00%
Treorchy Comprehensive School	94.53 %	95.01 %	0.48%
Ysgol Gyfun Garth Olwg	94.87 %	95.17 %	0.30%
Ysgol Llanhari	94.81 %	94.88 %	0.07%

Ysgol Gyfun Rhydywaun	94.50 %	93.73 %	-0.77%
Y Pant Comprehensive School	94.16 %	95.16 %	1.00%
Ysgol Gyfun Y Cymer Rhondda	94.36 %	94.46 %	0.10%
<b>RCT</b>	<b>93.41%</b>	<b>94.07%</b>	<b>0.66%</b>

- 4.2 The table shows that 17 of the 19 secondary schools have improved pupils' attendance in the first half term of 2013/14, compared to the same period in 2012/13 and the County Borough overall rate has increased by 0.66%. Secondary school attendance now stands at 94.07%, the highest it has ever been in RCT.
- 4.3 It is pleasing to see that all schools have met or bettered their targets set to improve their attendance rates this half term. Eight schools are currently achieving attendance rates greater or equal to 1% above their target, with 2 schools Ferndale and Tonypany performing over 2% above target. This is an excellent performance by the Council's secondary schools.
- 4.4 Appendix C sets out the performance of the 19 secondary schools against the targets the schools' set in agreement with the Council. These targets have been set in line with their free school meal group bandings therefore this table provides Members with a more equitable analysis of the best performers when compared to similar schools.

## 5. PUPIL REFERRAL UNIT (PRU) ATTENDANCE

- 5.1 The table below shows the attendance performance of pupil referral units for the first half term of the 2013/14 academic year compared to the same period in 2012/13. (N.B. This data is not collected by the Welsh Government and there is no statutory requirement for PRUs to submit annual attendance data).

Pupil Referral Unit	% Attendance Aut 1/2 Term 1 2012/13	% Attendance Aut 1/2 Term 1 2013/14	% Improvement
New Start Skills Centre	65.61 %	69.15 %	3.54%
Tai Education Centre	91.16 %	94.17 %	3.01%
Ty Gwyn Education Centre	74.24 %	80.8 %	6.56%
<b>RCT</b>	<b>74.82 %</b>	<b>78.5 %</b>	<b>3.68%</b>

- 5.2 The table shows that all three PRU's have improved pupils' attendance by at least 3% in the first half term of 2013/14 compared to the same period in 2012/13, with Ty Gwyn having made an improvement of 6.56%. This is excellent performance by the Council's PRU's especially when this group of pupils often face multiple barriers to school attendance.

## 6. CONCLUSION

- 6.1 Cabinet and the Education Scrutiny Committee have made improving school attendance a priority for the Council and its schools. It is pleasing to see the continued overall progress made by the primary and secondary schools in the first half term of 2013/14 in improving attendance. If this continued focus on attendance is maintained it should impact on educational standards in the future.

- 6.2 Now that schools are changing expectations of pupils and parents in respect of the importance of attendance at school it is important that the Council, governors and other public agencies continue to support the headteachers in achieving the 95% attendance rate over the next few years.

## APPENDIX A

	Aut 1/2 Term 1	Aut 1/2 Term 1	Cumulative Full Year			
	2012/2013	2013/2014	2012/2013	2013/2014	Target	Variance
Abercynon Primary School	93.88 %	94.48 %	93.88 %	94.48 %	93.73 %	0.75 %
Aberdare Park Primary School	94.13 %	94.32 %	94.13 %	94.32 %	93.74 %	0.58 %
Aberdare Town C in W Primary	96.14 %	95.94 %	96.14 %	95.94 %	94.89 %	1.05 %
Aberllechau Primary School	91.96 %	92.86 %	91.96 %	92.86 %	93.20 %	-0.34 %
Abernant Primary School	96.67 %	94.63 %	96.67 %	94.63 %	95.43 %	-0.80 %
Alaw Primary School	93.87 %	95.30 %	93.87 %	95.30 %	93.95 %	1.35 %
Blaengwawr Primary School	95.70 %	94.52 %	95.70 %	94.52 %	94.80 %	-0.28 %
Bodringallt Primary School	91.77 %	90.87 %	91.77 %	90.87 %	92.30 %	-1.43 %
Brynnau Primary School	94.17 %	95.38 %	94.17 %	95.38 %	95.80 %	-0.42 %
Caegarw Primary School	93.68 %	95.26 %	93.68 %	95.26 %	93.80 %	1.46 %
Capcoch Primary School	92.42 %	93.51 %	92.42 %	93.51 %	94.40 %	-0.89 %
Caradog Primary School	93.89 %	95.14 %	93.89 %	95.14 %	94.60 %	0.54 %
Cefn Primary School	92.16 %	93.73 %	92.16 %	93.73 %	92.30 %	1.43 %
Cilfynydd Primary School	94.42 %	94.06 %	94.42 %	94.06 %	94.02 %	0.04 %
Coedpenmaen County Primary School	93.34 %	95.72 %	93.34 %	95.72 %	94.71 %	1.01 %
Coedylan Primary School	96.99 %	97.17 %	96.99 %	97.17 %	96.90 %	0.27 %
Craig Yr Hesg Primary School	94.52 %	95.20 %	94.52 %	95.20 %	94.05 %	1.15 %
Cwmaman Infants School	94.68 %	91.14 %	94.68 %	91.14 %	94.10 %	-2.96 %
Cwmbach C in W Primary School	92.83 %	93.06 %	92.83 %	93.06 %	92.90 %	0.16 %
Cwmbach Primary School	93.57 %	93.54 %	93.57 %	93.54 %	93.21 %	0.32 %
Cwmclydach Community Primary School	92.86 %	92.67 %	92.86 %	92.67 %	92.30 %	0.37 %
Cwmdar County Primary School	94.99 %	95.67 %	94.99 %	95.67 %	94.38 %	1.29 %
Cwmlai Primary School	94.00 %	95.92 %	94.00 %	95.92 %	94.60 %	1.32 %
Cymmer Infants School	94.13 %	94.00 %	94.13 %	94.00 %	92.73 %	1.27 %
Cymmer Junior School	92.94 %	94.00 %	92.94 %	94.00 %	92.32 %	1.67 %
Darran Park Primary School	95.32 %	94.49 %	95.32 %	94.49 %	93.90 %	0.59 %
Darrenlas Primary School	94.90 %	91.40 %	94.90 %	91.40 %	93.20 %	-1.80 %

