

Education and Young People's Services

Young People Not in Education, Employment or Training (NEET)

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The figures are based on the monthly submission made to DfE via NCCIS for Kent County Council . Academic age is the age of the young person on 31st August (i.e.: prior to the start of the academic year).

The figures include Y12 & Y13 (academic age 16 & 17) with a Kent County Council area postcode as their primary address.

The 2016 NEET and NK figures do not have weighting from September



Headlines

NEETs as a percentage of the Year 12 & Year 13 (16-17 academic age group)

| | Total | Y12 | Y13 | | Total | Y12 | Y13 |
|---------------|-------|------|------|---------------|-------|------|------|
| Feb-16 | 3.6% | 2.7% | 4.4% | Feb-17 | 3.3% | 2.3% | 4.3% |
| Mar-16 | 3.7% | 2.8% | 4.6% | Mar-17 | 3.2% | 2.3% | 4.1% |
| Apr-16 | 3.9% | 3.1% | 4.6% | Apr-17 | 3.2% | 2.4% | 4.1% |

Not Knowns as a percentage of the Year 12 & Year 13 (16-17 academic age group)

| | Total | Y12 | Y13 | | Total | Y12 | Y13 |
|---------------|-------|------|------|---------------|-------|------|------|
| Feb-16 | 4.7% | 2.5% | 6.9% | Feb-17 | 3.1% | 1.8% | 4.3% |
| Mar-16 | 4.4% | 2.4% | 6.4% | Mar-17 | 2.8% | 1.6% | 3.9% |
| Apr-16 | 4.2% | 2.3% | 6.2% | Apr-17 | 3.7% | 2.3% | 5.0% |

Participation as a percentage of the Year 12 & Year 13 (16-17 academic age group)

| | Total | Y12 | Y13 | | Total | Y12 | Y13 |
|---------------|-------|-------|-------|---------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Feb-16 | 88.2% | 92.8% | 83.5% | Feb-17 | 90.5% | 94.6% | 86.4% |
| Mar-16 | 88.0% | 92.6% | 83.3% | Mar-17 | 90.5% | 94.6% | 86.6% |
| Apr-16 | 88.2% | 93.0% | 83.6% | Apr-17 | 89.6% | 93.7% | 85.5% |

NEET & NK as a percentage of the Year 12 & Year 13 (16-17 academic age group)

| | Total | Y12 | Y13 | | Total | Y12 | Y13 |
|---------------|-------|------|-------|---------------|-------|------|------|
| Feb-16 | 8.3% | 5.2% | 11.3% | Feb-17 | 6.4% | 4.1% | 8.6% |
| Mar-16 | 8.1% | 5.2% | 10.9% | Mar-17 | 6.0% | 3.9% | 8.0% |
| Apr-16 | 8.1% | 5.4% | 10.8% | Apr-17 | 6.9% | 4.7% | 9.1% |

Headline Commentary

The NEET population has remained at 3.2% this month (1,090 young people), though the Not Knowns have increased by 0.9% up to 3.7%.

The NEET population of 1,090 young people comprises 398 in the year 12 age group and 692 in the year 13 age group.

The Participation rate has decreased slightly from last month, down to 89.6%, and is 1.4 percentage points higher than the same point last year.

District performance for NEET varies from 2.0% in Sevenoaks to 4.8% in Thanet, though most districts are between 2.5% and 3.5%. Ashford, Gravesham, Maidstone, Swale, Thanet, and Tonbridge and Malling, all reduced their proportions of NEET young people in April from the previous month. NEET proportions rose in Dartford, Dover, Sevenoaks, Shepway and Tunbridge Wells, whilst they remained the same in Canterbury.

District performance for Not Knowns is less varied, and ranges from 2.8% in Canterbury to 4.5% in Sevenoaks. All districts saw an increase in their Not Known percentages in April, which may reflect seasonal fluctuations due to course end dates.

63% of NEET young people have been NEET for 27 weeks or more. In the same month last year this figure was 71%, so there has been some progress in tackling the long-term NEET population.

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| Table 1 | Total Cohort Y12 & Y13 | No. NEET Y12 & Y13 | % NEET Y12 & Y13 | NEET Target Y12 & Y13 Jan 2017 | Not knowns | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|---------|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------------|--|
| | | | | | Diff from target | No. NEET Y12 | % NEET Y12 | No. NEET Y13 | % NEET Y13 | No. Y12 | % Y12 | No. Y13 | % Y13 | Total | % of cohort | |
| Kent | 33,989 | 1,090 | 3.24% | 2.50% | -0.74% | 398 | 2.39% | 692 | 4.06% | 385 | 2.31% | 864 | 5.00% | 1249 | 3.67% | |
| Ashford | 3,023 | 86 | 2.88% | 2.10% | -0.78% | 34 | 2.32% | 52 | 3.43% | 39 | 2.65% | 87 | 5.60% | 126 | 4.17% | |
| Canterbury | 3,090 | 83 | 2.75% | 2.04% | -0.71% | 25 | 1.71% | 58 | 3.72% | 22 | 1.49% | 63 | 3.91% | 85 | 2.75% | |
| Dartford | 2,307 | 75 | 3.26% | 2.54% | -0.72% | 30 | 2.68% | 45 | 3.82% | 23 | 2.05% | 56 | 4.72% | 79 | 3.42% | |
| Dover | 2,476 | 83 | 3.38% | 2.79% | -0.59% | 26 | 2.15% | 57 | 4.57% | 28 | 2.30% | 62 | 4.93% | 90 | 3.63% | |
| Gravesham | 2,558 | 90 | 3.59% | 2.52% | -1.07% | 34 | 2.71% | 56 | 4.47% | 35 | 2.76% | 59 | 4.57% | 94 | 3.67% | |
| Maidstone | 3,616 | 101 | 2.81% | 2.49% | -0.32% | 40 | 2.23% | 61 | 3.39% | 39 | 2.17% | 97 | 5.33% | 136 | 3.76% | |
| Sevenoaks | 2,383 | 47 | 1.97% | 1.64% | -0.33% | 18 | 1.58% | 29 | 2.33% | 27 | 2.37% | 79 | 6.36% | 106 | 4.45% | |
| Shepway | 2,458 | 82 | 3.39% | 3.03% | -0.35% | 33 | 2.73% | 49 | 4.03% | 27 | 2.22% | 56 | 4.51% | 83 | 3.38% | |
| Swale | 3,422 | 145 | 4.28% | 3.04% | -1.24% | 51 | 3.01% | 94 | 5.55% | 45 | 2.63% | 82 | 4.79% | 127 | 3.71% | |
| Thanet | 3,296 | 158 | 4.81% | 3.49% | -1.32% | 59 | 3.58% | 99 | 6.04% | 50 | 3.03% | 84 | 5.10% | 134 | 4.07% | |
| Tonbridge & Malling | 2,830 | 73 | 2.58% | 1.67% | -0.91% | 24 | 1.73% | 49 | 3.41% | 34 | 2.44% | 79 | 5.49% | 113 | 3.99% | |
| Tunbridge Wells | 2,530 | 67 | 2.67% | 1.65% | -1.01% | 24 | 1.94% | 43 | 3.37% | 16 | 1.29% | 60 | 4.65% | 76 | 3.00% | |

| Table 1b | % NEET Y12 & Y13 | % Not Known Y12 & Y13 | Combined total | Ranking |
|---------------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------|---------|
| Kent | 3.24% | 3.67% | 6.95% | |
| Ashford | 2.88% | 4.17% | 7.11% | 9 |
| Canterbury | 2.75% | 2.75% | 5.56% | 1 |
| Dartford | 3.26% | 3.42% | 6.70% | 6 |
| Dover | 3.38% | 3.63% | 7.04% | 8 |
| Gravesham | 3.59% | 3.67% | 7.34% | 10 |
| Maidstone | 2.81% | 3.76% | 6.61% | 5 |
| Sevenoaks | 1.97% | 4.45% | 6.42% | 3 |
| Shepway | 3.39% | 3.38% | 6.81% | 7 |
| Swale | 4.28% | 3.71% | 8.03% | 11 |
| Thanet | 4.81% | 4.07% | 8.89% | 12 |
| Tonbridge & Malling | 2.58% | 3.99% | 6.57% | 4 |
| Tunbridge Wells | 2.67% | 3.00% | 5.69% | 2 |

