



62 education trips per person per year on average in 2014
51 escort education

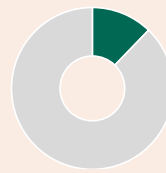
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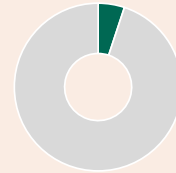
3.4 miles

average length of an education trip - shortest of any main purpose

Including escort trips:



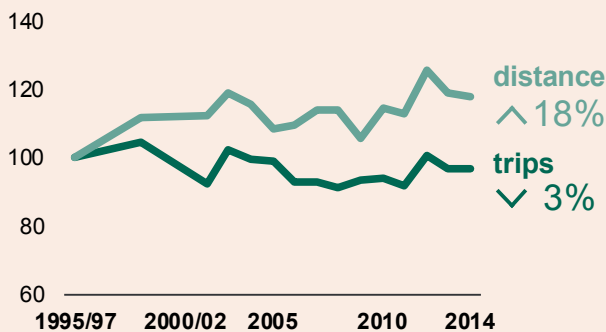
12% of trips



5% of distance

Trends

Trends in trips and distance from 1995/97 to 2014 (index: 1995/97=100), including escort education



Overall, education trip distance has grown whilst number of trips has remained stable.

On average, the length and duration of education trips has increased between 1995/97 and 2014.



3.4 miles

^ 21%



22 minutes

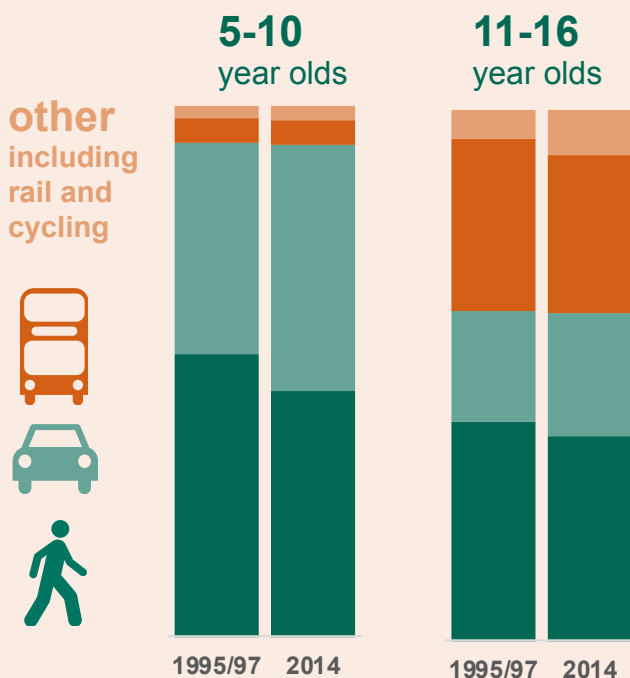
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Mode of travel to school

The proportion of children walking to school has fallen since 1995/97. This could be partly due to journeys getting longer.



Children's mode of travel to school by age group: 1995/97 and 2014



Walking to school

The proportion of children that walk to/from school is lower for older children.



46% of 5-10 year olds

38% of 11-16 year olds

This reflects that older children travel further to school on average.

For journeys **under 1 mile**, equivalent figures are:

80% of 5-10 year olds

90% of 11-16 year olds

57% of 7-13 year olds that walk to school are usually accompanied by an adult.



Traffic danger is the most commonly mentioned reason for accompaniment (58%).