<b>Dolau Primary School</b>	93.72 %	95.76 %	93.72 %	95.76 %	94.65 %	1.11 %
<b>Ferndale Infants School</b>	92.54 %	93.89 %	92.54 %	93.89 %	93.30 %	0.59 %
<b>Ffynnon Taf Primary School</b>	94.64 %	93.99 %	94.64 %	93.99 %	94.60 %	-0.61 %
<b>Gelli Primary School</b>	94.41 %	94.50 %	94.41 %	94.50 %	93.38 %	1.12 %
<b>Glanffrwd Infants School</b>	96.64 %	95.11 %	96.64 %	95.11 %	94.80 %	0.31 %
<b>Glantaf Infants School</b>	91.97 %	93.64 %	91.97 %	93.64 %	92.30 %	1.34 %
<b>Glenboi Primary School</b>	94.62 %	96.21 %	94.62 %	96.21 %	93.06 %	3.15 %
<b>Glynhafod Junior School</b>	92.70 %	94.34 %	92.70 %	94.34 %	94.88 %	-0.54 %
<b>Gwauncelyn Primary School</b>	95.39 %	96.07 %	95.39 %	96.07 %	95.15 %	0.92 %
<b>Gwaunmeisgyn Primary School</b>	95.25 %	96.08 %	95.25 %	96.08 %	94.60 %	1.48 %
<b>Hafod Primary School</b>	93.46 %	93.44 %	93.46 %	93.44 %	94.00 %	-0.56 %
<b>Hawthorn Primary School</b>	94.82 %	94.68 %	94.82 %	94.68 %	95.13 %	-0.45 %
<b>Hendreforgan Primary School</b>	92.51 %	93.38 %	92.51 %	93.38 %	93.10 %	0.28 %
<b>Heol Y Celyn Primary School</b>	93.26 %	92.81 %	93.26 %	92.81 %	92.94 %	-0.12 %
<b>Hirwaun Primary School</b>	91.42 %	94.21 %	91.42 %	94.21 %	93.40 %	0.81 %
<b>Llanharan Primary School</b>	94.22 %	96.61 %	94.22 %	96.61 %	95.00 %	1.61 %
<b>Llanhari Primary School</b>	94.08 %	93.96 %	94.08 %	93.96 %	94.20 %	-0.24 %
<b>Llanilltud Faerdref Primary School</b>	96.55 %	96.37 %	96.55 %	96.37 %	95.43 %	0.94 %
<b>Llantrisant Primary School</b>	96.02 %	94.61 %	96.02 %	94.61 %	94.63 %	-0.02 %
<b>Llwydcoed Primary School</b>	94.84 %	95.33 %	94.84 %	95.33 %	95.35 %	-0.02 %
<b>Llwyncelyn Infants School</b>	92.03 %	94.84 %	92.03 %	94.84 %	94.00 %	0.84 %
<b>Llwyncrwn Primary School</b>	94.88 %	94.63 %	94.88 %	94.63 %	93.77 %	0.86 %
<b>Llwynypia Primary School</b>	93.10 %	94.97 %	93.10 %	94.97 %	93.75 %	1.22 %
<b>Maerdy Primary School</b>	94.57 %	94.55 %	94.57 %	94.55 %	94.11 %	0.45 %
<b>Maesgwyn Special School</b>	84.05 %	87.84 %	84.05 %	87.84 %		
<b>Maesybryn Primary School</b>	95.79 %	96.14 %	95.79 %	96.14 %	94.90 %	1.24 %
<b>Maesycod Primary School</b>	95.50 %	95.55 %	95.50 %	95.55 %	94.83 %	0.72 %
<b>Miskin Primary School</b>	92.87 %	92.10 %	92.87 %	92.10 %	93.43 %	-1.33 %
<b>Oaklands Primary School</b>	92.32 %	94.78 %	92.32 %	94.78 %	93.53 %	1.25 %
<b>Our Lady's RC Primary School</b>	92.43 %	95.46 %	92.43 %	95.46 %	93.90 %	1.56 %
<b>Parc Lewis Primary School</b>	93.10 %	92.18 %	93.10 %	92.18 %	93.20 %	-1.02 %