| Table 2 | Y12 & Y13 NEET % Trends | Sep-16 | Oct-16 | Nov-16 | Dec-16 | Jan-17 | Feb-17 | Mar-17 | Apr-17 | May-17 | Jun-17 | Jul-17 | Aug-17 |
|---------------------|-------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Kent | 2.47 | 2.10 | 2.54 | 2.92 | 2.98 | 3.31 | 3.24 | 3.24 | | | | | |
| Ashford | 2.11 | 2.03 | 1.98 | 2.79 | 2.91 | 3.38 | 3.01 | 2.88 | | | | | |
| Canterbury | 2.70 | 2.27 | 2.63 | 3.32 | 3.10 | 3.34 | 2.75 | 2.75 | | | | | |
| Dartford | 1.96 | 1.68 | 2.01 | 2.47 | 2.69 | 3.04 | 3.13 | 3.26 | | | | | |
| Dover | 2.20 | 1.78 | 2.34 | 2.51 | 2.44 | 2.64 | 2.97 | 3.38 | | | | | |
| Gravesham | 3.06 | 2.42 | 3.01 | 3.28 | 3.32 | 3.91 | 3.87 | 3.59 | | | | | |
| Maidstone | 2.87 | 2.35 | 2.76 | 2.85 | 2.60 | 2.85 | 2.86 | 2.81 | | | | | |
| Sevenoaks | 1.12 | 0.86 | 1.28 | 1.35 | 1.34 | 1.68 | 1.68 | 1.97 | | | | | |
| Shepway | 2.32 | 1.84 | 2.15 | 2.43 | 2.88 | 3.34 | 3.34 | 3.39 | | | | | |
| Swale | 3.91 | 2.93 | 3.66 | 4.40 | 4.52 | 4.43 | 4.42 | 4.28 | | | | | |
| Thanet | 2.86 | 2.69 | 3.02 | 3.66 | 4.04 | 4.85 | 5.00 | 4.81 | | | | | |
| Tonbridge & Malling | 1.93 | 1.70 | 2.34 | 2.47 | 2.68 | 2.89 | 2.72 | 2.58 | | | | | |
| Tunbridge Wells | 1.76 | 1.95 | 2.64 | 2.68 | 2.45 | 2.62 | 2.50 | 2.67 | | | | | |

| Table 2b | Historical data Y12 & Y13 NEET % | Sep-15 | Oct-15 | Nov-15 | Dec-15 | Jan-16 | Feb-16 | Mar-16 | Apr-16 | May-16 | Jun-16 | Jul-16 | Aug-16 |
|---------------------|----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Kent | 2.13 | 2.02 | 2.59 | 3.10 | 3.31 | 3.59 | 3.76 | 3.89 | 4.16 | 4.14 | 3.26 | 4.54 | |
| Ashford | 1.78 | 1.50 | 2.05 | 2.37 | 2.63 | 2.86 | 3.02 | 3.10 | 3.36 | 3.23 | 3.23 | 3.66 | |
| Canterbury | 1.95 | 2.01 | 2.66 | 3.52 | 4.09 | 4.57 | 4.57 | 4.45 | 4.36 | 4.34 | 4.48 | 4.66 | |
| Dartford | 1.95 | 1.95 | 2.37 | 3.27 | 3.39 | 3.57 | 3.54 | 3.97 | 4.37 | 4.29 | 4.59 | 4.76 | |
| Dover | 2.03 | 1.88 | 2.53 | 3.15 | 2.60 | 3.03 | 3.43 | 3.48 | 4.31 | 4.32 | 4.28 | 4.47 | |
| Gravesham | 2.45 | 2.81 | 3.04 | 3.62 | 4.10 | 4.17 | 4.37 | 4.10 | 4.22 | 4.50 | 4.78 | 5.67 | |
| Maidstone | 1.85 | 1.91 | 2.58 | 3.21 | 3.40 | 3.60 | 3.62 | 3.80 | 3.99 | 3.99 | 3.79 | 5.67 | |
| Sevenoaks | 1.61 | 1.56 | 1.94 | 2.38 | 2.26 | 2.47 | 2.39 | 2.36 | 2.36 | 2.65 | 2.40 | 2.53 | |
| Shepway | 2.58 | 2.34 | 2.55 | 2.55 | 3.24 | 3.68 | 3.72 | 4.12 | 4.42 | 4.65 | 4.85 | 4.85 | |
| Swale | 3.06 | 2.76 | 3.67 | 4.10 | 4.28 | 4.89 | 5.49 | 5.85 | 6.14 | 5.76 | 6.22 | 6.56 | |
| Thanet | 2.36 | 2.19 | 3.08 | 3.56 | 3.89 | 3.73 | 4.05 | 4.02 | 4.60 | 4.41 | 4.39 | 4.92 | |
| Tonbridge & Malling | 1.89 | 1.55 | 1.99 | 2.39 | 2.59 | 2.90 | 3.22 | 3.30 | 3.37 | 3.47 | 3.34 | 3.41 | |
| Tunbridge Wells | 1.81 | 1.69 | 2.23 | 2.65 | 2.80 | 3.13 | 2.98 | 3.48 | 3.89 | 3.77 | 3.81 | 4.06 | |

