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CROYDON

Overview of performance across Education KPIs

GOING WELL OR BETTER

- In 2019/20 and 2018/19, the percentage of 19 year olds qualified to level 3 increased by 2.1% points to 63.3%. This is higher than both England (60.2%) and our statistical neighbors' average (63.0%).
- In 2019/20 the rate of permanent exclusions* was 0.05 (the equivalent of 5 in every 10,000 pupils), which is slightly lower than England (0.06) and ranks in the top performing third of LAs.

* While permanent exclusions and suspensions were still possible throughout the academic year, school closures have had a substantial effect on the number of permanent exclusions and suspension and therefore caution should be taken when comparing figures across years.

ONES TO WATCH

- There were 6 permanent exclusions in July, the highest monthly figure in 2020/21.
- In Summer 2020/21, 591 pupils were home educated, an increase of 238 (67%) compared to the previous Summer term.
- The percentage of pupils in all schools with an EHCP continues to rise, up 0.2% points to 3.9% in 2021 and is above England (3.7%). In contrast, the percentage of pupils in all schools with SEN Support has decreased by 0.4% points to 11.9% in 2021, and is now below the England average (12.2%).
- 103 requests for EHC needs assessments were made in July 2021, an increase of 58% compared to the previous month.

THINGS TO DO BETTER

- The rate of pupils with more than one suspension* (previously known as 'fixed period exclusions') was 2.27 in 2019/20 which is above both England (1.87) and our statistical neighbours (1.73). This ranks Croydon in the bottom 25% of LAs.
- In 2019/20, the Average Attainment 8 score per pupil** in Croydon was 48.9, which is lower than both England (50.2) and our statistical neighbours (50.8).
- In 2019/20, 48.9% of pupils achieved grades 9-5 in English and Maths** in Croydon, which is lower than both England (49.9%) and our statistical neighbours (51.0%).

** Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the summer exam series was cancelled in 2020. Grades awarded were based on either a centre assessment grade or their calculated grade using a model developed by Ofqual - whichever was the higher of the two. As a result the 2019/20 data should not be directly compared to attainment data from previous years for the purposes of measuring changes in student performance.

Indicator Number	Indicator Title	Polarity																									Source
			Sep-19	Oct-19	Nov-19	Dec-19	Jan-20	Feb-20	Mar-20	Apr-20	May-20	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	
Quality																											
	Number of schools requiring special measures	Low	5	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics
	Percentage of schools requiring special measures	Low	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	Ofsted
	Percentage of primary schools rated 'good' or 'outstanding'	High	87	88	88	90	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics
	Percent of pupils in a 'good' or 'outstanding' primary school	High	86	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	91	Watchstead
	Percentage of secondary schools rated 'good' or 'outstanding'	High	83	83	83	83	83	83	83	83	83	83	83	83	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	86	83	83	83	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics
	Percent of pupils in a 'good' or 'outstanding' secondary school	High	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	89	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	90	Watchstead
	Percentage of special schools rated 'good' or 'outstanding'	High	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics
	Percentage of PRU schools rated 'good' or 'outstanding'	High	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics
Elective home education																											
	Number of elective home educated pupils		348				379				353				523				571				591				Elective home education monitoring returns
	Number of elective home educated pupils with an EHCP		20				21				23				31				33				27				Elective home education monitoring returns
Children missing education																											
	Number of children who are missing education	Low	190	109	121	75	177	92	103	29	18	51	51	21	156	150	93	57	46	42	111	69	66	66	60	18	Capita One
	Number of children with an EHCP who are missing education	Low	1	4	1	1	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	1	0	2	2	0	2	2	2	2	5	Capita One
	Percentage of schools and colleges that submitted attendance returns to DfE (does not include nursery schools)	Low																									https://viewyourdata.education.gov.uk/
	Overall attendance rate from schools and colleges that submitted returns to DfE (does not include nursery schools)	High													80.3	87.6	91.2	90.3			94.8	88.8	83.6	79.3	78.4	N/A	https://viewyourdata.education.gov.uk/
	Percentage of primary schools that submitted attendance returns to DfE	Low													84.8	90.4	87.2	82.1			88.0	91.7	88.5	89.0	84.7	N/A	https://viewyourdata.education.gov.uk/
	Overall attendance rate from primary schools that submitted returns to DfE	High													91.9	91.9	90.7	91.9			94.4	91.5	87.3	84.5	83.1	N/A	https://viewyourdata.education.gov.uk/
	Percentage of secondary schools that submitted attendance returns to DfE	Low													87.3	92.4	90.2	86.8			94.2	95.6	92.4	93.0	88.6	N/A	https://viewyourdata.education.gov.uk/
	Overall attendance rate from secondary schools that submitted returns to DfE	High													73.9	69.6	82.6	82.6			95.5	77.3	72.7	54.5	59.1	N/A	https://viewyourdata.education.gov.uk/
															83.9	87.5	84.1	74.3			77.4	87.8	85.3	85.1	76.9	N/A	https://viewyourdata.education.gov.uk/
Exclusions																											
	Number of suspensions (fixed term exclusions)	Low	115	168	193	217	274	173	141	0	0	0	0	0	127	167	204	103	5	13	152	79	216	151	139	0	Capita One
	Number of permanent exclusions	Low	5	3	1	7	8	10	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	2	4	0	1	5	0	5	0	6	0	Capita One
Education, Health and Care Plans (EHCP)																											
	Number of requests for assessments made	Low	40	37	56	58	60	55	55	47	63	50	71	14	45	29	36	50	30	59	60	55	60	65	103	15	Capita One
	Number of children and young people with an EHCP	Low													3365	3387	3419	3459	3477	3487	3502	3515	3520	3548	3559	3541	Capita One
	Percentage of pupils with an EHCP in state-funded mainstream schools																					37.9	38.2	38.4	38.5	34.3	Capita One
	Percentage of pupils with an EHCP in state-funded special schools																					33.3	33.2	32.8	32.6	32.0	Capita One
	Percentage of pupils with an EHCP in post 16 institutions (excludes special and independent)																					16.6	16.5	16.3	16.1	19.1	Capita One
	Percentage of pupils with an EHCP in an independent setting																					4.6	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.7	Capita One
	Percentage of pupils with an EHCP in other provision																					6.8	6.8	6.8	7.0	6.8	Capita One
	Percentage of pupils with an EHCP educated outside of Croydon	Low																				26.9	27.0	26.9	26.9	27.9	Capita One