Parc Primary School	94.63 %	94.92 %	94.63 %	94.92 %	94.16 %	0.76 %
Park Lane Special School	90.77 %	93.29 %	90.77 %	93.29 %		
Penderyn Primary School	94.31 %	95.10 %	94.31 %	95.10 %	93.52 %	1.58 %
Pengeulan Primary School	93.22 %	93.01 %	93.22 %	93.01 %	92.37 %	0.64 %
Penpych Primary School	96.07 %	94.72 %	96.07 %	94.72 %	93.83 %	0.89 %
Penrhiwceibr Primary School	92.85 %	92.69 %	92.85 %	92.69 %	92.48 %	0.21 %
Penrhys Primary School	93.64 %	91.33 %	93.64 %	91.33 %	92.30 %	-0.97 %
Pentre Primary School	93.51 %	94.42 %	93.51 %	94.42 %	94.25 %	0.17 %
Penygawsi Primary School	96.04 %	97.06 %	96.04 %	97.06 %	96.07 %	0.99 %
Penygraig Infants School	94.28 %	94.78 %	94.28 %	94.78 %	94.83 %	-0.05 %
Penygraig Junior School	92.69 %	94.72 %	92.69 %	94.72 %	94.20 %	0.52 %
Penyreglyn Primary School	93.10 %	94.13 %	93.10 %	94.13 %	92.30 %	1.83 %
Penywaun Primary School	92.27 %	93.10 %	92.27 %	93.10 %	92.30 %	0.80 %
Perthcelyn Community Primary School	93.94 %	93.90 %	93.94 %	93.90 %	93.35 %	0.55 %
Pontrhondda Primary School	92.63 %	94.35 %	92.63 %	94.35 %	92.68 %	1.67 %
Pontyclun Primary School	96.11 %	96.39 %	96.11 %	96.39 %	95.66 %	0.73 %
Pontygwaith Primary School	91.43 %	93.21 %	91.43 %	93.21 %	92.30 %	0.91 %
Porth Infants School	94.18 %	93.82 %	94.18 %	93.82 %	96.20 %	-2.38 %
Porth Junior School	93.64 %	95.73 %	93.64 %	95.73 %	93.99 %	1.74 %
Rhigos Primary School	91.60 %	94.36 %	91.60 %	94.36 %	95.00 %	-0.64 %
Rhiwgarn Infants School	91.72 %	93.46 %	91.72 %	93.46 %	94.18 %	-0.72 %
SS Gabriel and Raphael RC Primary School	96.31 %	96.40 %	96.31 %	96.40 %	95.35 %	1.04 %
St Margaret's RC Primary School	92.61 %	94.35 %	92.61 %	94.35 %	94.14 %	0.21 %
St Michael's RC Primary School	95.47 %	96.59 %	95.47 %	96.59 %	96.10 %	0.49 %
Ton Infants School	92.12 %	92.50 %	92.12 %	92.50 %	93.20 %	-0.70 %
Ton Pentre Junior School	94.70 %	95.63 %	94.70 %	95.63 %	94.45 %	1.18 %
Tonypandy Primary School	94.48 %	93.89 %	94.48 %	93.89 %	93.79 %	0.10 %
Tonyrefail Primary School	92.70 %	94.22 %	92.70 %	94.22 %	92.97 %	1.25 %
Tonysguboriau Primary School	95.41 %	96.20 %	95.41 %	96.20 %	95.50 %	0.70 %
Trallwng Infants School	93.58 %	93.86 %	93.58 %	93.86 %	94.18 %	-0.32 %
Trealaw Primary School	91.85 %	94.37 %	91.85 %	94.37 %	92.30 %	2.07 %

