

EALING VIRTUAL SCHOOL
LOOKED AFTER CHILDREN

LAC EXCLUSION SUMMARY & COMPARISON

2018-19 AND 2019-20
ACADEMIC YEARS

CHILDREN'S & ADULTS' SERVICES



PERMANENT EXCLUSIONS

There was one Permanent Exclusions for Ealing LAC for academic year 2019/20.

FIXED-TERM EXCLUSIONS

For **2018-2019**, the total exclusions totaled **15.8%** of the LAC population, this was higher compared to **2017/18** year at **12.9%**. However, this relates to **32** pupils who amongst them had **71** instances of FTE. This is an increase of **23.1%** in the number of students excluded for a fixed term period, from **26** students in **2017-2018** to **32** students in **2018-2019**. (See report, LAC Exclusion Summary and Comparison)

In **2019-20**, we had the impact of Covid-19, this resulted in all schools in England closing from 20th March 2020. In the period 20th March 20 through to the end of the 2019/20 academic year, there were no FTEs. The data presented in this report for **2019/20** for Fixed Term Exclusions represents the period from **September 2019** up to **20th March 2020** when lockdown commenced.

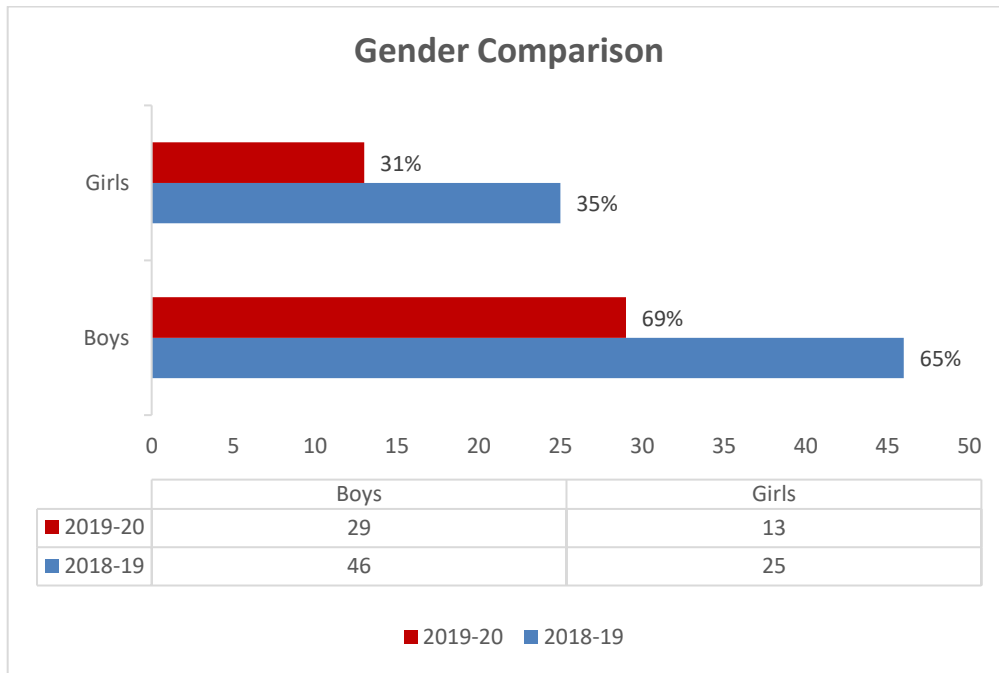
For **2019-2020**, the total exclusions totaled **10.0%** of the LAC population, this is a reduction compared to the previous year at **15.8%**. However, this relates to **24** pupils who amongst them had **42** instances of F/T. This is a decrease of **25.0%** in the number of students excluded for a fixed term, from **32** students in **2018-2019** to **24** students in **2019-2020**. (See report, LAC Exclusion Summary and Comparison)

Key Points 2019-20 (R-Yr.11)

