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SCHEDULE FOR THE PUBLICATION OF OFFICIAL STATISTICS OCTOBER 2012 TO MARCH 2014 (PROVISIONAL)

INTRODUCTION

This Statistical Release announces the planned schedule for the publication of statistics by the Department for Education (DfE) for the period October 2012 to March 2014. The schedule covers the National Statistics and Official Statistics that DfE expects to publish throughout the next 18 months. National Statistics are the subset of Official Statistics that have been assessed or deemed to be compliant with the Code of Practice for Official Statistics.

The schedule provides a provisional list of the statistics publications due to be released in the next eighteen months. Specific release dates will be announced at least 4 weeks in advance of release on the Department's statistics pages, at:

<http://www.education.gov.uk/researchandstatistics/statistics/allstatistics>

and on the UK Statistics Authority Publication Hub, at:

<http://www.statistics.gov.uk/hub/release-calendar/index.html>.

For statistical releases with fixed release dates, specific release dates are given here in this schedule.

The DfE's Statement of Compliance with the Pre-release Access to Official Statistics Order 2008 sets out the procedures for pre-release access to statistics within the Department, at:

<http://www.education.gov.uk/a00196924/national-statistics>.

Statistical Releases are normally released at 09:30 and are made available to all users at that time.

REVISIONS TO THE SCHEDULE

If, during the next six months before the publication of the next version of the schedule, the Department publishes or plans to publish any statistics not listed in the schedule then these statistics will be announced on the statistics pages of the Department's website and UK Statistics Authority Publication Hub mentioned above. If it proves necessary to change any pre-announced release date, an explanation will be provided as far in advance as possible of the planned release date. The next schedule is due to be announced in March 2013.

This schedule covers the period from October 2012 to March 2014 and reflects the position as at the point of publication. Additional ongoing work to reduce data burdens or rationalise outputs may impact on the publication programme. Announcements will be made on the statistics pages of the Department's website when definitive information is available. All changes made to the schedule since the last release in April 2012 are listed in Annex A.

RELEASE OF FURTHER DATA ALONGSIDE THE MAIN STATISTICAL RELEASES

Additional tables

In addition to the main releases listed, further information can be released in the form of additional tables. Typically, these may be Local Authority level tables relating to the national tables in the main release, or updated tables using revised or final data. These additional tables will be either identified within the releases themselves or separately announced on our website. They are not listed separately in this schedule.

Underlying data

As part of a Government drive for improved data transparency, we will simultaneously release the underlying data alongside the main publication, or make it available as soon as possible after the release of the main publication. Where data protection and resources permit, this supporting data will include a combination of files in an open standardised format and data at finer levels of detail. In some instances underlying data will not be released at the same time as the main publication. Publications where this is the case include:

School Workforce in England, November 2012

This release will be published in April 2013. The underlying data is likely to be published in May 2013.

Children Looked After by Local Authorities in England – Year Ending 31 March 2013

This release will be published in September 2013, with the underlying data likely to be published in November 2013.

Outcomes for Children looked after by local authorities in England, 2012

This release will be published in December 2012, with the underlying data likely to be published in March 2013.

USER ENGAGEMENT

DfE statisticians engage with those users interested in specific subject areas on the timing, frequency or content of publications - for more information see <http://www.education.gov.uk/rsgateway/usercons.shtml>. Wider comments on the overall breadth and depth of information produced and the way in which it can be accessed should be sent to users.statistics@education.gsi.gov.uk.

