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Description

This document describes the content of the 'Early years foundation stage profile results: 2017 to 2018' underlying data for the additional tables.

Coverage

The data covers early years foundation stage profile (EYFSP) assessment results for those children who were in receipt of a government funded early education place at the end of the early years foundation stage only. All providers of state-funded early years education, including: academies; free schools; and private, voluntary and independent (PVI) providers in England are within the scope of the EYFSP data collection. Refer to the technical document for more information on coverage.

EYFSP assessment results are matched to pupil characteristics in the national pupil database (NPD) to obtain the information required to produce the data included in the additional tables. Refer to the additional tables technical document for more information.

The underlying data files are in csv format and include national, regional, local authority and local authority district level information for England.

Statistical disclosure control: data availability and suppression

The following conventions are used throughout the underlying data.

'.' Not applicable

'x' Indicates a figure has been suppressed to protect confidentiality: values of 1 or 2 and percentages based on 1 or 2 pupils in either the numerator or denominator are suppressed. Secondary suppression and rounding have also been applied to avoid potential disclosure. Refer to the additional tables technical document for more information.

Where missing and unclassified information is not included in underlying data tables, or rounding has been applied, components may not sum to totals.

Data files

This statistical release includes the following underlying data files in csv format:

File name	Content	Geographical level	Year
EYFSP_National_1_key_measures_additional_tables_2018	Attainment in key measures by pupil characteristics	national	2018
EYFSP_National_2_ethnicity_SEN_FSM_additional_tables_2018	Attainment in key measures by FSM eligibility and ethnicity and SEN	national	2018
EYFSP_National_3_SEN_ethnicity_additional_tables_2018	Attainment in key measures by SEN and ethnicity	national	2018
EYFSP_National_4_ELG_additional_tables_2018	Attainment in each early learning goal	national	2018
EYFSP_LA_1_key_measures_additional_tables_2018	Attainment in key measures by pupil characteristics	national; regional; local authority	2018
EYFSP_LA_2_com_lit_maths_additional_tables_2018	Attainment in the communication & language, literacy and mathematics areas of learning by FSM eligibility	national; regional; local authority	2016-2018
EYFSP_LAD_1_key_measures_additional_tables_2018	Attainment in key measures by FSM eligibility	national; local authority district	2018
EYFSP_LAD_2_ELG_additional_tables_2018	Attainment in each early learning goal by FSM eligibility	national; local authority district	2018
EYFSP_Regional_IDACI_pr_additional_tables_2018	Attainment in key measures by IDACI	national; regional	2018
EYFSP_LAD_pr_additional_tables_2018	Attainment in key measures by pupil residency	regional; local authority district	2018

Annex A: Variable listing and descriptions

Variable names and descriptions for each underlying data file are provided below.

EYFSP_National_1_key_measures_additional_tables_2018 (national-level attainment in key measures by pupil characteristics)

Variable name	Variable description
year	Academic year in which EYFSP assessment was taken
level	Geographical level: national
country_code	Country code – 9 digit code
country_name	Country name
characteristic	Characteristic group, eg ethnicity
characteristic_type	Characteristic type, eg white
gender	Gender of pupil: all (girls and boys); girls; boys
number_of_pupils	Number of pupils included in EYFSP results
elg_number	Number of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
elg_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
gld_number	Number of pupils achieving a good level of development
gld_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving a good level of development
point_score	Total point score based on assessment rating: 1 (point) - emerging; 2 - expected; 3 - exceeded
average_point_score	Average point score: total point score divided by number of pupils

EYFSP_National_2_ethnicity_SEN_FSM_additional_tables_2018 (national-level attainment in key measures by FSM eligibility, and ethnicity and SEN)

Variable name	Variable description
year	Academic year in which EYFSP assessment was taken
level	Geographical level: national
country_code	Country code – 9 digit code
country_name	Country name
characteristic	Characteristic group, eg ethnicity
characteristic_type	Characteristic type, eg white
fsm	FSM - pupils eligible for free school meals; All other pupils - pupils not eligible for free school meals and for whom FSM eligibility was unclassified or could not be determined; Total - FSM and all other pupils
gender	Gender of pupil: all (girls and boys); girls; boys
number_of_pupils	Number of pupils included in EYFSP results
elg_number	Number of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
elg_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
gld_number	Number of pupils achieving a good level of development
gld_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving a good level of development
point_score	Total point score based on assessment rating: 1 (point) - emerging; 2 - expected; 3 - exceeded