- Reduction **25%** in the number of students excluded for fixed term periods, from **32 students** in **2018-2019** to **24 students** in **2019-2020**.
- Reduction of **40.8%** (**71** to **42**) in instances of exclusion compared to **2018-2019**.
- **29%** (**7** of **24**) had 1 or more fixed term exclusion in **2019-2020**.
- **3 pupils** and **3 schools** made up **37.7%** (**15/42**) of the total instances of exclusions for LAC in **2019-20**.
- **59%** (**14**) of the fixed-term exclusions were for pupils with an EHCP or were on SEN Support in **2019-2020**.
- **13%** (**3**) of the pupils excluded had an EHC plan, **46%** (**11**) were at SEN Support stage.
- **69%** (**29**) of the instances of exclusions were for LAC attending out of borough schools; **31%** (**13**) were LAC in Ealing schools.
- **11 special schools/AP/PRUs** make up **50%** of the total instances of exclusions in **2019-2020**.
- **29** (**69%**) of the instances of fixed term exclusion were for boys, **13** (**31%**) were for girls.

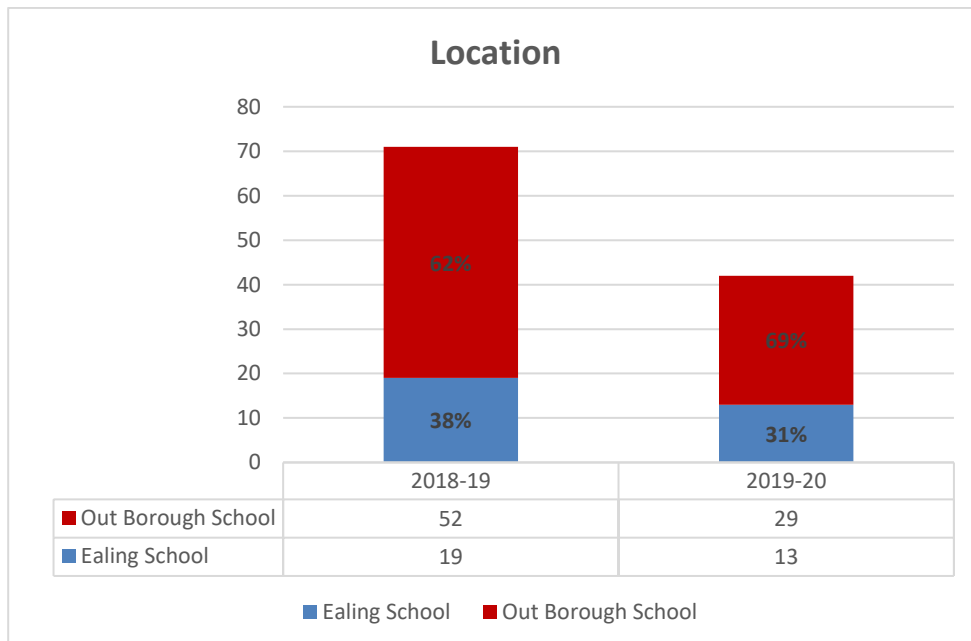
Gender

In **2019-20**, Ealing's LAC cohort gender split was **69% (29)** boys and **31% (13)** girls. In **2018-19**, **65% (46)** of the exclusions were for boys; **35%** of the exclusions were for girls.