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The following publications will be issued in the six months October 2012 to March 2013:

Month	Publication Type	Publication Title
October 2012	National Statistics	Admission Appeals for Maintained Primary and Secondary Schools in England: 2011/12
	National Statistics	Pupil Absence in Schools in England: Autumn Term 2011 and Spring Term 2012
	National Statistics	Early Years Foundation Stage Profile Results in England, 2011/12
	Official Statistics	Children with Special Educational Needs: an analysis - 2012
	National Statistics	GCSE and Equivalent Results (Provisional) and National Curriculum Teacher Assessments at Key Stage 3 in England, 2011/12 <i>This SFR will be published on the third Thursday in October (18th October 2012)</i>
	National Statistics	GCE/Applied GCE A/AS and Equivalent Examination Results in England, 2011/12 (Provisional) <i>This SFR will be published on the third Thursday in October (18th October 2012)</i>
	Official Statistics	Characteristics of Children in Need in England, 2011-12
November 2012	Volume	Education and Training Statistics for the United Kingdom: 2012
	Official Statistics	National Curriculum Assessments Review Outcomes 2012 (Provisional)
	National Statistics	Early Years Foundation Stage Profile Attainment by Pupil Characteristics in Schools in England 2011/12
	National Statistics	NEET Statistics Quarterly Brief - Quarter 3 2012
December 2012	National Statistics	Outcomes for Children looked after by local authorities in England, 2012
	National Statistics	National Curriculum Assessments at Key Stage 2 in England 2011/12 (Revised)
	Official Statistics	Primary School (Key Stage 2) Performance Tables in England 2011/12
	National Statistics	Income and expenditure in local authority maintained schools - 2011-12

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January 2013	Official Statistics	School Capacity 2011/12
	Official Statistics	Local authority and school expenditure on education, children's services and social care for 2011-12, including school revenue balances
	Official Statistics	Childcare and Early Years Survey of Parents 2011
	National Statistics	GCSE and Equivalent Results in England, 2011/12 (Revised)
	Official Statistics	Secondary School (Key Stage 4) Performance Tables in England 2011/2012
	National Statistics	GCSE and equivalent Attainment by Pupil Characteristics in Schools in England 2011/12
	National Statistics	GCE/Applied GCE A/AS and Equivalent Examination Results in England, 2011/12 (Revised)
	Official Statistics	School and College (Key Stage 5) Performance Tables in England 2011/2012
February 2013	National Statistics	NEET Statistics Quarterly Brief - Quarter 4 2012
March 2013	Official Statistics	Secondary School Applications and Offers in England, March 2013
	National Statistics	Pupil Absence in Schools in England, including Pupil Characteristics: 2011/12
	Official Statistics	National Pupil Projections: Future Trends in Pupil Numbers - March 2013 Update
	Experimental Statistics	The Local Authority Children's Social Care Services Workforce, England, 31 December 2012
	National Statistics	Attainment by Young People in England Measured Using Matched Administrative Data: Attainment by Age 19 in 2012

The following publications will be issued in the twelve months April 2013 to March 2014:

Month	Publication Type	Publication Title
April 2013	National Statistics	School Workforce in England, November 2012
May 2013	National Statistics	Pupil Absence in Schools in England - Autumn Term 2012
	National Statistics	NEET Statistics Quarterly Brief - Quarter 1 2013
	Official Statistics / Experimental Statistics	Destinations of KS4 and KS5 students in 2010/11
May - June 2013	National Statistics	Neighbourhood Statistics - Small Area Pupil Attainment by Pupil Characteristics in England, 2012
	National Statistics	Neighbourhood Statistics - Small Area Pupil Absence by Pupil Characteristics in England, 2011/12
June 2013	National Statistics	Admission Appeals for Maintained Primary and Secondary Schools in England: 2011/12
	National Statistics	Schools, Pupils and Their Characteristics: January 2013
	National Statistics	Participation in Education, Training and Employment by 16-18 Year Olds in England, end 2012
	National Statistics	Provision for Children Under Five Years of Age in England - January 2013
	National Statistics	Special Educational Needs in England: January 2013

