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Prison annual performance ratings 2010/11

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Introduction

The National Offender Management Service (NOMS) is responsible for agreeing and publishing performance ratings for each prison. The publication of prison ratings is designed to ensure transparency of the final performance assessments, with ratification from the NOMS Agency Board and independent assurance provided by the NOMS Non-Executive Directors.

Understanding the ratings

NOMS produces data driven assessments of performance for prison providers using an assessment framework that has been agreed with the Ministry of Justice. The Prison Rating System (PRS) assesses 131 prisons (consisting of 120 public prisons and 11 private prisons) by looking at performance in 37 indicators. Performance is shown in the four domains: Public Protection, Reducing Reoffending, Decency and Resource Management and Operational Effectiveness.

Overall performance is graded into one of four bands. These bands are: Exceptional Performance; Meeting Majority of Targets; Overall Performance is of concern; and, Overall Performance is of serious concern.

There is then opportunity for the ratings to be considered for moderation. A moderation proposal is submitted by prisons and is a request to adjust the data-driven performance rating on the basis of additional non data-driven evidence. Establishments for which a moderation proposal was considered are marked with an asterisk.

Annual performance ratings

Key: Rating 4 = Exceptional performance
Rating 3 = Meeting Majority of Targets
Rating 2 = Overall Performance is of concern
Rating 1 = Overall Performance is of serious concern

Establishment	Rating
Acklington	3
Altcourse	3
Ashfield	3
Ashwell	3
Askham Grange	4
Aylesbury	3
Bedford	4
Belmarsh	3

Establishment	Rating
Birmingham	3
Blantyre House	4
Blundeston	3
Brinsford	3
Bristol	3
Brixton	3
Bronzeield	3
Buckley Hall	3
Bullingdon	3
Bullwood Hall	4
Bure	3
Canterbury	3
Cardiff	3
Channings Wood	3
Chelmsford	3
Coldingley	3
Cookham Wood	2
Dartmoor	3
Deerbolt	3
Doncaster	3
Dorchester	3
Dovegate	3
Downview	3
Drake Hall	3
Durham	3
East Sutton Park	3
Eastwood Park	3
Edmunds Hill*	2
Erlestoke	3
Everthorpe	3
Exeter	3
Featherstone	3
Feltham	3
Ford	3

Establishment	Rating
Forest Bank*	2
Foston Hall	3
Frankland	3
Full Sutton	4
Garth*	3
Gartree	3
Glen Parva	3
Gloucester	3
Grendon	4
Guys Marsh	3
Haverigg	3
Hewell	3
High Down	3
Highpoint	3
Hindley	3
Hollesley Bay	4
Holloway	3
Holme House	3
Hull*	4
Isle of Wight*	2
Kennet	3
Kingston	4
Kirkham	3
Kirklevington	3
Lancaster	3
Lancaster Farms	3
Latchmere House	3
Leeds	3
Leicester	3
Lewes	3
Leyhill	3
Lincoln	3
Lindholme	3
Littlehey	3

Establishment	Rating
Liverpool*	3
Long Lartin	4
Low Newton	3
Lowdham Grange	4
Maidstone	3
Manchester	3
Moorland	3
Morton Hall	4
Mount	3
New Hall	3
North Sea Camp	3
Northallerton	3
Norwich	3
Nottingham	3
Onley	3
Parc	3
Pentonville	3
Peterborough Female	3
Peterborough Male	3
Portland	3
Preston	3
Ranby	3
Reading	3
Risley	3
Rochester	3
Rye Hill	3
Send	3
Sheppey Cluster	3
Shepton Mallet	4
Shrewsbury	3
Stafford	3
Stocken	3
Stoke Heath	3
Styal	3

Establishment	Rating
Sudbury	3
Swansea	3
Swinfen Hall	3
Thorn Cross	4
Usk\Prescoed	4
Verne	3
Wakefield	4
Wandsworth	3
Warren Hill	3
Wayland	3
Wealstun	3
Wellingborough	3
Werrington	3
Wetherby	3
Whatton	3
Whitemoor	3
Winchester	3
Wolds	3
Woodhill	4
Wormwood Scrubs	3
Wymott	4