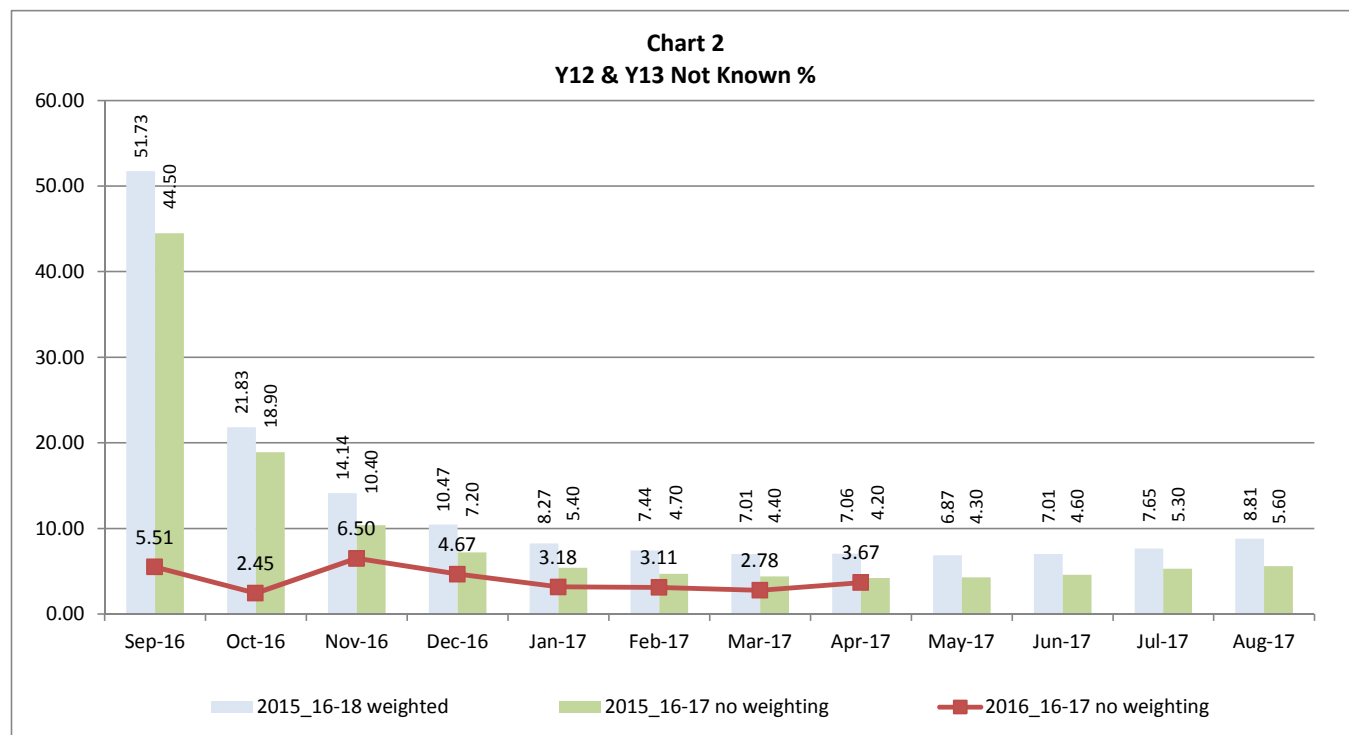
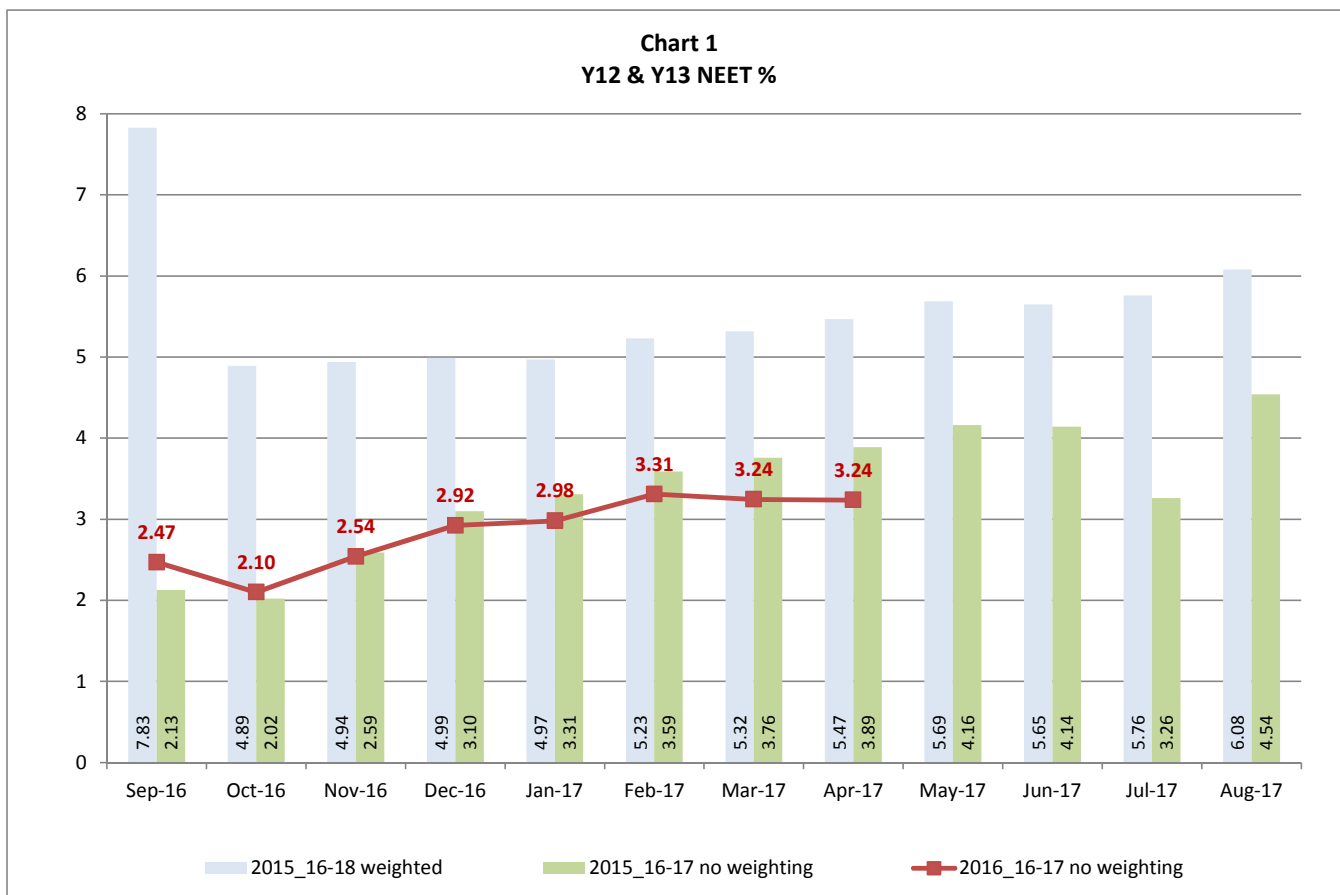
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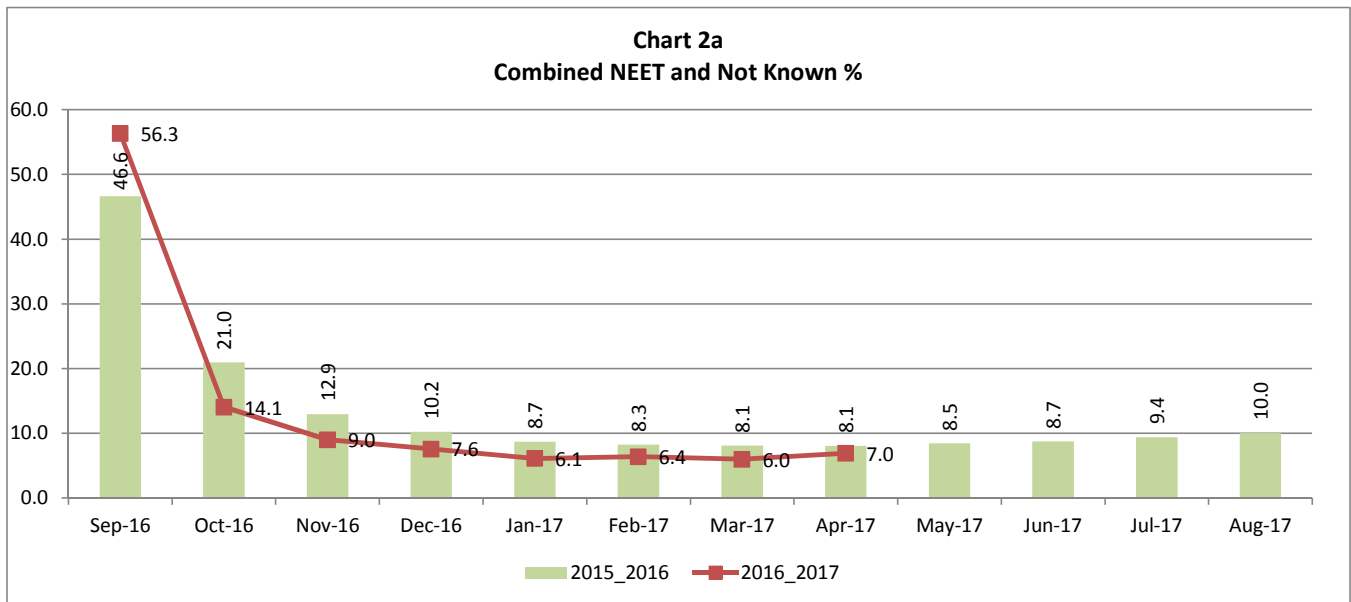
| Table 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Y12 & Y13 Not Known % Trends | Sep-16 | Oct-16 | Nov-16 | Dec-16 | Jan-17 | Feb-17 | Mar-17 | Apr-17 | May-17 | Jun-17 | Jul-17 | Aug-17 |
| Kent | 5.51 | 2.45 | 6.50 | 4.67 | 3.18 | 3.11 | 2.78 | 3.67 | | | | |
| Ashford | 4.30 | 2.40 | 7.67 | 4.75 | 3.16 | 3.03 | 2.74 | 4.17 | | | | |
| Canterbury | 4.72 | 2.62 | 5.96 | 4.11 | 2.90 | 2.68 | 2.27 | 2.75 | | | | |
| Dartford | 4.52 | 2.07 | 8.20 | 5.83 | 3.80 | 3.63 | 3.25 | 3.42 | | | | |
| Dover | 5.03 | 2.06 | 6.57 | 5.02 | 3.62 | 3.59 | 3.35 | 3.63 | | | | |
| Gravesham | 8.12 | 2.76 | 6.21 | 4.82 | 2.97 | 2.97 | 2.70 | 3.67 | | | | |
| Maidstone | 5.32 | 2.70 | 5.20 | 4.09 | 3.10 | 2.94 | 2.95 | 3.76 | | | | |
| Sevenoaks | 3.01 | 1.08 | 7.27 | 5.39 | 3.61 | 3.48 | 3.23 | 4.45 | | | | |
| Shepway | 5.85 | 2.15 | 6.12 | 4.18 | 3.00 | 3.05 | 2.64 | 3.38 | | | | |
| Swale | 8.57 | 3.35 | 5.78 | 4.55 | 3.25 | 3.43 | 2.62 | 3.71 | | | | |
| Thanet | 7.46 | 3.13 | 6.83 | 4.94 | 3.44 | 3.26 | 2.87 | 4.07 | | | | |
| Tonbridge & Malling | 4.93 | 2.00 | 6.50 | 4.94 | 2.68 | 2.68 | 2.51 | 3.99 | | | | |
| Tunbridge Wells | 4.08 | 2.32 | 6.46 | 3.91 | 2.74 | 2.79 | 2.40 | 3.00 | | | | |