Location

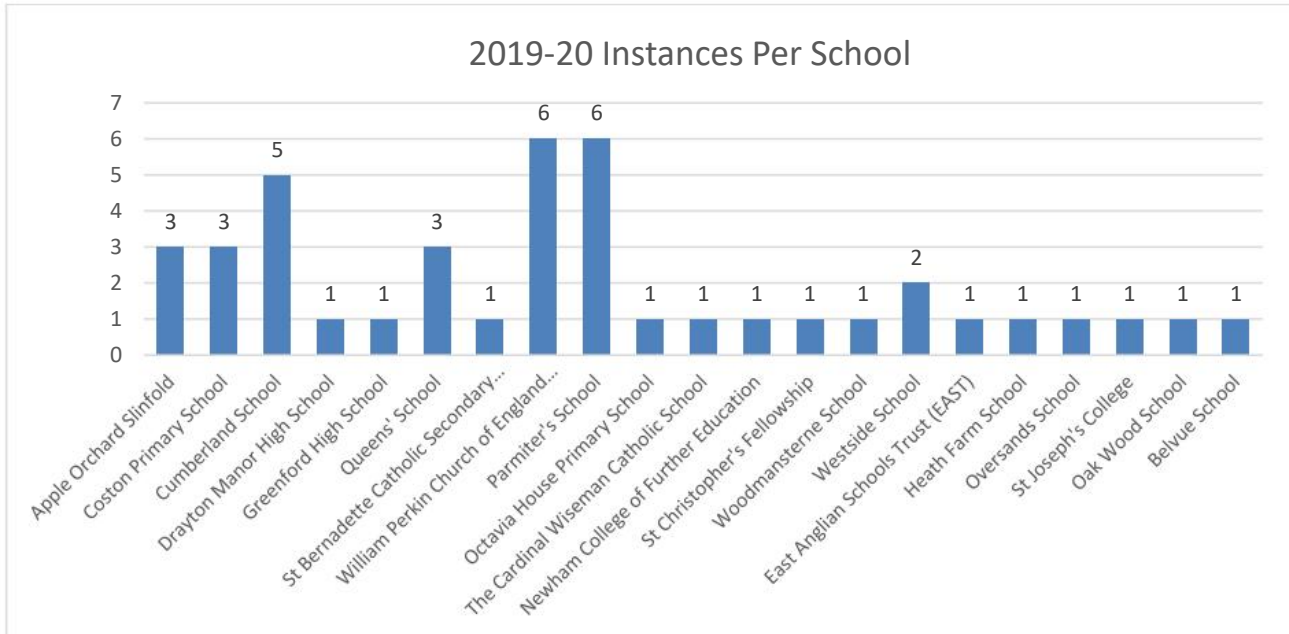
In **2019-20**, (29 of 42) **69%** of the exclusions were for pupils attending out of borough schools. In **2018-19**, (52 of 71) **62%** of the exclusions were for pupils in out of borough schools.



Instances Per School

In **2019/20**, **3** boys from **William Perkins High School** account for **14%** of the total (**6** of **42**), **1** boy at **Parmiter's School** account for **14%** (**6** of **42**). **1** girl from **Cumberland School** accounted for **12%** of the total (**5** of **42**).

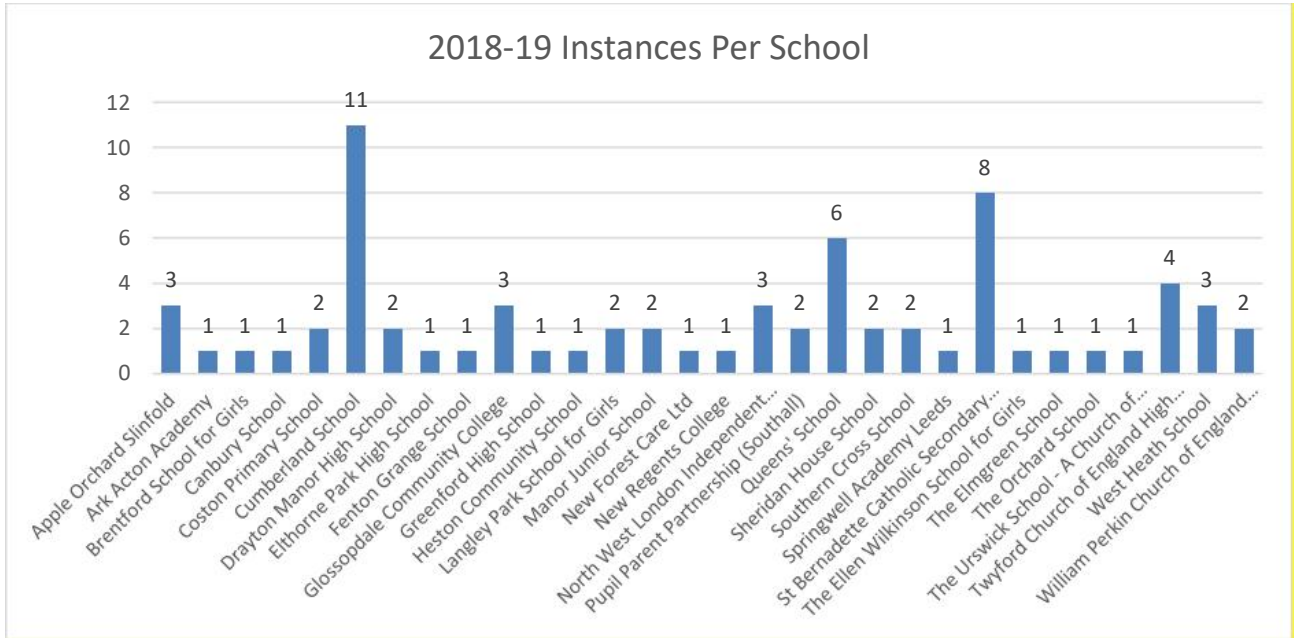
Exclusions from **3** schools made up **40%** (**17/42**) of the total exclusions for LAC in **2019-20**, with **5** pupils from **3** schools.