Tref Y Rhyg Primary School	94.68 %	96.17 %
Trehopcyn Primary School	96.06 %	95.71 %
Treorchy Primary School	95.39 %	96.49 %
Trerobart Primary School	93.07 %	93.97 %
Tylorstown Primary School	93.91 %	95.28 %
Williamstown Primary School	93.58 %	95.44 %
Ynysboeth Primary School	95.10 %	91.31 %
Ynyshir Community Primary School	94.88 %	96.06 %
Ynyswen Infants School	93.95 %	94.90 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Abercynon	94.27 %	94.09 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Aberdar	93.71 %	94.84 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Bodringallt	93.39 %	95.66 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Bronllwyn	93.52 %	95.21 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Castellau	96.46 %	96.91 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Efan James	94.98 %	95.79 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Garth Olwg	95.42 %	96.86 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Gymuned Llantrisant	95.58 %	96.73 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Llwyncelyn	94.89 %	95.86 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Llyn Y Forwyn	93.95 %	94.90 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Pontsionnorton	95.98 %	96.00 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Tonyrefail	93.70 %	93.64 %
Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Ynyswen	95.49 %	95.01 %
Ysgol Hen Felin	89.76 %	90.23 %
Ysgol Ty Coch	89.77 %	93.47 %
Ysgol Yr Eos	93.66 %	92.65 %

94.68 %	96.17 %	93.31 %	2.86 %
96.06 %	95.71 %	94.00 %	1.71 %
95.39 %	96.49 %	95.53 %	0.96 %
93.07 %	93.97 %	93.20 %	0.77 %
93.91 %	95.28 %	93.97 %	1.31 %
93.58 %	95.44 %	94.00 %	1.44 %
95.10 %	91.31 %	92.30 %	-0.99 %
94.88 %	96.06 %	92.92 %	3.14 %
93.95 %	94.90 %	93.25 %	1.65 %
94.27 %	94.09 %	93.90 %	0.19 %
93.71 %	94.84 %	94.60 %	0.24 %
93.39 %	95.66 %	94.46 %	1.20 %
93.52 %	95.21 %	94.60 %	0.61 %
96.46 %	96.91 %	95.29 %	1.61 %
94.98 %	95.79 %	95.21 %	0.58 %
95.42 %	96.86 %	95.50 %	1.36 %
95.58 %	96.73 %	95.46 %	1.27 %
94.89 %	95.86 %	95.31 %	0.55 %
93.95 %	94.90 %	93.96 %	0.94 %
95.98 %	96.00 %	94.48 %	1.52 %
93.70 %	93.64 %	93.90 %	-0.26 %
95.49 %	95.01 %	94.12 %	0.89 %
89.76 %	90.23 %		
89.77 %	93.47 %		
93.66 %	92.65 %	93.25 %	-0.60 %

<b>All Primary Schools</b>	<b>Aut 1/2 Term 1</b>	<b>Aut 1/2 Term 1</b>
<b>Academic Yr</b>	<b>2012/2013</b>	<b>2013/2014</b>
<b>% Attendance</b>	94.16 %	94.82 %

<b>2012/2013</b>	<b>2013/2014</b>
94.16 %	94.82 %

**NB: Totals Include Special Schools**

**APPENDIX B**

**FSM Band 1**

**Attendance Overall Rank Primary All Gender**

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	Penygawsi Primary School	97.06 %	1
2	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Garth Olwg	96.86 %	1
3	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Gymuned Llantrisant	96.73 %	1

**Attendance Overall Rank Primary Males**

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	Penygawsi Primary School	97.12 %	1
2	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Garth Olwg	97.03 %	1
3	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Gymuned Llantrisant	96.97 %	1

**Attendance Overall Rank Primary Females**

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	Penygawsi Primary School	96.99 %	1
2	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Garth Olwg	96.68 %	1
3	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Gymuned Llantrisant	96.45 %	1

**All Overall**

% Att
96.86 %

**All Males**

% Att
97.03 %

**All Females**

% Att
96.68 %

## FSM Band 2

### Attendance Overall Rank Primary All Gender

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	Coedylan Primary School	97.17 %	2
2	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Castellau	96.91 %	2
3	St Michael's RC Primary School	96.59 %	2
4	Pontyclun Primary School	96.39 %	2
5	Maesybryn Primary School	96.14 %	2
6	Gwauncelyn Primary School	96.07 %	2
7	Aberdare Town C in W Primary	95.94 %	2
8	Cwmlai Primary School	95.92 %	2
9	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Llwynceilyn	95.86 %	2
10	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Efan James	95.79 %	2
11	Dolau Primary School	95.76 %	2
12	Coedpenmaen County Primary School	95.72 %	2
13	Llwydcoed Primary School	95.33 %	2
14	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Bronllwyn	95.21 %	2
15	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Aberdar	94.84 %	2
16	Abernant Primary School	94.63 %	2

### All Overall

% Att
95.90 %

### Attendance Overall Rank Primary Males

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Castellau	96.78 %	2
2	St Michael's RC Primary School	96.56 %	2
3	Aberdare Town C in W Primary	96.33 %	2
4	Gwauncelyn Primary School	96.15 %	2
5	Maesybryn Primary School	96.12 %	2
6	Cwmlai Primary School	96.11 %	2
7	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Efan James	96.11 %	2
8	Pontyclun Primary School	96.00 %	2
9	Coedylan Primary School	95.89 %	2
10	Dolau Primary School	95.86 %	2
11	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Llwynceilyn	95.79 %	2
12	Coedpenmaen County Primary School	95.75 %	2
13	Llwydcoed Primary School	95.14 %	2
14	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Bronllwyn	94.70 %	2
15	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Aberdar	94.45 %	2
16	Abernant Primary School	93.78 %	2

