## **Blaenau Gwent Attendance**

## Latest Blaenau Gwent published release for week ending 27th October:

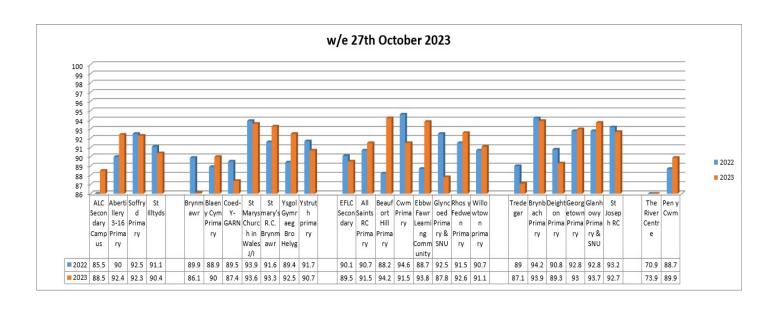
Welsh Government average 91.4%

Blaenau Gwent average 90.1%

SEWC region 91.3%

					Average	Average	Average	Average		
		Average	Average	Average	number of	percentage	number of	percentage of	Average	Average
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LA code	Local authority	per day	present	present	absence	absence	absence	absence	absence	of absence
679	Monmouthshire	18,296	16,898	92.4	1,085	5.9	312	1.7	1,397	7.6
666	Powys	24,948	23,008	92.2	1,595	6.4	345	1.4	1,940	7.8
667	Ceredigion	14,861	13,706	92.2	729	4.9	427	2.9	1,156	7.8
668	Pembrokeshire	26,227	24,142	92.1	1,475	5.6	610	2.3	2,085	7.9
665	Wrexham	30,166	27,735	91.9	1,808	6.0	623	2.1	2,431	8.1
664	Flintshire	35,347	32,461	91.8	2,235	6.3	651	1.8	2,885	8.2
673	Vale of Glamorgan	34,334	31,528	91.8	1,806	5.3	1,000	2.9	2,806	8.2
681	Cardiff	74,110	68,102	91.9	3,457	4.7	2,637	3.6	6,094	8.2
670	Swansea	53,112	48,725	91.7	3,045	5.7	1,343	2.5	4,387	8.3
680	Newport	42,673	39,110	91.7	2,066	4.8	1,497	3.5	3,563	8.3
	Bridgend	33,648	30,830	91.6	2,059	6.1	758	2.3	2,817	8.4
661	Gwynedd	24,960	22,791	91.3	1,708	6.8	461	1.8	2,169	8.7
	Caerphilly	42,580	38,804	91.1	2,632	6.2	1,144	2.7	3,775	8.9
660	Isle of Anglesey	14,159	12,892	91.0	957	6.8	311	2.2	1,268	9.0
678	Torfaen	23,683	21,552	91.0	1,615	6.8	516	2.2	2,131	9.0
669	Carmarthenshire	43,009	39,115	90.9	2,843	6.6	1,050	2.4	3,893	9.1
674	Rhondda Cynon Taf	60,052	54,576	90.9	3,491	5.8	1,985	3.3	5,476	9.1
675	Merthyr Tydfil	14,386	13,046	90.7	816	5.7	524	3.6	1,340	9.3
671	Neath Port Talbot	33,718	30,575	90.7	1,790	5.3	1,353	4.0	3,143	9.3
663	Denbighshire	25,065	22,682	90.5	1,504	6.0	878	3.5	2,382	9.5
662	Conwy	23,326	21,049	90.2	1,526	6.5	750	3.2	2,277	9.8
677	Blaenau Gwent	15,435	13,901	90.1	1,055	6.8	479	3.1	1,534	9.9
999	Wales	702,600	642,217	91.4	40,898	5.8	19,485	2.8	60,383	8.6

## Blaenau Gwent half-termly analysis - October 2023



Cluster 22/23	secondary	primary
Abertillery	85.5	91.2
Brynmawr	89.9	90.8
Ebbw Vale	90.1	91.0
Tredegar	89	92.8
Authority	88.6	91.4

Cluster 23/24	secondary	primary
Abertillery	88.5	91.7
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Brynmawr	89.5	0 = 10
Ebbw Vale	33.0	91.8
Tredegar	87.1	92.5
Authority	87.8	91.8

Unfortunately, we are seeing a decrease in secondary school attendance whilst both primary schools and special schools are showing a slight increase.

One secondary school has increased their absence whilst the other three schools have seen a decrease. The main reasons for absence at secondary are illness (5.9%), unauthorised absence (2.8%) and other authorised absence (1.6%).

Eleven primary schools have seen an increase, whilst the other ten schools have seen a decrease. The main reasons for absence at primary are illness (4.3%), unauthorised holidays in term time (1.1%) and unauthorised absence (0.8%).

Both special schools have seen an increase in their attendance. The main reasons for absence in special schools are unauthorised absence (6.4%), illness (5.2%) and other authorised absence (3.4%).