In 2018-19

In **2018-19**, **1** girl at **Cumberland School** was responsible for **11** of the **71** fixed-term exclusions, **15%** of the total. **1** boy from **St Bernadette's Catholic Secondary School** accounted for **11%** of the total (**8** of **71**), and **1** boy from **Queens School** accounted **8%** of the total (**6** of **71**).

Exclusions from **3** schools made up **35%** (**25/71**) of the total exclusions for LAC in **2018-19**, with **3** pupils, one from each of the **3** schools.



Total Fixed Term Exclusions by Schools

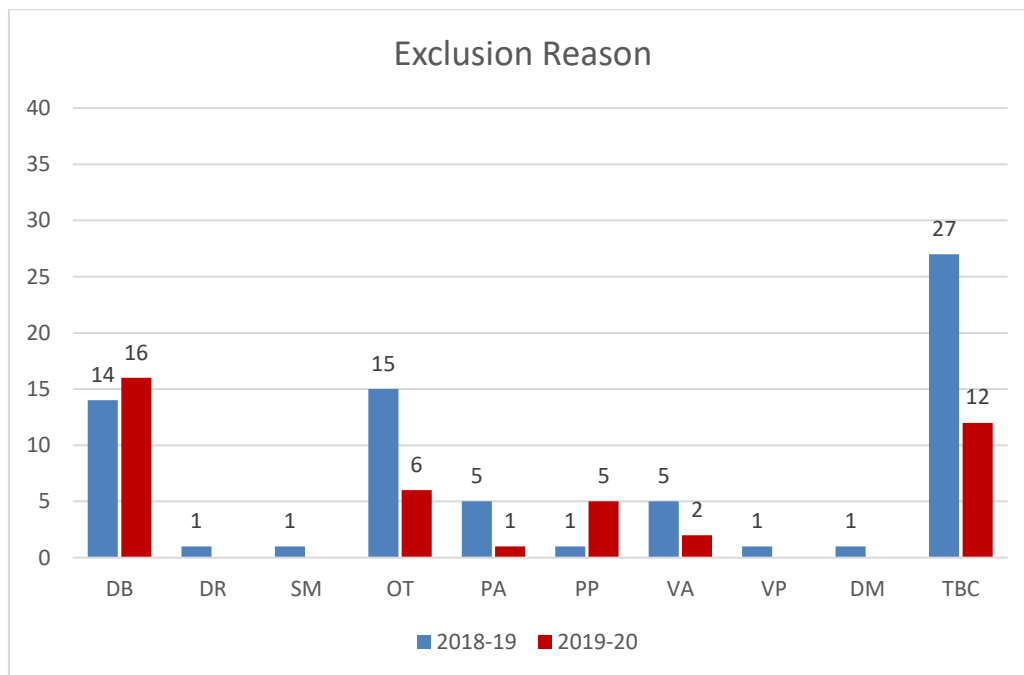
School	2018-19 Instances	Number Pupils	2019-20 Instances	Number Pupils
Apple Orchard Slinfold	3	1	3	1
Ark Academy	1	1	-	-
Belvue School	-	-	1	1
Brentford School for Girls	1	1	-	-
Canbury School	1	1	-	-
Coston Primary School	2	1	3	1
Cumberland School	11	1	5	1
Drayton Manor High School	2	2	1	1
East Anglian Schools Trust (EAST)	-	-	1	1
Ellen Wilkinson School for Girls	1	1	-	-
Elthorne Park High School	1	1	-	-
Fenton Grane School	1	1	-	-
Glossopdale Community College	3	1	-	-
Greenford High School	1	1	1	1
Heath Farm School	-	-	1	1
Heston Community School	1	1	-	-
Langley Park School for Girls	2	1	-	-
Manor Junior School	2	1	-	-
New Forest Care Ltd	1	1	-	-
Newham College of Further Education	-	-	1	1
New Regents School	1	1	-	-
North West London Independent Special School	3	2	-	-
Oak Wood School	-	-	1	1
Octavia House Primary School	-	-	1	1
Orchard School	1	1	-	-
Oversands School	-	-	1	1
Parmiter's School	-	-	6	1
Pupil Parent Partnership (Southall)	2	1	-	-
Queens' School	6	1	3	1
Sheridan House School	2	1	-	-
Southern Cross School (SEMH)	2	1	-	-
Springwell Academy Leeds	1	1	-	-
St Bernadette Catholic Secondary School	8	1	1	1
St Christopher's Fellowship	-	-	1	1
St Joseph's College	-	-	1	1
The Cardinal Wiseman Catholic School	-	-	1	1
The Elmgreen School	1	1	-	-
Twyford Church of England High School	4	2	-	-
Urswick School - A Church of England Secondary School	1	1	-	-
Westside School	-	-	2	2
West Heath School (SEMH /other complex needs)	3	1	-	-
William Perkin Church of England High school	2	2	6	3
Woodmansterne School	-	-	1	1
Totals	71	32	42	24