### All Males

% Att
95.82 %

### Attendance Overall Rank Primary Females

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	Coedylan Primary School	98.25 %	2
2	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Castellau	97.06 %	2
3	Pontyclun Primary School	96.77 %	2
4	St Michael's RC Primary School	96.62 %	2
5	Maesybryn Primary School	96.15 %	2
6	Gwauncelyn Primary School	96.00 %	2
7	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Llwynceilyn	95.91 %	2
8	Abernant Primary School	95.75 %	2
9	Cwmlai Primary School	95.72 %	2
10	Coedpenmaen County Primary School	95.69 %	2
11	Dolau Primary School	95.65 %	2
12	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Bronllwyn	95.63 %	2
13	Llwydcoed Primary School	95.53 %	2
14	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Efan James	95.53 %	2
15	Aberdare Town C in W Primary	95.51 %	2
16	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Aberdar	95.18 %	2

### All Females

% Att
95.98 %

## FSM Band 3

### Attendance Overall Rank Primary All Gender

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	SS Gabriel and Raphael RC Primary School	96.40 %	3
2	Llanilltud Faerdref Primary School	96.37 %	3
3	Tonysguboriau Primary School	96.20 %	3
4	Gwaunmeisgyn Primary School	96.08 %	3
5	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Pontsionnorton	96.00 %	3
6	Cwmdar County Primary School	95.67 %	3
7	Maesycoed Primary School	95.55 %	3
8	Our Lady's RC Primary School	95.46 %	3
9	Brynnau Primary School	95.38 %	3
10	Alaw Primary School	95.30 %	3
11	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Ynyswen	95.01 %	3
12	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Llyn Y Forwyn	94.90 %	3
13	Llantrisant Primary School	94.61 %	3
14	Darran Park Primary School	94.49 %	3
15	Pentre Primary School	94.42 %	3
16	Rhigos Primary School	94.36 %	3
17	St Margaret's RC Primary School	94.35 %	3
18	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Abercynon	94.09 %	3
19	Cilfynydd Primary School	94.06 %	3
20	Ffynnon Taf Primary School	93.99 %	3

### Attendance Overall Rank Primary Males

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band	Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	SS Gabriel and Raphael RC Primary School	96.84 %	3	1	Rhigos Primary School	96.72 %	3
2	Llanilltud Faerdref Primary School	96.58 %	3	2	Maesycoed Primary School	96.29 %	3
3	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Pontsionnorton	96.20 %	3	3	Tonysguboriau Primary School	96.25 %	3
4	Tonysguboriau Primary School	96.14 %	3	4	Llanilltud Faerdref Primary School	96.16 %	3
5	Gwaunmeisgyn Primary School	96.11 %	3	5	Llantrisant Primary School	96.09 %	3
6	Cwmdar County Primary School	95.64 %	3	6	Gwaunmeisgyn Primary School	96.05 %	3
7	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Llyn Y Forwyn	95.64 %	3	7	SS Gabriel and Raphael RC Primary School	95.91 %	3
8	Our Lady's RC Primary School	95.41 %	3	8	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Pontsionnorton	95.81 %	3
9	Pentre Primary School	95.27 %	3	9	Brynnau Primary School	95.74 %	3
10	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Ynyswen	95.22 %	3	10	Cwmdar County Primary School	95.69 %	3
11	Brynnau Primary School	95.00 %	3	11	Alaw Primary School	95.66 %	3
12	Alaw Primary School	94.98 %	3	12	Our Lady's RC Primary School	95.50 %	3
13	Maesycoed Primary School	94.83 %	3	13	Cilfynydd Primary School	95.04 %	3
14	St Margaret's RC Primary School	94.74 %	3	14	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Ynyswen	94.80 %	3
15	Darran Park Primary School	94.45 %	3	15	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Abercynon	94.70 %	3
16	Trallwng Infants School	93.86 %	3	16	Darran Park Primary School	94.54 %	3
17	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Tonyrefail	93.84 %	3	17	Ffynnon Taf Primary School	94.42 %	3
18	Ffynnon Taf Primary School	93.61 %	3	18	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Llyn Y Forwyn	93.96 %	3
19	Llantrisant Primary School	93.38 %	3	19	Trallwng Infants School	93.87 %	3
20	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Abercynon	93.28 %	3	20	St Margaret's RC Primary School	93.71 %	3

### Attendance Overall Rank Primary Females

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21	Trallwng Infants School	93.86 %	3
22	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Tonyrefail	93.64 %	3