Variable name	Variable description
average_point_score	Average point score: total point score divided by number of pupils

EYFSP_National_3_SEN_ethnicity_additional_tables_2018 (national-level attainment in key measures by SEN and ethnicity)

Variable name	Variable description
year	Academic year in which EYFSP assessment was taken
level	Geographical level: national
country_code	Country code – 9 digit code
country_name	Country name
characteristic	Characteristic group: SEN (Special Educational Needs)
characteristic_type	Characteristic type, eg SEN support
ethnicity	Ethnicity (major group) of pupil, eg Chinese
gender	Gender of pupil: all (girls and boys); girls; boys
number_of_pupils	Number of pupils included in EYFSP results
elg_number	Number of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
elg_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
gld_number	Number of pupils achieving a good level of development
gld_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving a good level of development
point_score	Total point score based on assessment rating: 1 (point) - emerging; 2 - expected; 3 - exceeded
average_point_score	Average point score: total point score divided by number of pupils

EYFSP_National_4_ELG_additional_tables_2018 (national-level attainment in each early learning goal by pupil characteristics)

Variable name	Variable description
year	Academic year in which EYFSP assessment was taken
level	Geographical level: national
country_code	Country code – 9 digit code
country_name	Country name
characteristic	Characteristic group: SEN (special educational needs)
characteristic_type	Characteristic type, eg SEN support
gender	Gender of pupil: all (girls and boys); girls; boys
elg_category	Early learning goal (ELG) category
number_of_pupils	Number of pupils included in EYFSP results
emerging_number	Number of pupils achieving emerging level in EYFSP assessment
expected_number	Number of pupils achieving expected level in EYFSP assessment
exceeded_number	Number of pupils achieving exceeded level in EYFSP assessment
emerging_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving emerging level in EYFSP assessment
expected_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving expected level in EYFSP assessment
exceeded_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving exceeded level in EYFSP assessment

EYFSP_LA_1_key_measures_additional_tables_2018 (LA-level attainment in key measures by pupil characteristics)

Variable name	Variable description
year	Academic year in which EYFSP assessment was taken
level	Geographical level: national, regional and local authority
country_code	Country code – 9 digit code
country_name	Country name
region_code	Region code (government office region) – 9 digit code
region_name	Region name (government office region)
old_la_code	Local authority code (old) – 3 digit code
new_la_code	Local authority code (new) – 9 digit code
la_name	Local authority name
characteristic	Characteristic group, eg ethnicity
characteristic_type	Characteristic type, eg white
gender	Gender of pupil: all (girls and boys); girls; boys
number_of_pupils	Number of pupils included in EYFSP results
elg_number	Number of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
elg_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
gld_number	Number of pupils achieving a good level of development
gld_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving a good level of development
point_score	Total point score based on assessment rating: 1 (point) - emerging; 2 - expected; 3 - exceeded
average_point_score	Average point score: total point score divided by number of pupils

EYFSP_LA_2_com_lit_maths_additional_tables_2018 (pupils achieving at least expected level in the communication & language, literacy and mathematics areas of learning by FSM eligibility and LA)

Variable name	Variable description
year	Academic year in which EYFSP assessment was taken
level	Geographical level: national, regional and local authority
country_code	Country code – 9 digit code
country_name	Country name
region_code	Region code (government office region) – 9 digit code
region_name	Region name (government office region)
old_la_code	Local authority code (old) – 3 digit code
new_la_code	Local authority code (new) – 9 digit code
la_name	Local authority name
fsm	FSM - pupils eligible for free school meals; All other pupils - pupils not eligible for free school meals and for whom FSM eligibility was unclassified or could not be determined; Total - FSM and all other pupils
area_of_learning	Area of learning
number_of_pupils	Number of pupils included in EYFSP results
at_least_expected_number	Number of pupils achieving at least expected level
at_least_expected_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving at least expected level