Reason for Exclusion

The highest percentage of fixed-term exclusions in **2019-20** year is categorized as “**Persistent Disruptive Behaviour**” (DB) at **38%**. In **2018-19** the highest category was “**Other**” (OT) with **21%**, and in **2017-18**, it was also “**Other**” (OT) with **17%**.

As with the data on fixed-term exclusions in general, exclusions for LAC pupils being categorized as **OT ‘Other’** is unhelpful from a statistical perspective. 14% of fixed term exclusions were categorized as **OT ‘Other’** in **2019-2020**

Reason	2018-19		2019-20	
DB	14	20%	16	38%
SM	1	1%	0	0%
BU	0	0%	0	0%
OT	15	21%	6	14%
PA	5	7%	1	2%
RA	0	0%	0	0%
VP	1	1%	0	0%
PP	1	1%	5	12%
VA	5	7%	2	5%
DM	1	1%	0	0%
DR	1	1%	0	0%
TH	0	0%	0	0%
TBC	27	38%	12	29%
Total:	71		42	



PUPILS EXCLUDED

In **2018-19**, **32** pupils had Fixed-Term Exclusions. In **2019-20**, **24** pupils had Fixed-Term Exclusions.

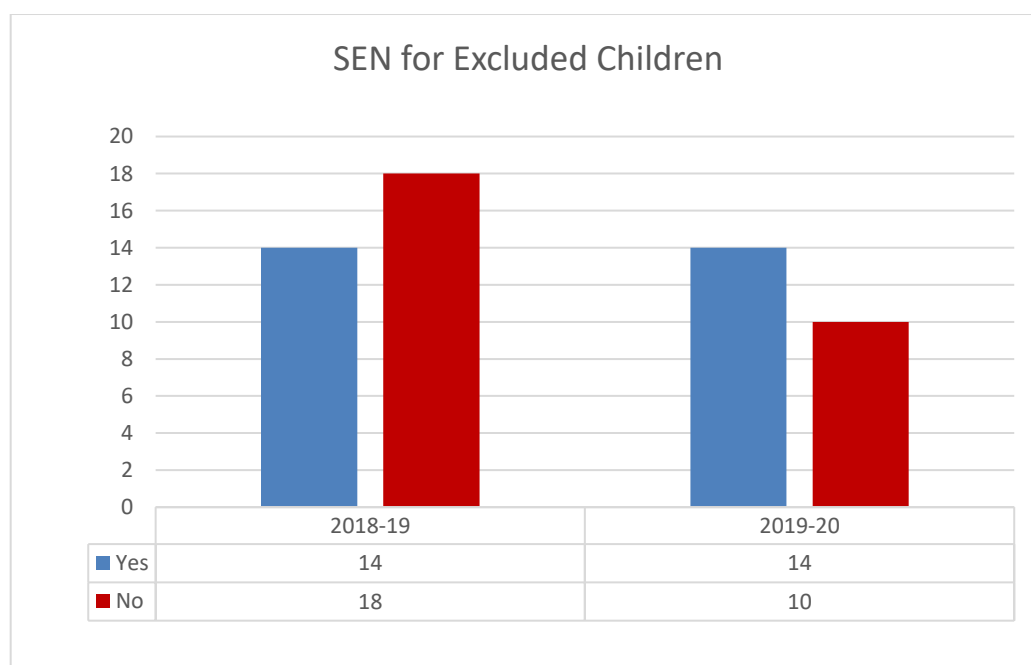
SEN

The table below shows the SEN stage for the Pupils Excluded.