21	Rhigos Primary School	92.76 %	3
22	Cilfynydd Primary School	92.54 %	3

21	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Tonyrefail	93.45 %	3
22	Pentre Primary School	93.45 %	3

**All Overall**

<b>% Att</b>
95.09 %

**All Males**

<b>% Att</b>
94.96 %

**All Females**

<b>% Att</b>
95.22 %

**FSM Band 4****Attendance Overall Rank Primary All Gender**

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	Llanharan Primary School	96.61 %	4
2	Treorchy Primary School	96.49 %	4
3	Porth Junior School	95.73 %	4
4	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Bodringallt	95.66 %	4
5	Ton Pentre Junior School	95.63 %	4
6	Williamstown Primary School	95.44 %	4
7	Caegarw Primary School	95.26 %	4
8	Craig Yr Hesg Primary School	95.20 %	4
9	Glanffrwd Infants School	95.11 %	4
10	Penderyn Primary School	95.10 %	4
11	Llwynypia Primary School	94.97 %	4
12	Ynyswen Infants School	94.90 %	4
13	Llwynycelyn Infants School	94.84 %	4
14	Oaklands Primary School	94.78 %	4
15	Hawthorn Primary School	94.68 %	4
16	Abercynon Primary School	94.48 %	4
17	Aberdare Park Primary School	94.32 %	4
18	Trerobart Primary School	93.97 %	4
19	Tonypandy Primary School	93.89 %	4
20	Porth Infants School	93.82 %	4
21	Cwmbach Primary School	93.54 %	4

**Attendance Overall Rank Primary Males**

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	Llanharan Primary School	97.24 %	4
2	Treorchy Primary School	96.15 %	4
3	Penderyn Primary School	95.84 %	4
4	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Bodringallt	95.64 %	4
5	Hawthorn Primary School	95.62 %	4
6	Caegarw Primary School	95.35 %	4
7	Glanffrwd Infants School	95.16 %	4
8	Llwynycelyn Infants School	95.09 %	4
9	Porth Junior School	95.07 %	4
10	Craig Yr Hesg Primary School	95.01 %	4
11	Oaklands Primary School	94.89 %	4
12	Abercynon Primary School	94.85 %	4
13	Ynyswen Infants School	94.67 %	4
14	Aberdare Park Primary School	94.60 %	4
15	Ton Pentre Junior School	94.50 %	4
16	Cwmbach Primary School	94.44 %	4
17	Williamstown Primary School	94.19 %	4
18	Llwynypia Primary School	94.05 %	4
19	Trerobart Primary School	94.01 %	4
20	Ton Infants School	93.50 %	4
21	Tonypandy Primary School	93.47 %	4

**Attendance Overall Rank Primary Females**

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	Williamstown Primary School	96.85 %	4
2	Treorchy Primary School	96.83 %	4
3	Ton Pentre Junior School	96.61 %	4
4	Porth Junior School	96.56 %	4
5	Porth Infants School	96.50 %	4
6	Llanharan Primary School	96.20 %	4
7	Llwynypia Primary School	95.70 %	4
8	Ysgol Gynradd Gymraeg Bodringallt	95.68 %	4
9	Craig Yr Hesg Primary School	95.50 %	4
10	Ynyswen Infants School	95.39 %	4
11	Caegarw Primary School	95.13 %	4
12	Glanffrwd Infants School	95.05 %	4
13	Oaklands Primary School	94.64 %	4
14	Llwynycelyn Infants School	94.44 %	4
15	Penderyn Primary School	94.38 %	4
16	Tonypandy Primary School	94.30 %	4
17	Abercynon Primary School	94.02 %	4
18	Aberdare Park Primary School	94.00 %	4
19	Trerobart Primary School	93.93 %	4
20	Hafod Primary School	93.78 %	4
21	Hawthorn Primary School	93.68 %	4

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22	Hafod Primary School	93.44 %	4
23	Ton Infants School	92.50 %	4
24	Parc Lewis Primary School	92.18 %	4
25	Darrenlas Primary School	91.40 %	4

22	Parc Lewis Primary School	93.22 %	4
23	Hafod Primary School	93.07 %	4
24	Porth Infants School	91.95 %	4
25	Darrenlas Primary School	91.54 %	4

22	Cwmbach Primary School	92.63 %	4
23	Darrenlas Primary School	91.30 %	4
24	Ton Infants School	91.18 %	4
25	Parc Lewis Primary School	90.77 %	4

