

Data Collections



The Performance, Intelligence and Policy team provides support to schools so they can produce timely and accurate statutory returns to the Department for Education (DfE).

Data collections included in this service:

- Termly School Census
- School Workforce Census
- Early Years Foundation Stage Profile (EYFSP)
- Phonics
- Key Stage 1 Teacher Assessment (KS1 TA)
- Key Stage 2 Teacher Assessment (KS2 TA)

What we offer

- Start of year calendar to inform schools of the collection dates.
- 'Reminder' email before each collection giving important information to help schools prepare.
- Telephone and email support from experienced data collections staff.
- Help in producing the actual return for upload.
- Support for schools in the use of the DfE collection website.
- Validation of data to ensure accurate returns including resolution of duplicates.

Benefits to your school

To help you receive your correct level of funding, the Data Collections team will work with your school to make sure the data returned is accurate. Funding based on the census includes:

- ▶ Numbers on roll (School Block of the Dedicated Schools Grant (DSG) allocations).
- ▶ Pupil premium (Free School Meals (FSM), Service Children and Post looked after arrangements).
- ▶ Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP).
- ▶ Universal Infant Free School Meals (UIFSM).



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Our pledge

- Provide information to enable you to fulfil your returns.
- Telephone and email support.