| Table 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-----------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|---------------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|--|--|
| NEETs based on length of time in NEET (Y12-Y13) | | | | | | Equivalent - April 2016 (16-18) | | | | | | |
| | 0-6 weeks | 7-13 weeks | 14-26 weeks | 27-52 weeks | 52+ weeks | 0-6 weeks | 7-13 weeks | 14-26 weeks | 27-52 weeks | 52+ weeks | | |
| Kent | 51 | 101 | 253 | 482 | 203 | 101 | 234 | 438 | 1035 | 842 | | |
| Ashford | 2 | 14 | 27 | 32 | 11 | 9 | 17 | 38 | 67 | 52 | | |
| Canterbury | 5 | 9 | 12 | 40 | 17 | 6 | 17 | 51 | 106 | 79 | | |
| Dartford | 4 | 4 | 21 | 35 | 11 | 6 | 11 | 23 | 79 | 53 | | |
| Dover | 6 | 9 | 18 | 37 | 13 | 10 | 23 | 33 | 42 | 62 | | |
| Gravesham | 5 | 3 | 17 | 41 | 24 | 7 | 22 | 37 | 94 | 76 | | |
| Maidstone | 3 | 10 | 22 | 41 | 25 | 6 | 15 | 47 | 115 | 84 | | |
| Sevenoaks | 2 | 7 | 11 | 19 | 8 | 1 | 4 | 15 | 71 | 48 | | |
| Shepway | 0 | 5 | 23 | 37 | 17 | 12 | 17 | 27 | 71 | 55 | | |
| Swale | 5 | 15 | 32 | 59 | 34 | 16 | 49 | 68 | 135 | 100 | | |
| Thanet | 9 | 18 | 38 | 76 | 17 | 15 | 25 | 48 | 87 | 98 | | |
| Tonbridge & Malling | 3 | 4 | 17 | 36 | 13 | 7 | 19 | 20 | 84 | 69 | | |
| Tunbridge Wells | 7 | 3 | 15 | 29 | 13 | 6 | 15 | 31 | 84 | 66 | | |

| Table 4b | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Progress RPA - Participating | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| % Y12 | Sep-16 | Oct-16 | Nov-16 | Dec-16 | Jan-17 | Feb-17 | Mar-17 | Apr-17 | May-17 | Jun-17 | Jul-17 | Aug-17 |
| Kent | 42.64% | 88.61% | 93.40% | 94.18% | 95.05% | 94.60% | 94.50% | 93.70% | | | | |
| Ashford | 50.03% | 88.32% | 93.36% | 94.13% | 95.17% | 94.60% | 94.80% | 93.20% | | | | |
| Canterbury | 59.41% | 91.15% | 94.82% | 95.31% | 95.98% | 96.00% | 96.20% | 95.80% | | | | |
| Dartford | 38.66% | 82.09% | 92.24% | 93.20% | 95.04% | 94.10% | 94.20% | 94.10% | | | | |
| Dover | 42.96% | 89.55% | 93.13% | 94.28% | 95.23% | 95.10% | 94.70% | 93.70% | | | | |
| Gravesham | 31.37% | 90.00% | 93.15% | 93.91% | 94.97% | 94.20% | 93.90% | 93.10% | | | | |
| Maidstone | 50.11% | 91.24% | 93.86% | 94.35% | 94.77% | 94.80% | 94.50% | 93.80% | | | | |
| Sevenoaks | 42.78% | 86.46% | 93.44% | 94.67% | 96.20% | 95.40% | 95.10% | 94.50% | | | | |
| Shepway | 37.41% | 83.94% | 93.23% | 94.71% | 95.53% | 94.90% | 95.20% | 94.30% | | | | |
| Swale | 42.76% | 88.90% | 92.60% | 92.99% | 93.50% | 92.90% | 92.90% | 92.00% | | | | |
| Thanet | 34.43% | 88.30% | 93.12% | 93.14% | 94.08% | 93.20% | 92.90% | 91.90% | | | | |
| Tonbridge & Malling | 38.31% | 91.07% | 93.96% | 94.54% | 95.41% | 95.20% | 95.30% | 94.30% | | | | |
| Tunbridge Wells | 38.54% | 89.49% | 93.74% | 95.35% | 95.67% | 95.30% | 95.50% | 95.10% | | | | |

| Table 4c | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Progress RPA - Participating | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| % Y13 | Sep-16 | Oct-16 | Nov-16 | Dec-16 | Jan-17 | Feb-17 | Mar-17 | Apr-17 | May-17 | Jun-17 | Jul-17 | Aug-17 |
| Kent | 41.30% | 80.14% | 84.12% | 85.64% | 86.79% | 86.40% | 86.60% | 85.50% | | | | |
| Ashford | 44.00% | 79.11% | 81.65% | 83.80% | 85.05% | 84.40% | 84.60% | 82.90% | | | | |
| Canterbury | 51.02% | 82.09% | 84.76% | 86.29% | 87.30% | 87.10% | 87.80% | 87.00% | | | | |
| Dartford | 42.76% | 78.38% | 82.93% | 85.00% | 86.60% | 86.60% | 86.60% | 86.70% | | | | |
| Dover | 41.47% | 82.15% | 84.34% | 85.78% | 87.64% | 87.20% | 87.20% | 86.40% | | | | |
| Gravesham | 35.14% | 81.79% | 85.10% | 85.40% | 86.89% | 86.40% | 86.00% | 85.60% | | | | |
| Maidstone | 48.92% | 76.20% | 85.28% | 86.61% | 87.10% | 86.70% | 87.00% | 85.90% | | | | |
| Sevenoaks | 36.83% | 81.51% | 85.97% | 87.83% | 88.82% | 88.50% | 88.90% | 86.90% | | | | |
| Shepway | 36.24% | 85.06% | 86.25% | 87.71% | 88.19% | 87.40% | 87.50% | 86.30% | | | | |
| Swale | 37.05% | 79.50% | 83.24% | 83.58% | 84.28% | 84.60% | 85.10% | 83.30% | | | | |
| Thanet | 35.18% | 78.56% | 82.69% | 84.38% | 85.30% | 84.70% | 84.40% | 83.10% | | | | |
| Tonbridge & Malling | 36.28% | 78.66% | 83.56% | 85.38% | 87.38% | 86.70% | 87.10% | 85.80% | | | | |
| Tunbridge Wells | 48.24% | 81.10% | 84.37% | 86.88% | 88.28% | 87.90% | 88.60% | 87.20% | | | | |