Month	Publication Type	Publication Title
July 2013	Official Statistics	Child Death Reviews Completed in England - Year Ending 31 March 2013
	National Statistics	Children Accommodated in Secure Children's Homes, England and Wales - Year ending 31 March 2013
	National Statistics	Private Fostering Arrangements in England, year ending 31 March 2013
	National Statistics	Permanent and Fixed Period Exclusions from Schools in England 2011/12
	Official Statistics	National Pupil Projections: Future Trends in Pupil Numbers - July 2013 Update
August 2013	National Statistics	NEET Statistics Quarterly Brief - Quarter 2 2013
	National Statistics	Pupil Absence in Schools in England - Spring Term 2013
September 2013	National Statistics	National Curriculum Assessments at Key Stage 2 in England 2011/12 (provisional), 2012/13
	National Statistics	Children Looked After by Local Authorities in England – Year Ending 31 March 2013
	Official Statistics	Planned Expenditure of Local Authorities on education and Children's social care functions (Section 251 data) - 2013/14
September-October 2013	National Statistics	National Curriculum Assessments at Key Stage 1 and Year 1 Phonics Screening Check in England, 2012/13

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October 2013	National Statistics	Pupil Absence in Schools in England: Autumn Term 2012 and Spring Term 2013
	National Statistics	Early Years Foundation Stage Profile Results in England, 2012/13
	Official Statistics	Children with Special Educational Needs: an analysis - 2013
	National Statistics	GCSE and Equivalent Results (Provisional) and National Curriculum Teacher Assessments at Key Stage 3 in England, 2012/13
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	National Statistics	National Curriculum Assessments at Key Stage 2 in England 2012/13 (Revised)
	Official Statistics	Primary School (Key Stage 2) Performance Tables in England 2012/13
	National Statistics	Income and expenditure in local authority maintained schools - 2012-13
	Official Statistics	School Capacity 2012/13
December 2013 – January 2014	Official Statistics	National Pupil Projections: Future Trends in Pupil Numbers - December 2013 Update

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January 2014	Official Statistics	Local authority and school expenditure on education, children's services and social care for 2012-13, including school revenue balances
	Official Statistics	Childcare and Early Years Survey of Parents 2012
	National Statistics	GCSE and Equivalent Results in England, 2012/13 (Revised)
	Official Statistics	Secondary School (Key Stage 4) Performance Tables in England 2012/2013
	National Statistics	GCSE and equivalent Attainment by Pupil Characteristics in Schools in England 2012/13
	National Statistics	GCE/Applied GCE A/AS and Equivalent Examination Results in England, 2012/13 (Revised)
	Official Statistics	School and College (Key Stage 5) Performance Tables in England 2012/2013
February 2014	National Statistics	NEET Statistics Quarterly Brief - Quarter 4 2013
March 2014	Official Statistics	Secondary School Applications and Offers in England, March 2014
	National Statistics	Pupil Absence in Schools in England, including Pupil Characteristics: 2012/13
	Experimental Statistics	The Local Authority Children's Social Care Services Workforce, England, 31 December 2012
	National Statistics	Attainment by Young People in England Measured Using Matched Administrative Data: Attainment by Age 19 in 2013

The following statistical publications have been issued in the last six months:

Month	Reference ID	Publication Title
April 2012	OSR08/2012	Schedule for the Publication of National and Official Statistics April 2012 to September 2013 (Provisional)
	SFR05/2012	Level 2 and 3 Attainment by Young People in England Measured Using Matched Administrative Data: Attainment by Age 19 in 2011
	SFR06/2012	School Workforce in England, November 2011
May 2012	OSR09/2012	NEET Statistics - Quarterly Brief
	OSR10/2012	The Local Authority Children's Social Care Services Workforce, England, 31 December 2011
June 2012	SFR07/2012	Pupil Absence in Schools in England - Autumn Term 2011
	SFR08/2012	Neighbourhood Statistics - Small Area Pupil Absence by Pupil Characteristics in England, 2010/11
	SFR09/2012	Neighbourhood Statistics - Small Area Pupil Attainment by Pupil Characteristics in England, 2011
	SFR10/2012	Schools, Pupils and their Characteristics, January 2012
	SFR12/2012	Participation in Education, Training and Employment by 16-18 Year Olds in England, end 2011
	SFR13/2012	Provision for Children Under Five Years of Age in England - January 2012
	OSR12/2012	Childcare and Early Years Survey of Parents 2010