Indicator Number	Indicator Title	Polarity	Croydon							England		Statistical Neighbours Average		Description	Methodology	Last Updated	Next Updated	Source		
			2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Trend	Change from previous year	Latest	Croydon vs latest	Latest	Croydon vs latest							
Quality																				
	Number of primary schools inspected		71	83	84	86	86	↔	0	16,792		83		Most recent	All routine inspection	Jun 2021	Oct 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics		
	Percentage of primary schools rated 'good' or 'outstanding'	High	81	78	83	91	90	↘	-1	88	↑	92	↓	-2	Most recent	All routine inspection	Jun 2021	Oct 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics	
	Number of secondary schools inspected		20	22	23	23	22	↘	-1	3,316		22		Most recent	All routine inspection	Jun 2021	Oct 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics		
	Percentage of secondary schools rated 'good' or 'outstanding'	High	90	87	78	83	86	↘	-3	76	↑	88	↓	-2	Most recent	All routine inspection	Jun 2021	Oct 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics	
	Number of special schools inspected		6	6	6	6	6	↔	0	1,024		7		Most recent	All routine inspection	Jun 2021	Oct 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics		
	Percentage of special schools rated 'good' or 'outstanding'	High	100	100	100	100	100	↔	0	90	↑	94	↑	6	Most recent	All routine inspection	Jun 2021	Oct 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics	
	Number of schools inspected (includes nurseries, primary, secondary, PRU and special schools)		107	117	120	122	121	↘	-1	21,733		119		Most recent	All routine inspection	Jun 2021	Oct 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics		
	Percentage of schools rated 'good' or 'outstanding'	High	86	82	83	89	89	↔	0	86	↑	90	↓	-1	Most recent	All routine inspection	Jun 2021	Oct 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/maintained-schools-and-academies-inspections-and-outcomes-official-statistics	
Incidence of SEND																				
	Pupils with EHCP (all schools)		3.0	3.3	3.5	3.7	3.9	↗	0.2	3.7	↑	4.1	↓	-0.2	Data as at Jan	A pupil has an EHCP	Jun 2021	Jun 2022	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-special-educational-needs-sen	
	Pupils with SEN Support (all schools)		11.0	11.7	11.6	12.3	11.9	↘	-0.4	12.2	↓	12.2	↓	-0.3	Data as at Jan	From 2015, the SEN	Jun 2021	Jun 2022	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-special-educational-needs-sen	
Outcomes																				
Early Years Foundation Stage Profile (EYFSP)																				
	Number of children at EYFSP		5,052	4,802	4,696	-	-	↘	-106	638,995		4,744		The Early Year	Good level of development	Oct 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-early-years-foundation-stage-profile		
	Percentage of children achieving a good level of development	High	73.4	73.8	74.6	-	-	↗	0.8	71.8	↑	73.3	↑	1.3	The Early Year	Good level of development	Oct 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-early-years-foundation-stage-profile	
	Percentage of children achieving the expected standard across all the Early Learning Goals	High	71.7	72.2	73.4	-	-	↗	1.2	70.7	↑	72.4	↑	1.0	The Early Year	Good level of development	Oct 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-early-years-foundation-stage-profile	
	Average total point score across all the Early Learning Goals	High	34.2	34.2	34.2	-	-	↔	0.0	34.6	↓	34.5	↓	-0.3	The Early Year	Good level of development	Oct 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-early-years-foundation-stage-profile	
	Achievement gap between all children and the lowest 20% of achievers across all the Early Learning Goals	Low	33.2	33.3	33.4	-	-	↗	0.1	32.4	↑	34.0	↓	-0.5	The Early Year	Good level of development	Oct 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-early-years-foundation-stage-profile	