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| Table 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Y12 & Y13 cohort by Vulnerable Group | Apr-16 | May-16 | Jun-16 | Jul-16 | Aug-16 | Sep-16 | Oct-16 | Nov-16 | Dec-16 | Jan-17 | Feb-17 | Mar-17 | Apr-17 |
| Children in Care (CIC) | 1064 | 1067 | 1078 | 1062 | 1050 | 1022 | 777 | 936 | 869 | 838 | 658 | 596 | 584 |
| subset CIC resp. not known | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| subset CIC KCC responsibility | 860 | 866 | 860 | 844 | 832 | 648 | 409 | 691 | 718 | 704 | 490 | 468 | 464 |
| subset CIC OOC responsibility | 203 | 201 | 199 | 198 | 198 | 198 | 75 | 138 | 137 | 128 | 126 | 118 | 118 |
| Caring for own child | 300 | 314 | 336 | 346 | 358 | 73 | 78 | 84 | 91 | 98 | 109 | 135 | 148 |
| Asylum seeker | 526 | 536 | 551 | 552 | 547 | 562 | 326 | 622 | 396 | 599 | 356 | 341 | 331 |
| Carer not own child | 80 | 83 | 87 | 90 | 92 | 56 | 21 | 59 | 24 | 62 | 29 | 32 | 33 |
| Substance Misuse | 64 | 63 | 63 | 63 | 66 | 40 | 17 | 40 | 19 | 40 | 18 | 19 | 18 |
| Care Leaver (CL) | 192 | 207 | 208 | 216 | 228 | 8 | 19 | 27 | 41 | 48 | 215 | 262 | 275 |
| subset CL resp. not known | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| subset CL KCC responsibility | 180 | 194 | 194 | 193 | 193 | 193 | 3 | 23 | 38 | 45 | 212 | 259 | 5 |
| subset CL OOC responsibility | 11 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 104 |
| Supervised by YOT | 178 | 180 | 183 | 138 | 119 | 163 | 129 | 138 | 114 | 121 | 111 | 103 | 105 |
| Pregnancy | 190 | 199 | 208 | 209 | 217 | 124 | 53 | 138 | 66 | 145 | 66 | 74 | 79 |
| Parent not caring for own child | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| SEND (16-18 year olds) | 2231 | 2230 | 2230 | 2228 | 2242 | 2224 | 2221 | 2214 | 2217 | 2198 | 2199 | 2193 | 2195 |
| SEND (19+ year olds) | 341 | 323 | 245 | 203 | 157 | 924 | 929 | 916 | 885 | 792 | 759 | 727 | 693 |
| SEND with EHCP flag | | | | | | | | | | 1740 | 1753 | 1758 | 1782 |
| Total SEND vulnerable group | 2572 | 2553 | 2475 | 2431 | 2399 | 3148 | 3150 | 3130 | 3102 | 2990 | 2958 | 2920 | 2888 |
| Total 16-18 cohort with at least one vulnerable group | 3941 | 3982 | 4020 | 3998 | 4021 | | | | | | | | |
| Total 16-17 cohort with at least one vulnerable group | | | | | | 2394 | 2403 | 2470 | 2524 | 2501 | 2485 | 2491 | 2498 |
| Post Stat PRU | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 |

| Table 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Y12 & Y13 NEET by Vulnerable Group | Apr-16 | May-16 | Jun-16 | Jul-16 | Aug-16 | Sep-16 | Oct-16 | Nov-16 | Dec-16 | Jan-17 | Feb-17 | Mar-17 | Apr-17 |
| Children in Care (CIC) | 103 | 105 | 107 | 107 | 111 | 75 | 47 | 68 | 81 | 79 | 68 | 59 | 64 |
| subset CIC resp. not known | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| subset CIC KCC responsibility | 83 | 86 | 84 | 75 | 75 | 52 | 35 | 53 | 71 | 71 | 57 | 52 | 56 |
| subset CIC OOC responsibility | 20 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 8 |
| Caring for own child | 230 | 243 | 256 | 265 | 275 | 53 | 51 | 58 | 65 | 70 | 79 | 108 | 120 |
| Asylum seeker | 4 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Carer not own child | 31 | 34 | 36 | 39 | 42 | 22 | 8 | 22 | 11 | 24 | 15 | 14 | 15 |
| Substance Misuse | 17 | 15 | 16 | 16 | 20 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 11 | 13 | 9 |
| Care Leaver (CL) | 59 | 65 | 65 | 71 | 73 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 9 | 13 | 39 | 42 | 42 |
| subset CL resp. not known | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| subset CL KCC responsibility | 50 | 60 | 60 | 59 | 59 | 59 | 0 | 23 | 38 | 45 | 38 | 41 | 41 |
| subset CL OOC responsibility | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Supervised by YOT | 72 | 70 | 69 | 55 | 51 | 54 | 39 | 41 | 40 | 37 | 36 | 30 | 32 |
| Pregnancy | 142 | 147 | 156 | 159 | 164 | 99 | 38 | 111 | 55 | 117 | 52 | 55 | 60 |
| Parent not caring for own child | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SEND (16-18 year olds) | 264 | 272 | 282 | 288 | 296 | 162 | 144 | 184 | 200 | 209 | 238 | 228 | 228 |
| SEND (19+ year olds) | 37 | 27 | 20 | 14 | 5 | 124 | 118 | 112 | 106 | 89 | 82 | 73 | 64 |
| SEND with EHCP flag | | | | | | | | | | 85 | 71 | 85 | 86 |
| Total SEND vulnerable group | 301 | 299 | 302 | 302 | 301 | 286 | 262 | 296 | 306 | 298 | 320 | 301 | 292 |
| Total 16-18 NEET with at least one vulnerable group | 800 | 827 | 853 | 870 | 904 | | | | | | | | |
| Total 16-17 NEET with at least one vulnerable group | | | | | | 239 | 226 | 285 | 334 | 338 | 375 | 386 | 400 |

