

Dataset Name: Achievement of Curriculum for Excellence Levels (ACEL)

Dataset ID: 2024-A014

Indexing Summary Report

Method: ACEL data was matched to the NRS population spine using the Pupil Census read-through.

Stage 1: Preprocessing

ACEL records	1,082,762
ACEL people	789,941
Demographic keys	1,082,762
Storage keys	1,082,762

Stage 2: Match to spine %Match Rate

ACEL records exact-matched to the spine	1,028,595	95.0%
ACEL people exact-matched to the spine	750,149	95.0%

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The following tables are a breakdown of ACEL matches to the NRS population spine. They are based on the match categories of the original Pupil Census matches to the spine, where 'Unique exact' is the most reliable and 'Minimum' is the least stringent.

Sex

	Total	Minimum threshold links	Row %	Safe links	Row%	Unique exact links	Row%
Male	405,273	399,634	99%	386,418	95%	385,018	95%
Female	384,668	379,376	99%	366,431	95%	365,131	95%
Total:	789,941	779,010	99%	752,849	95%	750,149	95%

Year of birth

	Total	Minimum threshold links	Row %	Safe links	Row%	Unique exact links	Row%
1998	79	74	94%	70	89%	70	89%
1999	457	447	98%	424	93%	423	93%
2000	588	579	98%	545	93%	543	92%
2001	2,552	2,524	99%	2,369	93%	2,367	93%
2002	45,453	45,274	99.6%	43,370	95%	43,273	95%
2003	51,460	51,227	99.5%	49,256	96%	49,148	96%
2004	53,261	52,979	99%	51,103	96%	50,971	96%
2005	53,710	53,493	99.6%	51,634	96%	51,509	96%
2006	55,235	54,927	99%	53,053	96%	52,899	96%
2007	57,395	56,865	99%	55,006	96%	54,827	96%
2008	58,923	58,460	99%	56,543	96%	56,383	96%
2009	59,903	59,233	99%	57,270	96%	57,058	95%
2010	58,889	58,064	99%	56,233	95%	56,016	95%
2011	58,310	57,402	98%	55,641	95%	55,407	95%
2012	59,877	58,641	98%	56,824	95%	56,559	94%
2013	59,949	58,194	97%	56,299	94%	55,980	93%
2014	6,955	6,759	97%	6,520	94%	6,482	93%
2015	50,464	49,156	97%	47,644	94%	47,433	94%
2016	52,671	51,038	97%	49,470	94%	49,247	93%
post-2016	3,810	3,674	96%	3,575	94%	3,554	93%
Total	789,941	779,010	99%	752,849	95%	750,149	95%

Academic year

	Total	Minimum threshold links	Row %	Safe links	Row%	Unique exact links	Row%
2016/17	225,537	223,783	99%	215,900	96%	215,255	95%
2017/18	222,005	219,872	99%	212,516	96%	211,824	95%
2018/19	223,128	220,293	99%	213,065	95%	212,269	95%
2020/21	57,764	56,045	97%	54,297	94%	54,031	94%
2021/22	61,507	59,017	96%	57,071	93%	56,770	92%
Total	789,941	779,010	99%	752,849	95%	750,149	95%