SEN	2018-19	%	2019-20	%
(N) = No special educational need	18	56%	10	42%
(K) = SEN Support	9	28%	11	46%
(E) = Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP)	5	16%	3	13%
Total:	32		24	

14 of the **24** excluded pupils (**59%**) were on the SEN register in **2019-20**, compared to **14** of the **32** (**44%**) of the excluded pupils in **2018-19**.

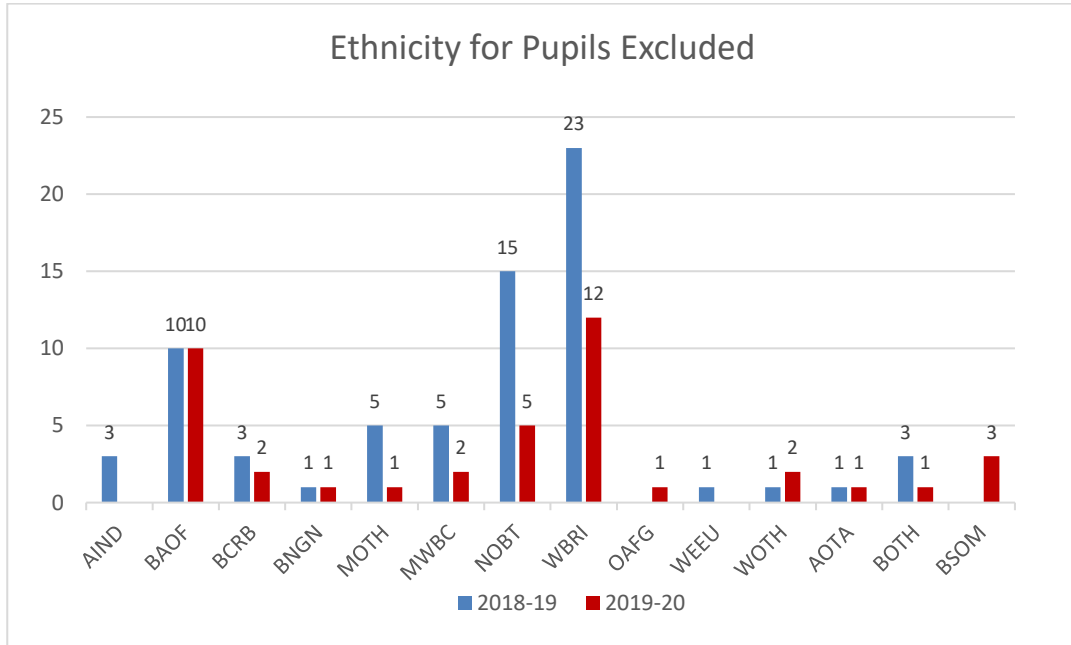
(See strategies to address SEMH needs in the VSH Annual Report 2019-2020)



Ethnicity

In **2018-19** the ethnic group with the highest number of excluded pupils was **'White British' (WBRI)** with **32% (23)**, followed by **'Black African Other' (BAOF)** with **14% (10)**. **'Mixed Other' (MOTH)** and **Mixed White & Black Caribbean (MWBC)** both followed with **7% (5)** each.

In **2019-20** we have seen a similar pattern to last year in that the ethnic group with the highest number of excluded pupils was **'White British' (WBRI)** at **29% (12)**, followed by **'Black African Other' (BAOF)** with **24% (10)**.