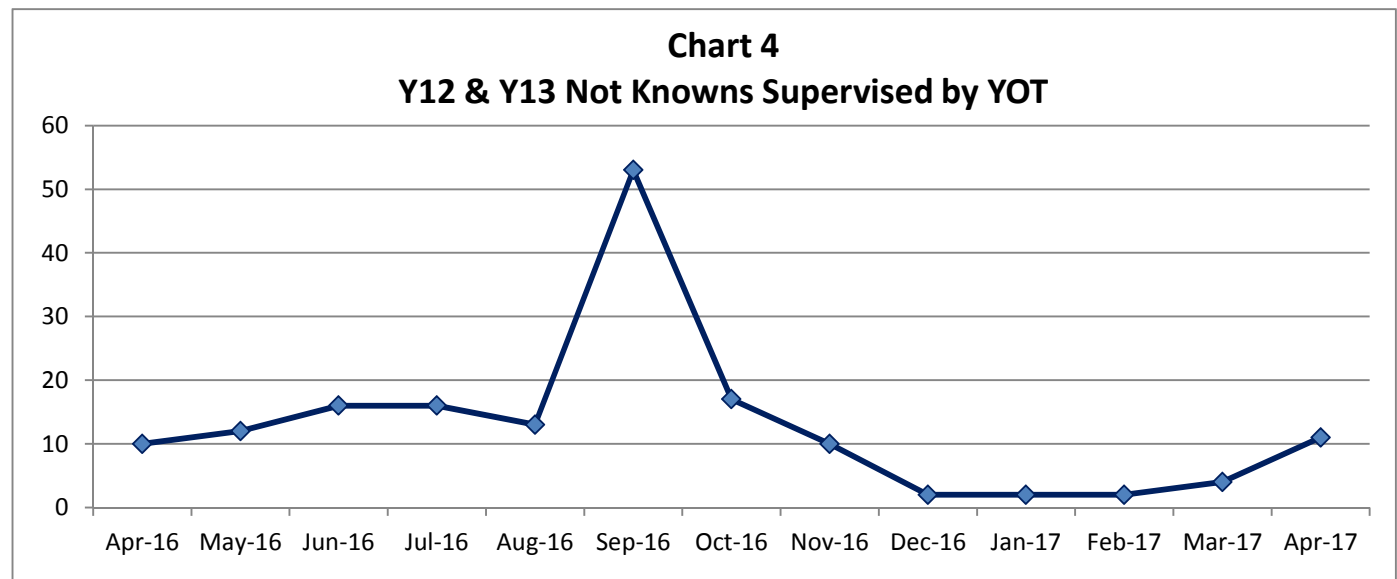
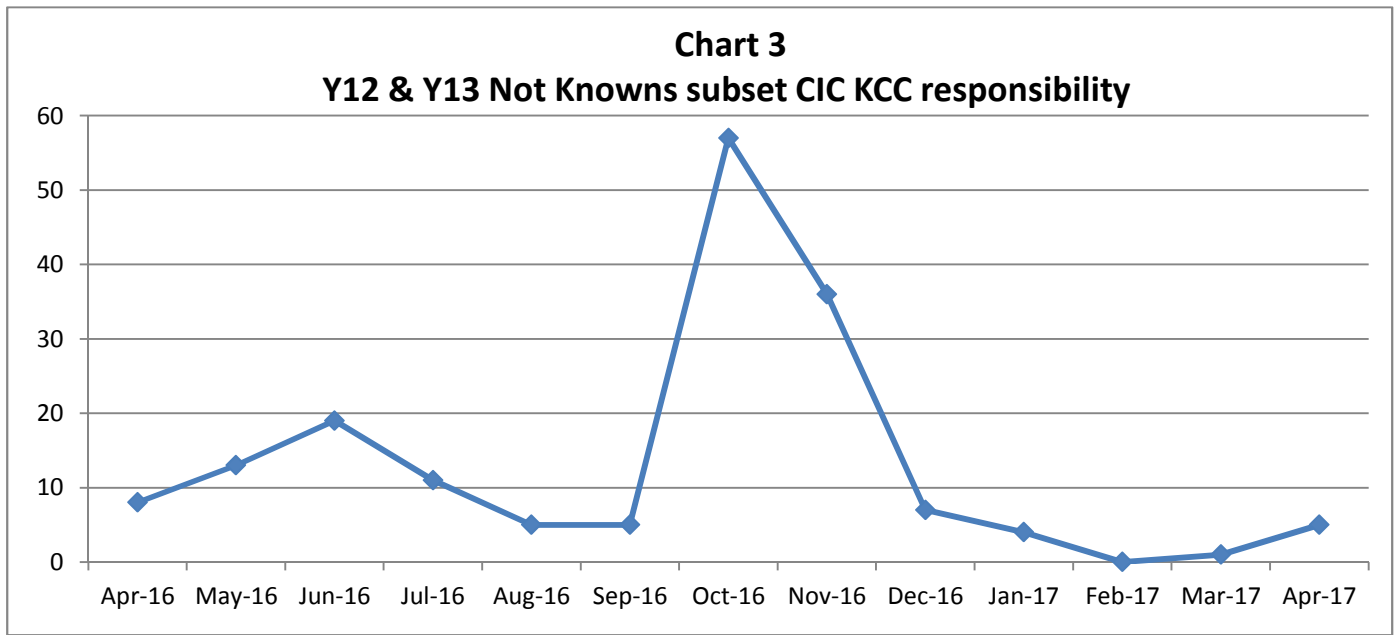
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| Table 7 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Y12 & Y13 Not Knowns by Vulnerable Group | Apr-16 | May-16 | Jun-16 | Jul-16 | Aug-16 | Sep-16 | Oct-16 | Nov-16 | Dec-16 | Jan-17 | Feb-17 | Mar-17 | Apr-17 |
| Children in Care (CIC) | 16 | 25 | 32 | 38 | 50 | 481 | 94 | 115 | 23 | 9 | 6 | 4 | 9 |
| subset CIC KCC responsibility | 8 | 13 | 19 | 11 | 5 | 5 | 57 | 36 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 |
| subset CIC OOC responsibility | 8 | 12 | 5 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 32 | 21 | 15 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 4 |
| Caring for own child | 20 | 21 | 21 | 22 | 25 | 12 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 4 |
| Asylum seeker | 8 | 12 | 8 | 11 | 30 | 92 | 24 | 201 | 6 | 96 | 1 | 1 | 10 |
| Carer not own child | 8 | 9 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 18 | 2 | 11 | 1 | 15 | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| Substance Misuse | 7 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 20 | 4 | 16 | 2 | 18 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Care Leaver (CL) | 21 | 24 | 26 | 32 | 47 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 6 |
| subset CL resp. not known | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| subset CL KCC responsibility | 17 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| subset CL OOC responsibility | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Supervised by YOT | 10 | 12 | 16 | 16 | 13 | 53 | 17 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 11 |
| Pregnancy | 19 | 19 | 17 | 16 | 17 | 17 | 9 | 12 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Parent not caring for own child | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SEND (16-18 year olds) | 126 | 129 | 134 | 187 | 222 | 1397 | 447 | 323 | 279 | 245 | 234 | 230 | 294 |
| SEND (19+ year olds) | 160 | 123 | 67 | 41 | 14 | 699 | 436 | 406 | 390 | 320 | 266 | 248 | 283 |
| SEND with EHCP flag | | | | | | | | | | 178 | 167 | 144 | 150 |
| Total SEND vulnerable group | 286 | 252 | 201 | 228 | 236 | 2096 | 883 | 729 | 669 | 565 | 500 | 478 | 577 |
| Total 16-18 not known with at least one vulnerable group | 211 | 225 | 236 | 299 | 361 | | | | | | | | |
| Total 16-17 not known with at least one vulnerable group | | | | | | 1269 | 316 | 208 | 99 | 50 | 55 | 53 | 92 |

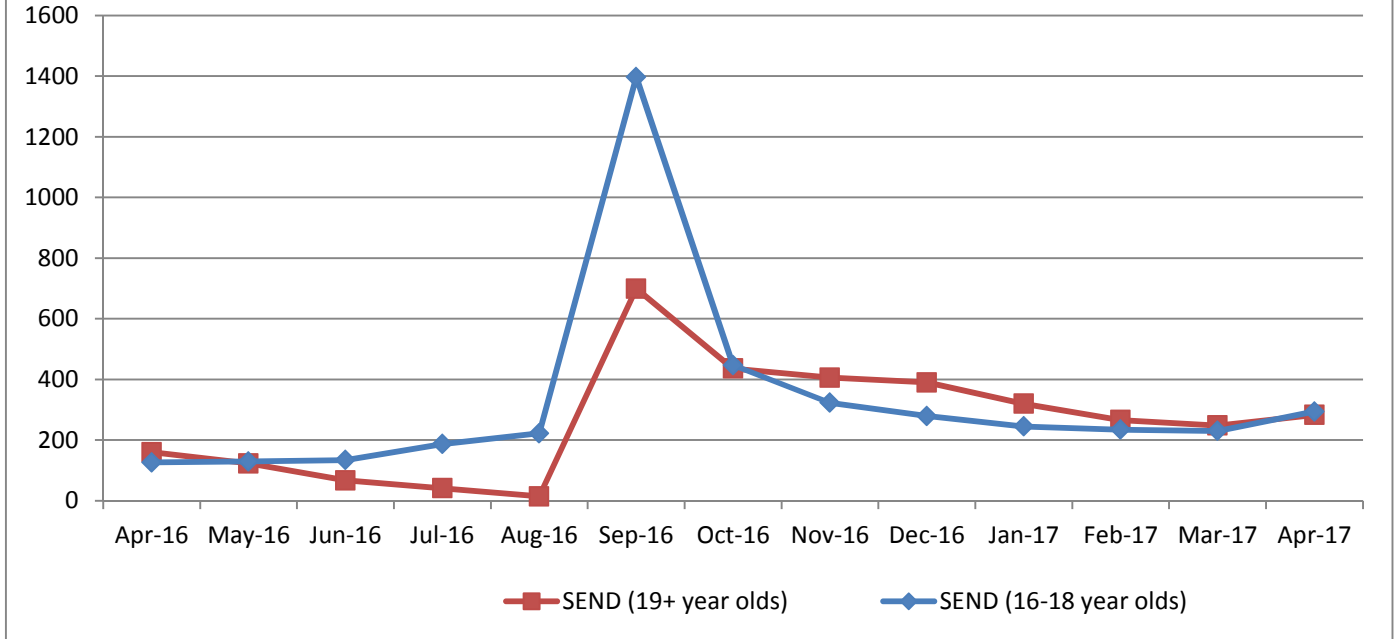
| Table 8 | | | |
|---|------|-----|----------------|
| Y12 & Y13 NEET Leavers & Joiners | 2017 | | |
| | Y12 | Y13 | Y12 & 13 Total |
| Leaving NEET Total | 46 | 74 | 120 |
| Education | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| Employment | 15 | 46 | 61 |
| Government supported training | 20 | 18 | 38 |
| Re-engagement Provision | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Transfer to another LA | 4 | 4 | 8 |
| Age reached where no active record required | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Left England so no longer active record | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Found to be a duplicate record | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Deceased | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Custodial Sentence | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cannot Be Contacted | 4 | 6 | 10 |
| Refused to disclose activity | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Unknown Activity | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other Reason | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Joining NEET Total | 56 | 60 | 116 |
| Education | 25 | 21 | 46 |
| Employment | 4 | 16 | 20 |
| Training | 10 | 8 | 18 |
| Re-engagement Provision | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| From other area | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other (inc custodial sentence) | 17 | 15 | 32 |
| Difference (minus = Joiners>Leavers) | -10 | 14 | 4 |

