

[Presentation to be delivered at the meeting]



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Responses to questions raised by the committee at the September meeting

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Snapshot analysis of 99 young people NEET in December 2015

- 59 were from White ethnic backgrounds
- 44 had attended either New River College or alternative provision
- 21 had attended schools outside Islington
- 24 had attended a mainstream school in Islington
- 6 had previously had statements of SEN:
 - One attended a special school outside Islington
 - One attended an independent school
 - One was home educated
 - One attended New River College
 - Two attended mainstream schools in Islington



Snapshot analysis of 99 young people NEET in December 2015 in August 2016

- 18 were EET: 10 RPA compliant; 7 employed; 1 home tuition
- 58 young people had cycled in / out of EET
- 6 were or had been subject to YOS orders / in custody
- 13 were young parents
- 2 were young carers
- 11 were not available to the labour market due to illness
- 23 had moved into FE upon leaving Year 11, however:
 - 15 had left FE to NEET
 - 1 had become pregnant
 - 2 had gone into custody
 - 2 into employment, 2 into training & 1 into 6th form

Headlines

- Young people leaving Islington's special schools are doing very well as all in this snapshot had remained in EET
 - Young people leaving Islington's mainstream schools are also doing well
 - A high proportion of the 99 young people NEET had attended New River College or alternative provision
 - Young people in this snapshot are cycling in and out of EET. Sustaining a place in learning is a challenge
 - The council is continuing to support members of this group
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