

Matthew Arnold Primary School - Equality Information 25/26

Our school community

In addition to pupils with protected characteristics, as defined in the Equality Act, our school gathers further information on the following groups of pupils which includes our socio- economic duty:

- Pupils eligible for Free School Meals (FSM)
- Pupils with Special Educational Needs (SEN)
- Pupils with English as an Additional Language (EAL)
- Young carers
- Looked after children (LAC)
- Children of members of the armed forces
- Offending past

Number on roll (2-11years)	274
Male	61.7%
Female	38.3%
Disadvantaged	60.8%
SEN support	26.3% (20 children EHCP 7.3%)
Minority groups*	31.68%
LAC	1.1%
EAL	20.8%
Children of members of the armed forces	0%
Young Carers	0%
School attendance	93.7% (statutory school age)

*see breakdown below

The school takes its GDPR responsibilities very seriously. With this in mind, any data that pertains to a child that would lead to a child being identifiable due to the fact that their characteristic has such a small representation will be omitted from this publication. However, their needs and experiences will be taken fully into consideration when developing policies, procedures and equality objectives.

Ethnicity	Percentage of School Population
Any other Asian background	1.76%
Black - Somali	2.11%
Indian	1.05%
Other Black African	1.76%
Other ethnic group	6.34%
Other mixed background	3.17%
Pakistani	1.76%
White - British	68.32%
White and Black Caribbean	1.06%
White and Chinese	1.76%
White European	1.06%
White Other	4.23%
Yemeni	1.41%

As our school has fewer than 150 members of staff, we are not required to publish data about our staff.