| 2016 | | |
|------|-----|----------------|
| Y12 | Y13 | Y12 & 13 Total |
| 65 | 74 | 139 |
| 3 | 2 | 5 |
| 15 | 46 | 61 |
| 42 | 20 | 62 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4 | 4 | 8 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 105 | 78 | 183 |
| 55 | 22 | 77 |
| 10 | 14 | 24 |
| 22 | 19 | 41 |
| 1 | 1 | 2 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 17 | 22 | 39 |
| -40 | -4 | -44 |



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Chart 5
Not Knowns SEND



Activities of those who have reached statutory school leaving age

| | Year 12 | Year 13 | Year 14 | Total | Year 15 | Year 16+ | Total |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|------------|--------------|
| Cohort total | 16695 | 17294 | 17841 | 51830 | 6421 | 199 | 58450 |
| EET Total | 15835 | 15502 | 3323 | 34660 | 927 | 122 | 35709 |
| In education, post Year 11 | 14499 | 12959 | 2585 | 30043 | 387 | 120 | 30550 |
| School Sixth Form | 9865 | 8740 | 828 | 19433 | 9 | 0 | 19442 |
| Sixth Form College | 3136 | 1880 | 464 | 5480 | 174 | 95 | 5749 |
| Further Education | 1299 | 2198 | 1154 | 4651 | 148 | 3 | 4802 |
| Higher Education | 0 | 11 | 77 | 88 | 25 | 0 | 113 |
| Part time Education | 11 | 17 | 32 | 60 | 3 | 0 | 63 |
| Gap Year students | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Full time education - Other | 130 | 64 | 2 | 196 | 0 | 0 | 196 |
| Special Post-16 Institution | 53 | 41 | 25 | 119 | 28 | 22 | 169 |
| Full time education – custodial institution (juvenile) | 5 | 7 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| Employment | 1073 | 2302 | 722 | 4097 | 530 | 1 | 4628 |
| Apprenticeship | 753 | 1242 | 584 | 2579 | 492 | 1 | 3072 |
| Full time employment with study (regulated qualification) | 66 | 141 | 43 | 250 | 18 | 0 | 268 |
| Employment without training | 146 | 531 | 61 | 738 | 18 | 0 | 756 |
| Employment with training (other) | 35 | 133 | 14 | 182 | 2 | 0 | 184 |
| Temporary employment | 2 | 7 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| Part Time Employment | 67 | 217 | 19 | 303 | 0 | 0 | 303 |
| Self-employment | 4 | 28 | 1 | 33 | 0 | 0 | 33 |
| Self-employment with study (regulated qualification) | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Working not for reward with study (regulated) | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Training | 259 | 235 | 15 | 509 | 10 | 1 | 520 |
| EFA/SFA funded Work Based Learning | 70 | 53 | 1 | 124 | 0 | 0 | 124 |
| Other training (eg, private training organisations) | 170 | 167 | 14 | 351 | 10 | 0 | 361 |
| Training delivered through the Work Programme | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Traineeships | 19 | 15 | 0 | 34 | 0 | 0 | 34 |
| Supported Internship | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Re-engagement Provision | 4 | 6 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| NEET Group | 398 | 692 | 821 | 1911 | 444 | 2 | 2357 |
| Available to labour market | 332 | 519 | 616 | 1467 | 327 | 2 | 1796 |
| Working not for reward | 11 | 8 | 8 | 27 | 8 | 0 | 35 |
| Not yet ready for work or learning | 21 | 41 | 47 | 109 | 27 | 0 | 136 |
| Start date agreed (other) | 5 | 8 | 2 | 15 | 3 | 0 | 18 |
| Start date agreed (RPA compliant) | 19 | 15 | 8 | 42 | 4 | 0 | 46 |
| Seeking employment, education or training | 276 | 447 | 551 | 1274 | 285 | 2 | 1561 |
| Not available to labour market | 66 | 173 | 205 | 444 | 117 | 0 | 561 |
| Young carers | 3 | 5 | 5 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 15 |
| Teenage parents | 21 | 77 | 69 | 167 | 37 | 0 | 204 |
| Illness | 27 | 61 | 84 | 172 | 55 | 0 | 227 |
| Pregnancy | 13 | 27 | 43 | 83 | 16 | 0 | 99 |
| Religious grounds | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Unlikely to be economically active | 2 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 7 | 0 | 16 |
| Other reason | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other (not EET or NEET) | 77 | 236 | 10 | 323 | 4 | 0 | 327 |
| Custody (young adult offender) | 0 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 10 |
| Refugees/Asylum seekers | 77 | 232 | 8 | 317 | 0 | 0 | 317 |
| Current situation not known | 385 | 864 | 13687 | 14936 | 5046 | 75 | 20057 |
| Current situation not known | 329 | 557 | 10933 | 11819 | 1605 | 61 | 13485 |
| Cannot Be Contacted | 22 | 56 | 26 | 104 | 7 | 0 | 111 |
| Refused to disclose activity | 0 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 11 |
| Currency Expired - EET | 32 | 241 | 2525 | 2798 | 3416 | 14 | 6228 |
| Currency Expired - Other | 2 | 9 | 197 | 208 | 14 | 0 | 222 |

| Progress | Year 12 | Year 13 | Year 14 | Total | Year 15 | Year 16+ | Total |
|---|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| RPA | | | | | | | |
| Participating in education and training | 93.7% | 85.5% | | | | | |
| Meeting the Duty | 93.8% | 85.5% | | | | | |
| Participating in RPA compliant education and training | 93.7% | 85.4% | | | | | |
| Working towards meeting the duty | 0.14% | 0.12% | | | | | |
| Temporary break from Learning | 0.37% | 0.97% | | | | | |
| Not Known % | 2.32% | 5.07% | 76.76% | 29.00% | 78.63% | 37.69% | 34.51% |
| In Learning % | 93.74% | 85.47% | 18.08% | 64.81% | 14.13% | 61.31% | 59.20% |
| NEET % | 2.39% | 4.06% | 4.60% | 3.71% | 6.92% | 1.01% | 4.06% |
| NEET + Not Known % | 4.71% | 9.12% | 81.36% | 32.71% | 85.55% | 38.69% | 38.56% |

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| | NEET | | Not known | | In learning | |
|---------|---------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| | % Academic Age16-17s NEET | % change over last 12 months | % Academic Age16-17s NK | % change over last 12 months | % Academic Age16-17s in learning | % change over last 12 months |
| ENGLAND | 3.0% | -3.9% | 2.8% | -15.5% | 92.1% | 0.7% |