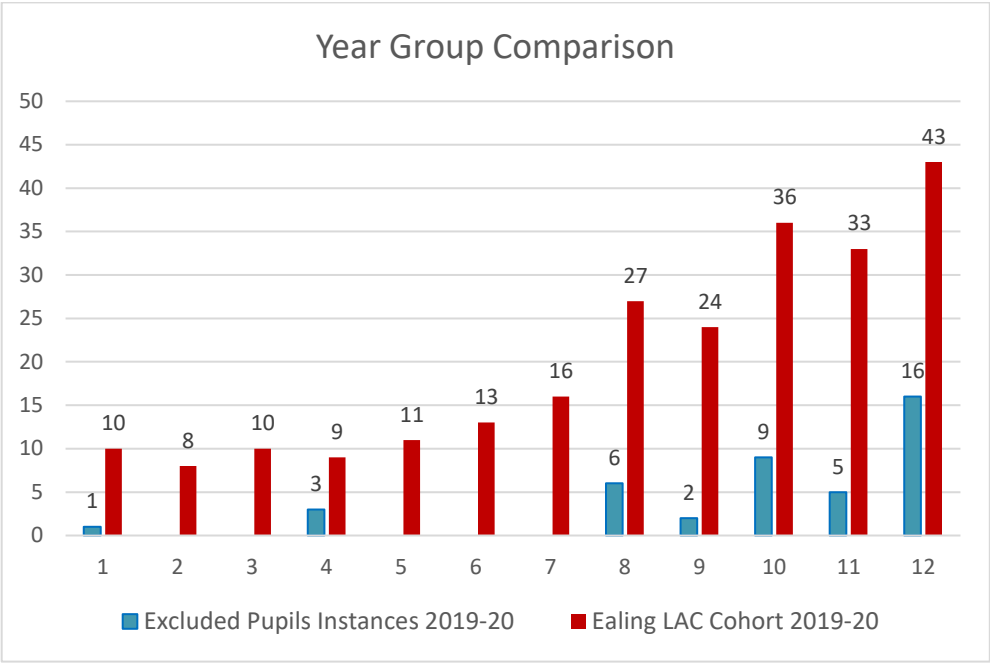
Year Group

In **2019-20**, **38%** of the instances of fixed-term exclusion were for pupils in **Yr.11** compared to **18%** of the cohort, followed by **21%** in **Yr.9** (**15%** of the cohort). In **2018-19**, **51%** of the instances of fixed-term exclusion were for pupils in **Yr.9**.

In **2019-20**, **9.5% (4/42)** of the exclusions were for primary school aged children, **2** children in total from **2** different schools, with **1** of the schools out of borough.

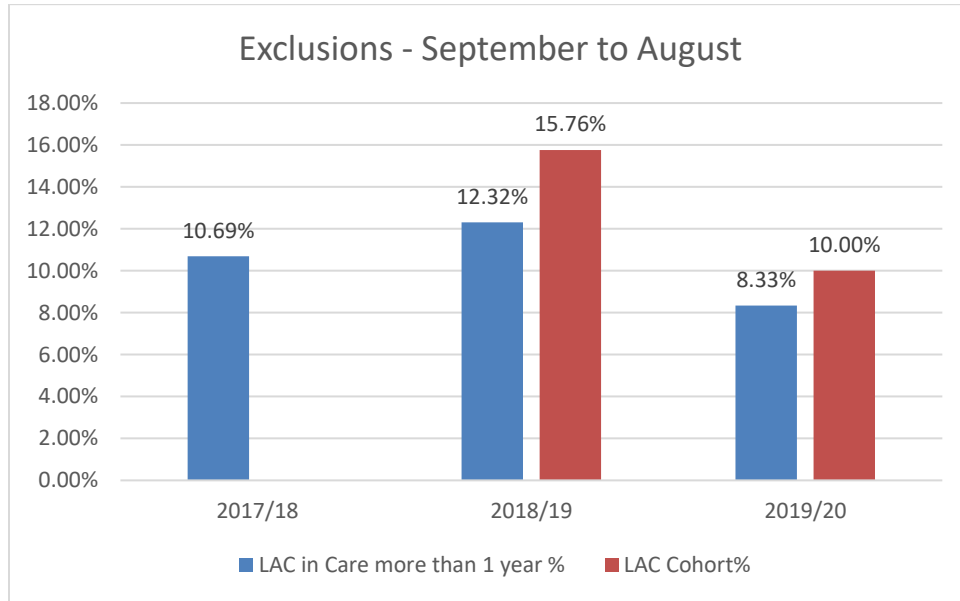
Year group	Excluded Pupils Instances 2019-20	%	Ealing LAC Cohort 2019-20	%
R	1	2%	10	4%
1	0	0%	8	3%
2	0	0%	10	4%
3	3	7%	9	4%
4	0	0%	11	5%
5	0	0%	13	5%
6	0	0%	16	7%
7	6	14%	27	11%
8	2	5%	24	10%
9	9	21%	36	15%
10	5	12%	33	14%
11	16	38%	43	18%
Totals	42		240	