EYFSP_LAD_1_key_measures_additional_tables_2018 (Attainment in key measures by pupil characteristics by FSM and local authority district)

Variable name	Variable description
year	Academic year in which EYFSP assessment was taken
level	Geographical level: national and local authority district
country_code	Country code – 9 digit code
country_name	Country name
lad_number	Local authority district number
lad_name	Local authority district name
fsm	FSM – pupils eligible for free school meals; All other pupils - pupils not eligible for free school meals and for whom FSM eligibility was unclassified or could not be determined; Total - FSM and all other pupils
number_of_pupils	Number of pupils included in EYFSP results
elg_number	Number of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
elg_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
gld_number	Number of pupils achieving a good level of development
gld_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving a good level of development
point_score	Total point score based on assessment rating: 1 (point) - emerging; 2 - expected; 3 - exceeded
average_point_score	Average point score: total point score divided by number of pupils

EYFSP_LAD_2_ELG_additional_tables_2018 (attainment in each early learning goal by FSM and local authority district)

Variable name	Variable description
year	Academic year in which EYFSP assessment was taken
level	Geographical level: national and local authority district
country_code	Country code – 9 digit code
country_name	Country name
lad_number	Local authority district number
lad_name	Local authority district name
fsm	FSM – pupils eligible for free school meals; All other pupils - pupils not eligible for free school meals and for whom FSM eligibility was unclassified or could not be determined; Total - FSM and all other pupils
elg_category	Early Learning Goal category
number_of_pupils	Number of pupils included in EYFSP results
emerging_number	Number of pupils achieving emerging level in EYFSP assessment
expected_number	Number of pupils achieving expected level in EYFSP assessment
exceeded_number	Number of pupils achieving exceeded level in EYFSP assessment
at_least_expected_number	Number of pupils achieving at least expected level in EYFSP assessment
emerging_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving emerging level in EYFSP assessment
expected_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving expected level in EYFSP assessment
exceeded_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving exceeded level in EYFSP assessment

Variable name	Variable description
at_least_expected_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving at least expected level in EYFSP assessment

EYFSP_Regional_IDACI_pr_additional_tables_2018 (key measures by IDACI decile and region of pupil residency)

Variable name	Variable description
year	Academic year in which EYFSP assessment was taken
level	Geographical level: national and regional
country_code	Country code – 9 digit code
country_name	Country name
region_code_pr	Region code (government office region) based on pupil residency (pr) – 9 digit code
region_name_pr	Region name (government office region) based on pupil residency
idaci_decile	IDACI (Income Deprivation Affecting Children Index) decile, where 0-10% represents the most deprived 10% of children; 90-100% least deprived 10%
number_of_pupils	Number of pupils included in EYFSP results
elg_number	Number of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
elg_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
gld_number	Number of pupils achieving a good level of development
gld_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving a good level of development
point_score	Total point score based on assessment rating: 1 (point) - emerging; 2 - expected; 3 - exceeded
average_point_score	Average point score: total point score divided by number of pupils

EYFSP_LAD_pr_additional_tables_2018 (key measures by local authority district of pupil residency)

Variable name	Variable description
year	Academic year in which EYFSP assessment was taken
level	Geographical level: regional and local authority district
country_code	Country code – 9 digit code
country_name	Country name
region_code_pr	Region code (government office region) – based on pupil residency (pr) – 9 digit code
region_name_pr	Region name (government office region) – based on pupil residency
lad_code_pr	Local authority district code – based on pupil residency
lad_name_pr	Local authority code name – based on pupil residency
number_of_pupils	Number of pupils included in EYFSP results
elg_number	Number of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
elg_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving at least expected level across all early learning goals
gld_number	Number of pupils achieving a good level of development
gld_percent	Percentage of pupils achieving a good level of development
point_score	Total point score based on assessment rating: 1 (point) - emerging; 2 - expected; 3 - exceeded

Variable name	Variable description
average_point_score	Average point score: total point score divided by number of pupils

Annex B: How to use the underlying data files

Underlying data files can be filtered by column to retrieve specific information. Two examples on how to do this are provided here to assist users.