**All Overall**

<b>% Att</b>
94.61 %

**All Males**

<b>% Att</b>
94.63 %

**All Females**

<b>% Att</b>
94.59 %

## FSM Band 5

### Attendance Overall Rank Primary All Gender

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	Glenboi Primary School	96.21 %	5
2	Tref Y Rhyg Primary School	96.17 %	5
3	Ynyshir Community Primary School	96.06 %	5
4	Trehopcyn Primary School	95.71 %	5
5	Tylorstown Primary School	95.28 %	5
6	Caradog Primary School	95.14 %	5
7	Parc Primary School	94.92 %	5
8	Penygraig Infants School	94.78 %	5
9	Penygraig Junior School	94.72 %	5
10	Penpych Primary School	94.72 %	5
11	Llwyncrwn Primary School	94.63 %	5
12	Maerdy Primary School	94.55 %	5
13	Blaengwawr Primary School	94.52 %	5
14	Gelli Primary School	94.50 %	5
15	Trealaw Primary School	94.37 %	5
16	Pontrhondda Primary School	94.35 %	5
17	Glynhafod Junior School	94.34 %	5
18	Tonyrefail Primary School	94.22 %	5
19	Hirwaun Primary School	94.21 %	5
20	Penyreglyn Primary School	94.13 %	5
21	Cymmer Infants School	94.00 %	5

### Attendance Overall Rank Primary Males

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	Glenboi Primary School	96.73 %	5
2	Tref Y Rhyg Primary School	96.01 %	5
3	Parc Primary School	95.84 %	5
4	Ynyshir Community Primary School	95.81 %	5
5	Tylorstown Primary School	95.57 %	5
6	Caradog Primary School	95.41 %	5
7	Cymmer Infants School	95.25 %	5
8	Maerdy Primary School	95.21 %	5
9	Penpych Primary School	95.08 %	5
10	Hirwaun Primary School	94.96 %	5
11	Llwyncrwn Primary School	94.88 %	5
12	Penygraig Infants School	94.60 %	5
13	Tonyrefail Primary School	94.55 %	5
14	Trehopcyn Primary School	94.47 %	5
15	Penygraig Junior School	94.20 %	5
16	Gelli Primary School	94.18 %	5
17	Rhiwgarn Infants School	93.98 %	5
18	Perthcelyn Community Primary School	93.96 %	5
19	Aberllechau Primary School	93.81 %	5
20	Cefn Primary School	93.77 %	5
21	Penyreglyn Primary School	93.72 %	5

### Attendance Overall Rank Primary Females

Rank	School	% Att	FSM Band
1	Trehopcyn Primary School	97.17 %	5
2	Ynyshir Community Primary School	96.36 %	5
3	Tref Y Rhyg Primary School	96.31 %	5
4	Glynhafod Junior School	95.84 %	5
5	Glenboi Primary School	95.83 %	5
6	Trealaw Primary School	95.81 %	5
7	Glantaf Infants School	95.66 %	5
8	Blaengwawr Primary School	95.57 %	5
9	Penygraig Junior School	95.38 %	5
10	Pontrhondda Primary School	95.37 %	5
11	Llanhari Primary School	95.04 %	5
12	Tylorstown Primary School	95.01 %	5
13	Penygraig Infants School	95.00 %	5
14	Gelli Primary School	94.86 %	5
15	Caradog Primary School	94.83 %	5
16	Ferndale Infants School	94.65 %	5
17	Cymmer Junior School	94.62 %	5
18	Penyreglyn Primary School	94.51 %	5
19	Pengeulan Primary School	94.39 %	5
20	Llwyncrwn Primary School	94.37 %	5
21	Penpych Primary School	94.32 %	5

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22	Cymmer Junior School	94.00 %	5
23	Llanhari Primary School	93.96 %	5
24	Perthcelyn Community Primary School	93.90 %	5
25	Ferndale Infants School	93.89 %	5
26	Cefn Primary School	93.73 %	5
27	Glantaf Infants School	93.64 %	5
28	Capcoch Primary School	93.51 %	5
29	Rhiwgarn Infants School	93.46 %	5
30	Hendreforgan Primary School	93.38 %	5
31	Pontygwaith Primary School	93.21 %	5
32	Penywaun Primary School	93.10 %	5
33	Cwmbach C in W Primary School	93.06 %	5
34	Pengeulan Primary School	93.01 %	5
35	Aberllechau Primary School	92.86 %	5
36	Heol Y Celyn Primary School	92.81 %	5
37	Penrhiwceibr Primary School	92.69 %	5
38	Cwmclydach Community Primary School	92.67 %	5
39	Ysgol Yr Eos	92.65 %	5
40	Miskin Primary School	92.10 %	5
41	Penrhys Primary School	91.33 %	5
42	Ynysboeth Primary School	91.31 %	5
43	Cwmaman Infants School	91.14 %	5
44	Bodringallt Primary School	90.87 %	5