Year group	Excluded Pupils Instances 2018-19	%	Ealing LAC Cohort 2018-19	%
R	0	0%	8	4%
1	0	0%	7	3%
2	1	1%	9	4%
3	2	3%	12	6%
4	0	0%	8	4%
5	4	6%	12	6%
6	0	0%	13	6%
7	11	15%	26	13%
8	6	8%	25	12%
9	36	51%	28	14%
10	5	7%	31	15%
11	6	8%	23	11%
Totals	71		203	



EXCLUSIONS – 3 YEAR COMPARISON

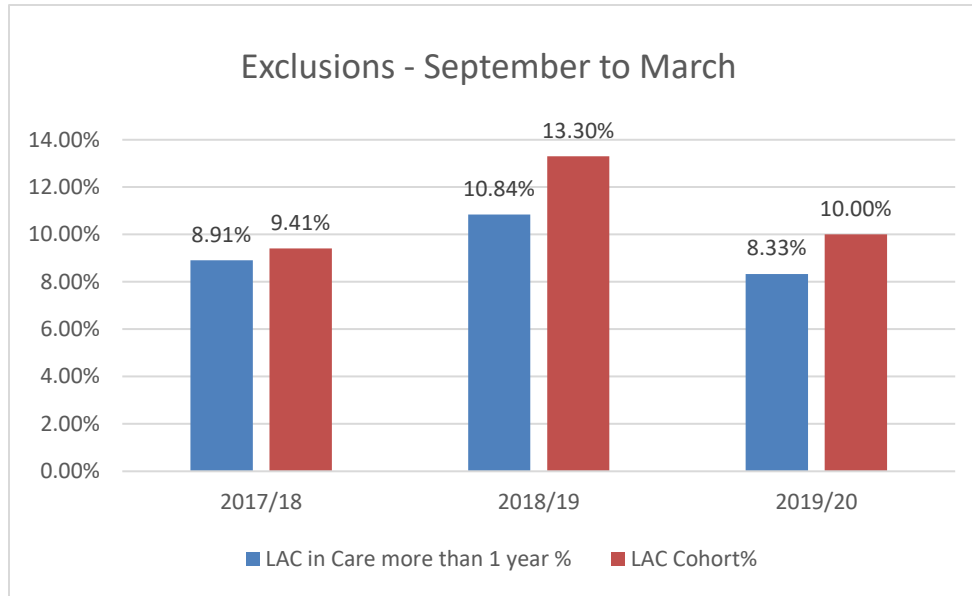
The below Exclusion data represents percentage of LAC Exclusions for the last **3 years** – **2017/18**, **2018/19** and **2019/20**. The first table has been broken down to show **3-year** comparative data for a whole academic year from “**September to August**”, and the second table comparisons from “**September to March**” when schools in England closed for the national lockdown due to Covid-19.



	September to August		
	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
LAC in Care more than 1 year %	10.69%	12.32%	8.33%
LAC whole cohort %	-	15.76%	10.00%

For **2017/18**, the LAC Exclusion percentage **10.69%** for LAC in care for more than 1 year is recorded from LAIT.

The **2018/19** and **2019/20** figures are calculated locally from LAC Call.



	September to March		
	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
LAC in Care more than 1 year %	8.91%	10.84%	8.33%
LAC whole cohort %	9.41%	13.30%	10.00%

The above 3-year comparative data from **September to March** for each academic year has been calculated using LAC Call.