Table 9

| Name | NEET Ranked Position | Academic Age16-17 (Y12-Y13) NEET % | Y12 NEET% | Y13 NEET% | N/K Ranked Position | Academic Age 16 - 17 (Y12-Y13) NK % | Y12 NK% | Y13 NK% | Academic Age 16 - 17 (Y12-13) In Learning % | Y12 In Learning % | Y13 In Learning % |
|---|----------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Kent | 7 | 3.2% | 2.3% | 4.1% | 6 | 2.8% | 1.6% | 3.9% | 89.7% | 94.1% | 85.4% |
| East Sussex | 10 | 3.6% | 2.6% | 4.5% | 1 | 0.9% | 0.3% | 1.6% | 91.8% | 95.5% | 88.3% |
| Essex | 5 | 2.7% | 2.2% | 3.2% | 3 | 1.5% | 0.7% | 2.3% | 92.3% | 95.6% | 89.3% |
| Lancashire | 9 | 3.4% | 2.4% | 4.4% | 10 | 5.2% | 3.5% | 6.8% | 89.4% | 93.2% | 85.8% |
| Northamptonshire | 11 | 3.6% | 2.5% | 4.7% | 8 | 3.4% | 2.3% | 4.6% | 90.0% | 94.0% | 86.1% |
| Nottinghamshire | 2 | 1.6% | 1.4% | 1.8% | 4 | 2.3% | 1.1% | 3.5% | 95.7% | 97.3% | 94.2% |
| Staffordshire | 3 | 2.4% | 2.0% | 2.7% | 9 | 4.8% | 3.2% | 6.4% | 90.4% | 93.8% | 87.0% |
| Swindon | 8 | 3.2% | 2.0% | 4.5% | 5 | 2.7% | 1.1% | 4.2% | 91.4% | 95.7% | 87.2% |
| Warwickshire | 4 | 2.5% | 2.0% | 2.9% | 7 | 3.1% | 0.8% | 5.3% | 92.6% | 96.4% | 88.9% |
| West Sussex | 1 | 1.6% | 1.3% | 1.8% | 11 | 7.3% | 3.2% | 11.2% | 90.1% | 94.9% | 85.6% |
| Worcestershire | 6 | 3.1% | 2.8% | 3.5% | 2 | 1.1% | 0.5% | 1.8% | 93.1% | 95.5% | 90.6% |
| Mean Indicator for Statistical neighbours | | 2.8% | 2.1% | 3.4% | | 3.2% | 1.7% | 4.8% | 91.7% | 95.2% | 88.3% |

Chart 6 Statistical Neighbours NEETs March 2017

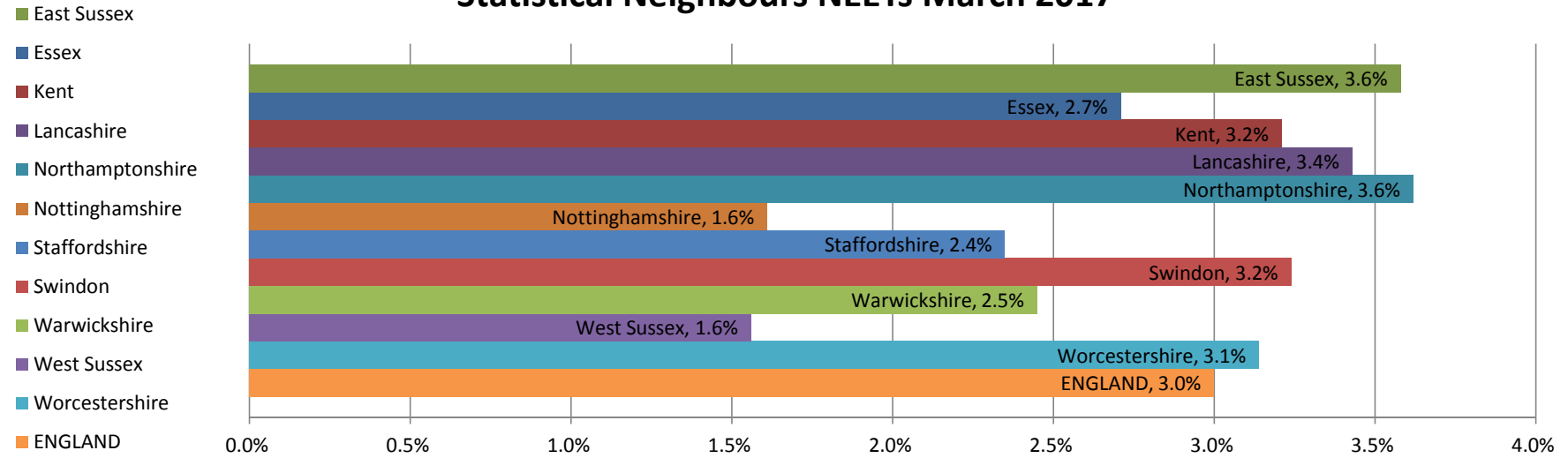
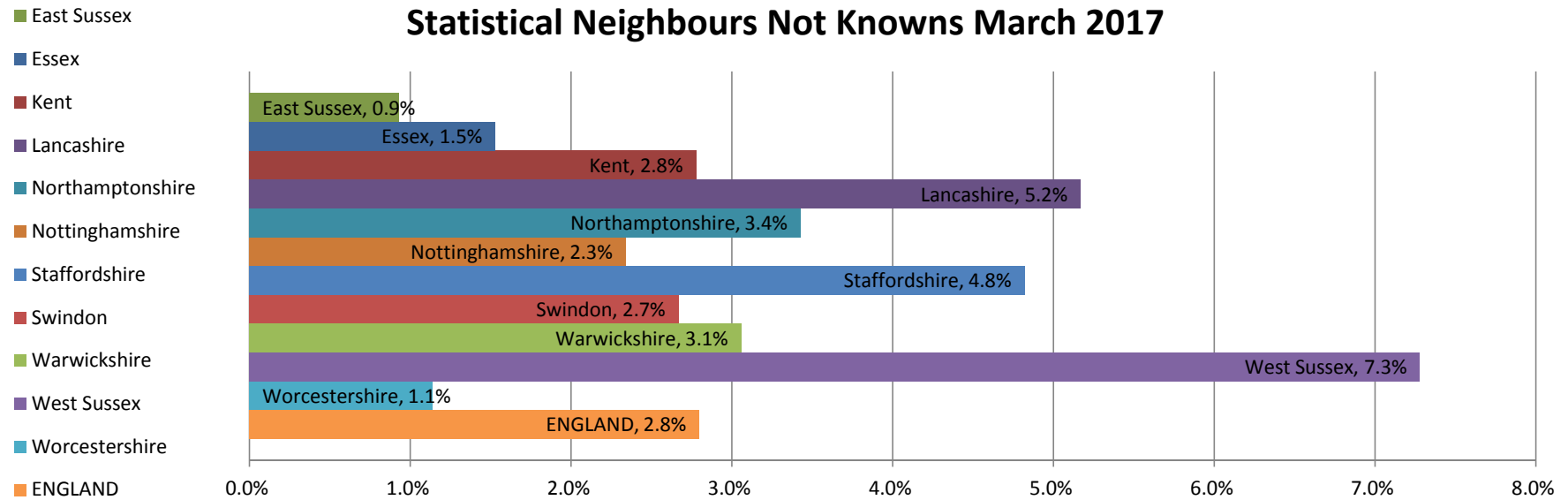


Chart 7 Statistical Neighbours Not Knowns March 2017



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| Table 10 | | | | |
|--|---------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Year 11 intended destinations summary | Cohort total | Total not yet recorded | Total undecided | %age of total recorded |
| Kent | 16252 | 1065 | 711 | 89.1% |
| Ashford | 1341 | 71 | 46 | 91.3% |
| Canterbury | 1525 | 92 | 50 | 90.7% |
| Dartford | 1469 | 51 | 31 | 94.4% |
| Dover | 1319 | 79 | 90 | 87.2% |
| Gravesham | 1208 | 50 | 12 | 94.9% |
| Maidstone | 1899 | 103 | 17 | 93.7% |
| Sevenoaks | 386 | 46 | 21 | 82.6% |
| Shepway | 988 | 58 | 41 | 90.0% |
| Swale | 1551 | 225 | 138 | 76.6% |
| Thanet | 1473 | 73 | 145 | 85.2% |
| Tonbridge & Malling | 1533 | 141 | 51 | 87.5% |
| Tunbridge Wells | 1560 | 76 | 69 | 90.7% |