Month	Reference ID	Publication Title
July 2012	SFR14/2012	Special Educational Needs in England, January 2012
	OSR13/2012	Destinations of Key Stage 4 and Key Stage 5 pupils in 2009/10
	SFR15/2012	Private Fostering Arrangements in England, year ending 31 March 2012
	SFR16/2012	Children Accommodated in Secure Children's Homes at 31 March 2012: England and Wales
	OSR14/2012	Child Death Reviews Completed in England - Year Ending 31 March 2012
	SFR17/2012	Permanent and Fixed Period Exclusions from Schools in England 2010/11
	OSR15/2012	National Pupil projections: Future trends in pupil numbers, July 2012 Update
August 2012	OSR16/2012	NEET Statistics - Quarterly Brief - Quarter 2 2012
	SFR18/2012	Pupil Absence in Schools in England, Spring Term 2012
September 2012	SFR19/2012	National Curriculum Assessments at Key Stage 2 in England, 2012 (provisional)
	SFR20/2012	Children Looked After by Local Authorities in England (including adoption and care leavers) - year ending 31 March 2012
	OSR17/2012	Planned Expenditure of Local Authorities on education and Children's social care functions (Section 251 data)
	SFR21/2012	Phonics Screening Check and National Curriculum Assessments at Key Stage 1 in England, 2012
	OSR18/2012	Childcare and Early Years Providers Survey 2011

ANNEX A

CHANGES SINCE LAST SCHEDULE

New Statistical Releases

The Local Authority Children's Social Care Services Workforce, England

This release was previously published by the NHS Information Centre, but since the last schedule was published in April 2012 responsibility for its publication was passed to DfE. It contains information about staff employed (directly and indirectly) by children's social services departments in England and in particular it provides organisation level information, based on information on individual worker characteristics and their employment details.

There are no anticipated new publications in the upcoming 18 months from October 2012.

Merged Statistical Releases

Attainment results publications

The Department has overhauled its publication strategy for the attainment results releases for Keys Stages 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5. There will now be five separate publication days for these attainment releases, which will be:

Infant attainment day – There will be one publication on infant attainment in September-October.

Primary attainment days – There will be a provisional publication on primary attainment in September, with a revised publication and performance tables in December.

Secondary attainment days – There will be two provisional publications on secondary attainment on one day in October, with two revised publications, performance tables and a pupil characteristics publication on one day in January.

Benchmarking Tables Of Local Authority Planned Expenditure 2013-14 (s251 formerly s52) and

Financial reports on Local Authority planned budgets for their education and children's social care functions: 2013-14 (section 251 formerly s52)

From September 2012 these two publications have been replaced with the statistical release 'Planned Expenditure of Local Authorities on education and Children's social care functions (Section 251 data) - 2012-13'.

Changes in Scope of Statistical Releases

Childcare and Early Years Providers Survey 2011

Previously this was an annual publication with a release scheduled for September each year. The Department has decided to change this so that it will be released every two years from September 2012. This means that the September 2012 publication (Childcare & Early Years Providers Survey 2011) went ahead but there will not be a publication in September 2013. The next release is scheduled for September 2014.

Discontinued Statistical Releases

Behaviour in schools in England at December 2011

The Department usually publishes a Statistical Release on Behaviour in Schools in England at December in April each year. This release covers information on Ofsted inspections. However, under new transparency arrangements Ofsted are now publishing these very same data on their website and will be doing so each quarter, as follows, December, March, June and September. Each release will show the latest position at the end of the quarter. This therefore negates the need for the Department to continue with this publication.

Monitoring and evaluation of family intervention services to March 2012

In previous years, this publication was produced and disseminated by the Department, usually in September. However, responsibility for the policy has now moved to the Department for Communities and Local Government, who will publish this Statistical First Release going forward.

Following an internal review, there may be further rationalisations to our official statistics publications. Any rationalisations will be announced on the Department's statistical pages at <http://www.education.gov.uk/researchandstatistics> and will also be announced in future schedules.