Executive Summary

Early Years Foundation Stage (end of reception year)

- Early Years Foundation Stage performance has improved but gap has not closed compared to national levels.
- 66% of pupils achieved a Good Level of Development in Birmingham in 2017.
- The proportion of children achieving a Good Level of Development improved between 2016 and 2017, by 2 percentage points.
- Birmingham's performance is below the national average in 2017 by 5 percentage points.
- Birmingham's performance is below the statistical neighbour average, but in line with the average core city performance.

Key Stage 1 (Ages 5-7, Years 1 and 2)

- 72% of Birmingham pupils achieved the new expected standard in reading, 65% in writing and 71% in mathematics.
- In comparisons with the national average, Birmingham pupils are below in reading, writing and maths.
- Birmingham's performance is above core cities average for reading and writing by 1 percentage point and in line with statistical neighbour's average.
- Birmingham's performance for maths is below the statistical neighbour average by 2 percentage points.

Key Stage 2 (Ages 7-11, Years 3, 4, 5 and 6)

- For Reading, Writing and Maths combined, 57% of pupils reached the new expected standard and 6% achieved a higher standard this performance is below the national average (of 62% and 9% respectively). However, Birmingham's performance from 2016 to 2017 is on an upward trend improving by 10 percentage points for achieving expected standard in reading, writing and maths.
- For average progress in Reading and Writing (-0.9) Birmingham is below national average, however for Maths Birmingham's performance is in line with national average (0).

Key Stage 4 (Ages 14-16, Years 10 and 11)

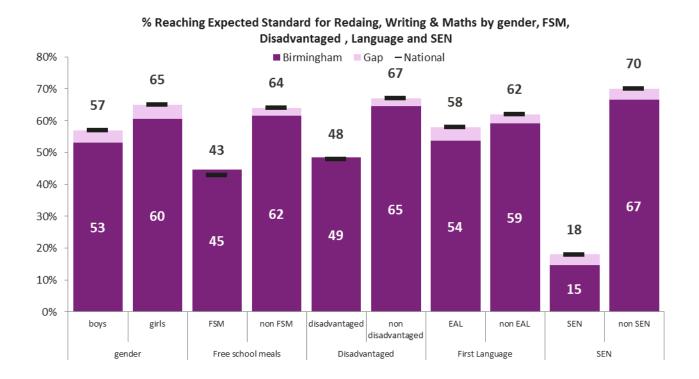
- Progress 8 indicates Birmingham children are making better progress than pupils nationally with a similar starting point. Birmingham Progress 8 score is 0.01 and national average is -0.03.
- Birmingham's disadvantaged pupils achieved better than national for Progress 8.
- Birmingham's average Attainment 8 score is 46.1 which is in line with the national of 46.4.
- 25% of Birmingham children achieved the English Baccalaureate (standard pass) above national average (24%)
- 40% of Birmingham children achieved 9 to 5 (grades) in English and Maths (strong pass) 3 percentage points below national average.

Key Stage 5 (6th Form)

- Birmingham's key stage 5 attainment is above national average for 2017 for most measures, Average Point score for best 3 A Levels and achieving 3 A*-A grades or better.
- Birmingham mainly outperforms core cities, statistical neighbours and the West Midlands.

Key stage 2

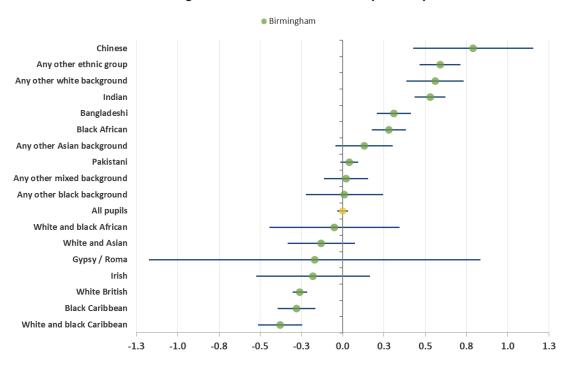
Graph below shows performance of different pupil groups for the main combined measure for Key stage 2.



Percentage achieving at least expected standard in Reading, Writing & Maths by pupil group ■ Birmingham ■ Gap National Irish 72 77 Chinese 70 Indian 68 71 Bangladeshi 65 63 white and Asian 70 any other Asian background 60 68 white British 60 62 white and black African 62 any other mixed background 58 64 White 58 61 57 63 Asian all pupils 57 61 black African 56 62 Black 55 60 63 Mixed Pakistani 54 56 53 57 any other black background black Caribbean any other ethnic group 52 57 white and black Caribbean 55 any other white background 46 traveller of Irish heritage 20 29 Gypsy / Roma 5 16 0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50% 60% 70% 80%

Key stage 4 – (graphs based on first released of data therefore provisional)

Key stage 4 - 2017 Provisional Progress 8 with confidence interval by Ethnicity



Key stage 4 - 2017 Provisional Attainment 8 results by Ethnicity

