

Ofsted update 4 December 2020

Schools inspected since last committee 2020

School	Date of Inspection	OE Grade	Previous grade
Ofsted Inspections			

Snapshot from October 2020

	% of schools judged to be Good & Outstanding	National % schools judged to be Good & Outstanding	% Pupils in a Good or Outstanding School	% of schools judged to be Outstanding	National % Schools judged to be Outstanding
Primary	88.5	87.8	89.1	11.5	16.6
Secondary	100	76.4	100	0	20.5
Special	66.7	90.4	89.5	66.7	38.4
Colleges	100	-	-	-	-
PRUs	100	85.0	100	0	18.6
All Schools (not colleges)	89.7	86.3	93.5	14.7	19.0

National figures as at end of October 2020 Ofsted Monthly Management data ²

Overview of School Ofsted Outcomes

As at end July	Outstanding	Good	Requires improvement	Inadequate
Brighton & Hove: % Schools	14.7%	75%	8.8%	1.5%
Brighton & Hove: Number of schools	10	51	6	1
National : % schools	19.0%	67.3%	10.1%	3.6%

The pupil referral units are now one establishment: The Central Hub Brighton

Ofsted Interim visits

During the Autumn Term Ofsted completed interim visits. These are now finished:

Further information re Ofsted Interim Visits can be found at [Ofsted Vimeo](#) and the [Ofsted page on interim visits](#)

Ofsted state:

“These interim visits are to reassure and inform parents, government and the public about how schools are managing the return to full education for all pupils.

Interim visits will help parents and the public to understand how individual schools are returning to the school’s normal curriculum. We will not be evaluating what leaders did during the spring and summer term 2020, when schools were not open to all pupils, but we may need to understand the broad context of its impact on the school.

The lead Her Majesty’s Inspector (HMI) will write a short letter after each interim visit. The letter will summarise briefly the discussions inspectors had with leaders. This is to provide parents with information about what leaders are doing to help pupils back into full-time education. Letters will not provide any evaluation or graded judgement. They will be published on our [reports website](#). We will also use our findings from the visits to report to the Secretary of State and the public on the picture across schools in England.”

The following schools received a visit:

- 9th December 2020 – St Bartholomew’s CE Primary School – to be published
- 1st December 2020 – Hertford Infant School – to be published
- 20th October 2020 – Moulsecoomb Primary School [50156735 \(ofsted.gov.uk\)](#)
- 1st October 2020 - St Joseph’s Catholic Primary School [50155769 \(ofsted.gov.uk\)](#)

Ofsted Visits from Jan 2021

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/january-2021-maintained-schools-and-academies#how-we-will-select-schools>

Some schools will receive monitoring visits in the Spring Term. Note a monitoring visit does not change the grading of a school.

These will take place for schools:

- that were judged as requires improvement at (at least) their last 2 consecutive section 5 inspections;
- judged as inadequate, including those subject to a live directive academy order;
- ofsted also say they “may also carry out some monitoring inspections of other schools judged as requires improvement, at regional directors’ discretion and based on our risk assessment.”

Overview of Early Years Ofsted inspections

- 98% of childcare providers on the Early Years Register in Brighton & Hove were judged good or outstanding. This is above the figure of 96% in England (August 2020). This is above the figure of 96% in England.
- A high percentage of settings are judged as outstanding in Brighton & Hove, above national and local outcomes:
 - 26% (B&H), 21% (SE) and 19% (England).
- One interim Ofsted visit has taken place at The Nest Nursery School, currently graded Requires Improvement. Ofsted report that all identified actions from the previous report have been met. The visit took place on 12.10.20.
- Ofsted Assurance inspections will be carried out from the start of the spring term. Routine graded inspections will resume in the summer term of 2021. Under the new arrangements, all early years providers will be inspected in a 6-year window from the date of their last inspection.

EY Ofsted inspections since last committee

Setting	Inspection date	Latest grade for overall effectiveness	Previous grade