Key Stage 1 (KS1)																				
	Number of children at KS1		4,865	4,822	4,874	-	-	↗	52	666,394		4,904		Teacher assessed	The new expected standard	Sep 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-1		
	Percentage of pupils achieving the expected standard at KS1 in Reading	High	77	77	77	-	-	↔	0	75	↑	76	↑	1	Teacher assessed	The new expected standard	Sep 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-1	
	Percentage of pupils achieving the expected standard at KS1 in Writing	High	69	72	72	-	-	↔	0	69	↑	71	↑	1	Teacher assessed	The new expected standard	Sep 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-1	
	Percentage of pupils achieving the expected standard at KS1 in Maths	High	76	78	78	-	-	↔	0	76	↑	77	↑	1	Teacher assessed	The new expected standard	Sep 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-1	
	Percentage of pupils achieving the expected standard at KS1 in Science	High	85	85	84	-	-	↘	-1	82	↑	82	↑	2	Teacher assessed	The new expected standard	Sep 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-1	
KS1 Phonics																				
	Percentage of year 1 pupils achieving the required standard of phonic decoding	High	82	85	84	-	-	↘	-1	82	↑	83	↑	1	The phonics	Percentage of year 1	Sep 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-1	
Key Stage 2 (KS2)																				
	Number of eligible pupils at KS2		4,172	4,460	4,640	-	-	↗	180	639,823		4,743		In 2016, the	Children sitting	Dec 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-2		
	Percentage of pupils achieving expected standard at KS2 in Reading, Writing and Mathematics	High	64	67	67	-	-	↔	0	65	↑	69	↓	-2	In 2016, the	Children sitting	Dec 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-2	
	Percentage of pupils achieving expected standard at KS2 in Reading	High	73	77	75	-	-	↘	-2	73	↑	76	↓	-1	In 2016, the	Children sitting	Dec 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-2	
	Percentage of pupils achieving expected standard at KS2 in Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling	High	80	81	79	-	-	↘	-2	78	↑	83	↓	-4	In 2016, the	Children sitting	Dec 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-2	
	Percentage of pupils achieving expected standard at KS2 in Maths	High	78	78	79	-	-	↗	1	79	↔	82	↓	-3	In 2016, the	Children sitting	Dec 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-2	
	Progress between age 7 and age 11 at KS2 in Reading	High	0.2	0.7	0.8	-	-	↗	0.1	0.0	↑	0.6	↑	0.2	The system of	Progress scores	Dec 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-2	
	Progress between age 7 and age 11 at KS2 in Writing	High	0.2	0.6	0.7	-	-	↗	0.1	0.0	↑	0.5	↑	0.2	The system of	Progress scores	Dec 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-2	
	Progress between age 7 and age 11 at KS2 in Maths	High	0.8	1.1	0.9	-	-	↘	-0.2	0.0	↑	1.0	↓	-0.1	The system of	Progress scores	Dec 2019	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-key-stage-2	
Key Stage 4 (KS4)																				
	Number of pupils at the end of KS4		3,579	3,452	3,640	3,755	-	-	↗	115	561,994		3,760		Due to the COVID	Attainment 8 - A	Nov 2020	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-gcse-key-stage-4	
	Average Progress 8 score per pupil	High	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-	↔	0.0	-	0.2	↓	-0.1	Due to the COVID	Attainment 8 - A	Nov 2020	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-gcse-key-stage-4		
	Average Attainment 8 score per pupil	High	45.1	45.8	45.5	48.9	-	-	N/A	50.2	↓	50.8	↓	-1.9	Due to the COVID	Attainment 8 - A	Nov 2020	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-gcse-key-stage-4	
	Percentage of pupils achieving grades 9-5 in English and Maths	High	40.6	42.4	40.5	48.9	-	-	N/A	49.9	↓	51.0	↓	-2.1	Due to the COVID	Attainment 8 - A	Nov 2020	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-gcse-key-stage-4	