Details on how to filter datasets can be found online. Please see, for example, the [Microsoft Excel Office Support page](#) for instructions on how to filter data in a range or table.

Example 1: retrieve attainment data for a specific characteristic and local authority

This example relates to the underlying data file
EYFSP_LA_1_key_measures_additional_tables_2018

To search for data by FSM eligibility for Doncaster and Leeds local authorities, the following filters should be set: **characteristic** to 'FSM eligibility', **level** to 'Local Authority' and **la_name** to 'Doncaster' and 'Leeds'. The relevant data for each local authority is shown in columns M to S.

year	level	country	country	region	region	old_la	new_la	la_name	characteristic	characteristic	gender	number	elg_nur	elg_per	gid_nur	gid_per	point_s	average
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	371	E0800001	Doncaster	FSM eligibi	Total	All	3746	2593	69	2642	71	127785	34.1
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	371	E0800001	Doncaster	FSM eligibi	FSM	All	576	324	56	335	58	18057	31.3
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	371	E0800001	Doncaster	FSM eligibi	All_other	All	3170	2269	72	2307	73	109728	34.6
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	371	E0800001	Doncaster	FSM eligibi	Total	Girls	1826	1426	78	1439	79	65218	35.7
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	371	E0800001	Doncaster	FSM eligibi	FSM	Girls	289	198	69	201	70	9665	33.4
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	371	E0800001	Doncaster	FSM eligibi	All_other	Girls	1537	1228	80	1238	81	55553	36.1
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	371	E0800001	Doncaster	FSM eligibi	Total	Boys	1920	1167	61	1203	63	62567	32.6
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	371	E0800001	Doncaster	FSM eligibi	FSM	Boys	287	126	44	134	47	8392	29.2
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	371	E0800001	Doncaster	FSM eligibi	All_other	Boys	1633	1041	64	1069	65	54175	33.2
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	383	E0800003	Leeds	FSM eligibi	Total	All	10004	6448	64	6572	66	344452	34.4
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	383	E0800003	Leeds	FSM eligibi	FSM	All	1792	843	47	866	48	55853	31.2
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	383	E0800003	Leeds	FSM eligibi	All_other	All	8212	5605	68	5706	69	288599	35.1
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	383	E0800003	Leeds	FSM eligibi	Total	Girls	4807	3469	72	3514	73	171874	35.8
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	383	E0800003	Leeds	FSM eligibi	FSM	Girls	868	511	59	522	60	28598	32.9
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	383	E0800003	Leeds	FSM eligibi	All_other	Girls	3939	2958	75	2992	76	143276	36.4
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	383	E0800003	Leeds	FSM eligibi	Total	Boys	5197	2979	57	3058	59	172578	33.2
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	383	E0800003	Leeds	FSM eligibi	FSM	Boys	924	332	36	344	37	27255	29.5
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E1200000	Yorkshire	383	E0800003	Leeds	FSM eligibi	All_other	Boys	4273	2647	62	2714	64	145323	34

Example 2: retrieve early learning goal data for a specific early learning goal and local authority district

This example relates to the underlying data file
EYFSP_LAD_2_ELG_additional_tables_2018

The **'elg_category'** column in the underlying data files allows users to choose a specific early learning goal.

To select information on the people and communities early learning goal for York local authority district, the following filters should be set: **lad_name** to 'York' and **elg_category** to 'People and communities'. The relevant data is shown in columns I to Q.

year	level	country	country	lad_number	lad_name	fsm	elg_category	number	emergi	expecte	exceed	at_leasi	emergi	expecte	exceed	at_leasi
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E06000014	York	Total	People an	1970	248	1392	334	1726	13	71	17	87
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E06000014	York	FSM	People an	170	51	114	6	120	30	67	4	70
201718	Local Auth	E9200000	England	E06000014	York	All other p	People an	1800	197	1278	328	1606	11	71	18	89



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