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An Introduction to Benchmarking – Resource Pack
Compare School Performance Website

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<https://www.compare-school-performance.service.gov.uk/>

Compare School Performance Website Step-by-Step Guide

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Search for schools and colleges to compare

Create a My schools list to compare schools and colleges in your area. If you search by location, you can filter your list to view by school type, gender, Ofsted ratings and other options.

[What information can I find here?](#)

- ☐ School or college name or reference number (URN)
- ☐ Location (postcode, town, street)

► [Search by local authority, multi-academy trust / sponsor or parliamentary constituency](#)



Data tables

[All schools and colleges in England](#)

[All multi-academy trusts \(MATs\) / sponsors in England](#)

[Download data for all of England or a local authority \(1991-2019\)](#)

Click the 'School or college name' and enter your school to continue.

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Secondary

Absence and pupil population

Workforce and finance

This is final data for 2018/2019

[▶ About these results](#)

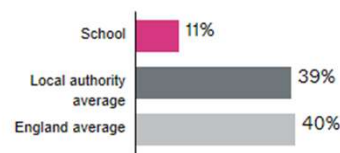
Progress 8 score ?

Of the 140 pupils at the end of key stage 4 in this school, 133 are included in this measure.

Well below average -0.7

[More score details ?](#)

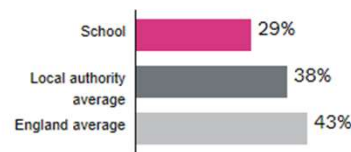
Entering EBacc ?



Staying in education or entering employment ?



Grade 5 or above in English & maths GCSEs ?



You will see some statistics about your school depending on what phase school it is – for example here is some information for a secondary school.

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Results over time



Subjects entered at key stage 4 in 2018/2019



Results by pupil characteristics



EBacc additional measures



Other measures



Pupil destinations (2017 leavers)



Here are some
other available
measures

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Comparing with other schools

Option 1 – Manual List

Once you've searched for your school. Click on the 'Create My Schools List' green button.

Once this is done go back to the search screen (easiest way via the 'Search' link at the top of the page) and select another school you wish to compare with.

Feel free to use the same schools as came up on the benchmarking website as your closest comparators.

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Option 2 – Auto-generated

Towards the bottom of the list of basic information is the line 'Compare Similar Schools.' Click on the word that should be the phase of your school – it's a hyperlink and will auto-generate a list of schools to compare with.

Age range:	11 to 16
Religious character:	None
Admissions policy:	Non-selective ?
SEN Unit or Resource Provision:	SEN unit
Unique reference:	112991
Website:	School website
Apply for a place:	Secondary
Financial information:	Schools financial benchmarking ?
Further information:	Get information about schools ?
Download data 2017-2019:	Download data
Compare similar schools:	Secondary

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Compare to similar schools

Schools similar to **Murray Park Community School**

'Similar schools' means schools across England whose key stage 4 pupils had similar achievement at the end of [key stage 2](#). These figures are based on the results of pupils who finished key stage 4 in July 2019, which is the latest data available.

[more info](#)

School name and type	Local authority	Attainment 8 score	School position within group	Progress 8 score & description	Entering EBacc	EBacc average point score	Average point score at key stage 2
Casl (Academy)	Rutland	54.2	1	Well above average 0.68	41%	4.88	28.8
Create My schools list							
Gre (Maintained school)	Ealing	54.2	1	Well above average 0.7	52%	4.97	28.8
Create My schools list							
Harr Wood (Academy)	Westminster	54	3	Well above average 0.76	53%	4.71	28.9
Create My schools list							
Out (Academy)	Nottinghamshire	52.4	4	Well above average 0.52	29%	4.53	28.6
Create My schools list							

This will take you to a screen similar to the one shown on the right. Click on the 'Create My schools list' option to make your list. Once the first school is added, this option will change to 'Add to My Schools List'

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Compare selected schools and colleges



View as table



View on map



Save My schools list



Clear My schools list



[Search](#)



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[My schools](#)

[Download comparison data](#)

However you choose to do it, once your list of schools is ready click on 'My Schools' in the top right to proceed to the comparisons.

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Possible options to look at are as follows:

Primary Performance:

Looking at

Overall performance

Progress

% meeting expected standard in reading, writing & maths

% of pupils achieving at a higher standard in reading, writing & maths

Average scores in reading & maths

% of pupils achieving each writing standard

Results by prior attainment

Show

All pupils

Disadvantaged pupils

Low prior attainers

Middle prior attainers

High prior attainers

English as an additional language (EAL) pupils

Girls

Boys

Non-mobile pupils

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Possible options to look at are as follows:

Secondary Performance:

Looking at

Overall performance

Progress 8
English Baccalaureate entries
Pupil destinations after key stage 4
English & maths GCSEs
Attainment 8
English Baccalaureate average point score
Achieving the English Baccalaureate
Progress 8 by subject group
Attainment 8 by subject group
Entering for more than 1 foreign language
Entering for biology, chemistry & physics
English Baccalaureate value added
Exam entries all qualifications
At least 1 qualification
Exam entries GCSEs

Show

All pupils

Disadvantaged pupils
Low prior attainers
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Possible options to look at are as follows:

16 to 18 Performance:

Looking at

A level performance
Academic qualifications
Applied general performance
Tech level performance
Technical certificates
Level 3 apprenticeships
Level 2 apprenticeships
English and maths
Student destinations

Show

All students
Disadvantaged students
All students over time - progress
All students over time - results
All students over time - completing main study

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Possible options to look at are as follows:

Ofsted Ratings

No options here, you'll just see the following information as well as a link to school's most recent Ofsted report

Showing **5** schools and colleges

School name	Ofsted rating	Date of inspection	Link to report
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Possible options to look at are as follows:

Workforce and Finance:

Looking at

School workforce

- Overall income and spending
- Funding and income
- Education staff spending
- Learning resources and curriculum spending
- Other spending
- Teaching and education support staff spend over time
- Supply teachers costs over time
- Back office costs over time
- Energy costs over time
- Total spending over time

All of these contain national averages to compare your school against.

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