22	Blaengwawr Primary School	93.66 %	5
23	Capcoch Primary School	93.61 %	5
24	Pontrhondda Primary School	93.51 %	5
25	Cymmer Junior School	93.48 %	5
26	Cwmbach C in W Primary School	93.44 %	5
27	Penywaun Primary School	93.40 %	5
28	Pontygwaith Primary School	93.38 %	5
29	Hendreforgan Primary School	93.24 %	5
30	Trealaw Primary School	93.12 %	5
31	Ferndale Infants School	93.02 %	5
32	Llanhari Primary School	92.99 %	5
33	Cwmclydach Community Primary School	92.78 %	5
34	Penrhiwceibr Primary School	92.73 %	5
35	Glynhafod Junior School	92.66 %	5
36	Heol Y Celyn Primary School	92.48 %	5
37	Cwmaman Infants School	92.31 %	5
38	Miskin Primary School	92.12 %	5
39	Glantaf Infants School	92.05 %	5
40	Pengeulan Primary School	91.46 %	5
41	Penrhys Primary School	91.31 %	5
42	Ysgol Yr Eos	91.15 %	5
43	Bodringallt Primary School	91.10 %	5
44	Ynysboeth Primary School	90.79 %	5

22	Parc Primary School	94.12 %	5
23	Ysgol Yr Eos	94.03 %	5
24	Tonyrefail Primary School	93.88 %	5
25	Maerdy Primary School	93.83 %	5
26	Perthcelyn Community Primary School	93.81 %	5
27	Cefn Primary School	93.69 %	5
28	Hendreforgan Primary School	93.53 %	5
29	Capcoch Primary School	93.44 %	5
30	Hirwaun Primary School	93.40 %	5
31	Heol Y Celyn Primary School	93.12 %	5
32	Pontygwaith Primary School	93.01 %	5
33	Rhiwgarn Infants School	92.88 %	5
34	Penywaun Primary School	92.82 %	5
35	Penrhiwceibr Primary School	92.65 %	5
36	Cwmbach C in W Primary School	92.59 %	5
37	Cwmclydach Community Primary School	92.55 %	5
38	Miskin Primary School	92.07 %	5
39	Ynysboeth Primary School	91.93 %	5
40	Aberllechau Primary School	91.42 %	5
41	Penrhys Primary School	91.36 %	5
42	Cymmer Infants School	91.28 %	5
43	Bodringallt Primary School	90.55 %	5
44	Cwmaman Infants School	89.99 %	5

**All Overall**

<b>% Att</b>
93.94 %

**All Males**

<b>% Att</b>
93.82 %

**All Females**

<b>% Att</b>
94.06 %

## Appendix C

	Aut 1/2 Term 1	Aut 1/2 Term 1
	2012/2013	2013/2014
Aberdare Girls' Comprehensive	92.42 %	93.47 %
Aberdare High School	93.44 %	94.14 %
Blaengwawr Comprehensive School	91.18 %	91.99 %
Bryncelynog Comprehensive School	94.53 %	94.73 %
Cardinal Newman RC Comprehensive School	95.59 %	95.33 %
Ferndale Community School	90.19 %	92.72 %
Hawthorn High School	93.01 %	93.78 %
Mountain Ash Comprehensive School	90.97 %	92.54 %
Pontypridd High School	93.24 %	93.69 %
Porth County Community School	92.30 %	92.73 %
St John Baptist C in W High School	94.20 %	94.79 %
Tonypandy Community College	92.44 %	94.54 %
Tonyrefail School	92.17 %	93.17 %
Treorchy Comprehensive School	94.53 %	95.01 %
Ysgol Gyfun Garth Olwg	94.87 %	95.17 %
Ysgol Llanhari	94.81 %	94.88 %
Ysgol Gyfun Rhydywaun	94.50 %	93.73 %
Y Pant Comprehensive School	94.16 %	95.16 %
Ysgol Gyfun Y Cymer Rhondda	94.36 %	94.46 %

### Cumulative Full Year

2012/2013	2013/2014	Target	Variance
92.42 %	93.47 %	92.91 %	0.56 %
93.44 %	94.14 %	93.25 %	0.89 %
91.18 %	91.99 %	90.70 %	1.29 %
94.53 %	94.73 %	93.50 %	1.23 %
95.59 %	95.33 %	95.25 %	0.08 %
90.19 %	92.72 %	90.70 %	2.02 %
93.01 %	93.78 %	92.47 %	1.31 %
90.97 %	92.54 %	90.70 %	1.84 %
93.24 %	93.69 %	92.80 %	0.89 %
92.30 %	92.73 %	91.90 %	0.83 %
94.20 %	94.79 %	93.80 %	0.99 %
92.44 %	94.54 %	91.90 %	2.64 %
92.17 %	93.17 %	91.90 %	1.27 %
94.53 %	95.01 %	94.36 %	0.65 %
94.87 %	95.17 %	94.66 %	0.51 %
94.81 %	94.88 %	94.10 %	0.78 %
94.50 %	93.73 %	93.31 %	0.42 %
94.16 %	95.16 %	94.25 %	0.91 %
94.36 %	94.46 %	93.39 %	1.07 %

Period Grouped	Aut 1/2 Term 1	Aut 1/2 Term 1
Academic Yr	2012/2013	2013/2014
% Attendance	93.41 %	94.07 %

2012/2013	2013/2014
93.41 %	94.07 %

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