	Percentage of pupils achieving grades 9-4 in English and Maths	High	60.9	63.4	61.2	69.0	-	-	N/A	65.9	↑	71.1	↓	-2.1	Due to the COVID	Attainment 8 - A	Nov 2020	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-gcse-key-stage-4	
	Percentage of pupils entering the English Baccalaureate	High	42.7	45.5	46.7	44.9	-	-	↘	-1.8	39.8	↑	51.7	↓	-6.8	Due to the COVID	Attainment 8 - A	Nov 2020	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-gcse-key-stage-4
	English Baccalaureate Average Point Score per pupil	High	-	4.0	4.0	4.3	-	-	N/A	4.4	↓	4.6	↓	-0.3	Due to the COVID	Attainment 8 - A	Nov 2020	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-gcse-key-stage-4	
	Percentage of pupils achieving the English Baccalaureate (9-5 grades in English and Maths)	High	20.6	16.0	14.6	19.5	-	-	N/A	21.3	↓	25.3	↓	-5.8	Due to the COVID	Attainment 8 - A	Nov 2020	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-gcse-key-stage-4	
	Percentage of pupils achieving the English Baccalaureate (9-4 grades in English and Maths)	High	23.5	23.7	23.6	28.8	-	-	N/A	29.8	↓	36.4	↓	-7.6	In 2017, pupil	Attainment 8 - A	Nov 2020	Cancelled	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-gcse-key-stage-4	
Destinations of KS4																				
	Percentage of KS4 pupils going to, or remaining in education	High	89	91	90	-	-	↘	-1	87	↑	91	↓	-1	Presents the	Sustained destination	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-destinations	
	Percentage of KS4 cohort destination not sustained	Low	5	5	5	-	-	↔	0	5	↔	5	↔	0	Presents the	Sustained destination	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-destinations	
Key Stage 5 (KS5)																				
	Number of Level 3 students		2,517	1,839	1,866	1,922	-	-	↗	56	328,045		1,762		Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	
	Level 3 cohort Average Point Score (APS) per entry	High	33.7	28.0	28.9	34.3	-	-	N/A	38.0	↓	37.1	↓	-2.9	Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	
	Percentage of students achieving at least 2 substantial level 3 qualifications	High	85.3	65.3	74.2	77.8	-	-	N/A	88.8	↓	89.9	↓	-12.1	Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	
	Number of A level students		1,681	1,628	1,458	1,390	-	-	↘	-68	271,601		1,401		Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	
	A level cohort APS per entry	High	28.4	27.7	29.3	36.8	-	-	N/A	39.5	↓	38.4	↓	-1.6	Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	
	Percentage of students achieving at least 2 A levels	High	60.9	58.8	66.0	73.7	-	-	N/A	86.3	↓	84.2	↓	-10.5	Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	
	A level cohort APS per entry, best 3 A levels	High	31.0	27.4	28.1	34.5	-	-	N/A	38.9	↓	38.2	↓	-3.7	Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	
	Percentage of students achieving 3 A+ A grades or better at A level	High	5.8	4.7	4.1	14.2	-	-	N/A	22.5	↓	19.3	↓	-5.1	Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	
	Percentage of students achieving grades AAB or better at A level	High	13.1	8.4	9.7	23.8	-	-	N/A	33.5	↓	29.6	↓	-5.8	Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	
	Percentage of students achieving grades AAB or better at A level, at least two facilitating subjects	High	7.7	5.9	7.1	15.4	-	-	N/A	24.2	↓	21.7	↓	-6.3	Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	
	Number of Academic students		1,702	1,641	1,465	1,412	-	-	↘	-53	279,437		1,428		Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	
	Academic cohort APS per entry	High	28.5	27.8	29.3	36.8	-	-	N/A	39.6	↓	38.3	↓	-1.5	Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	
	Percentage of students achieving at least 2 substantial level 3 academic qualifications	High	60.3	58.4	65.8	72.7	-	-	N/A	85.7	↓	82.9	↓	-10.2	Due to the COVID	In 2016, the record	Nov 2020	Nov 2021	https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/statistics-attainment-at-19-years	