**Software Development Forum**

**2 June 2015**

**Measuring secondary school performance in Wales**

**Intention to move to year 11**

1. As part of the Review of Qualifications in Wales, we are committed to moving to use the number of pupils in Year 11 for secondary school reporting from summer 2016 onwards, rather than learners aged 15 at the start of the year.
2. The data provided to schools in summer 2016 will include rolling average data calculated using year 11 pupils for 2013, 2014 and 2015.
3. We have not yet decided whether to use the count of year 11 pupils from the January school census or the data collected as part of the KS3 data return in NDC in May.
4. Further information on the Review of Qualifications, and the timeline of changes to school performance measures, can be found on our website at:

<http://gov.wales/topics/educationandskills/qualificationsinwales/revofqualen/?lang=en>

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