

Covid-19 Education Recovery Group - Infographic

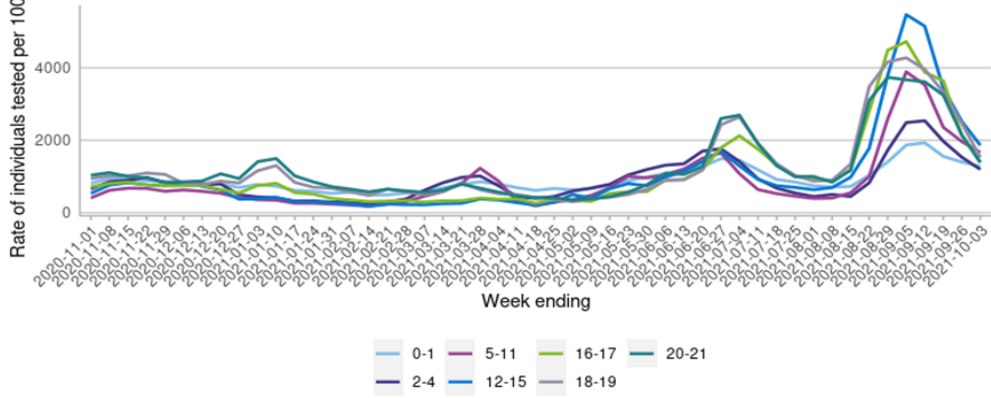
In the week ending 3rd October 2021:

- The rate of testing was 1,441.9 per 100,000 children and young people aged 2-17 years.
- The percentage of tests that were positive was 17.9% in those aged 2-17 years; a decrease from 18.8% last week.
- The identified COVID-19 positive cases reflected a rate of 168.2 cases per 100,000 2-4 year olds, 715.3 cases per 100,000 5-11 year olds, 883.3 per 100,000 12-15 year olds and 445.8 cases per 100,000 16-17 year olds. The rate of cases per 100,000 of the general population was 308.5.

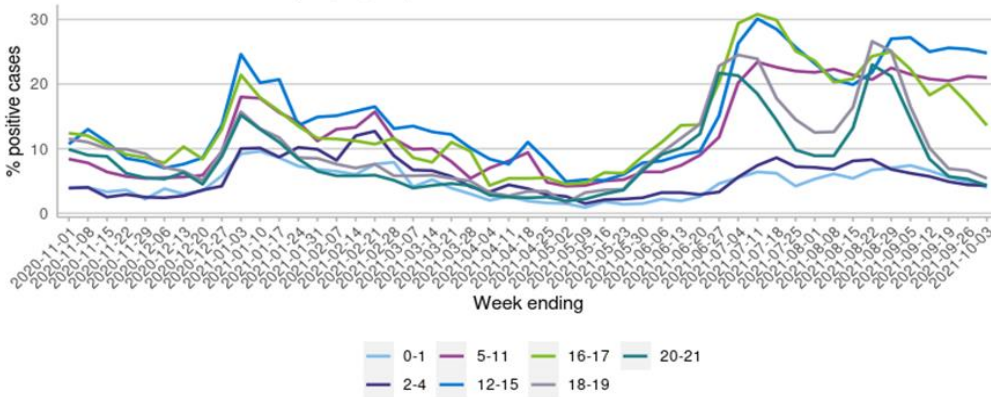
On 5th October:

- Attendance in local authority schools was 89.7%, whilst the percentages of openings recorded as pupils not in school (non Covid-19 reasons) was 8.2%, and for not in school (Covid-19 related reasons) was 2.1%.
- 14,414 pupils were not in school either all or part of the day because of Covid-19 related reasons. Of these, 3,736 were not in school because of a Covid-19 related sickness.

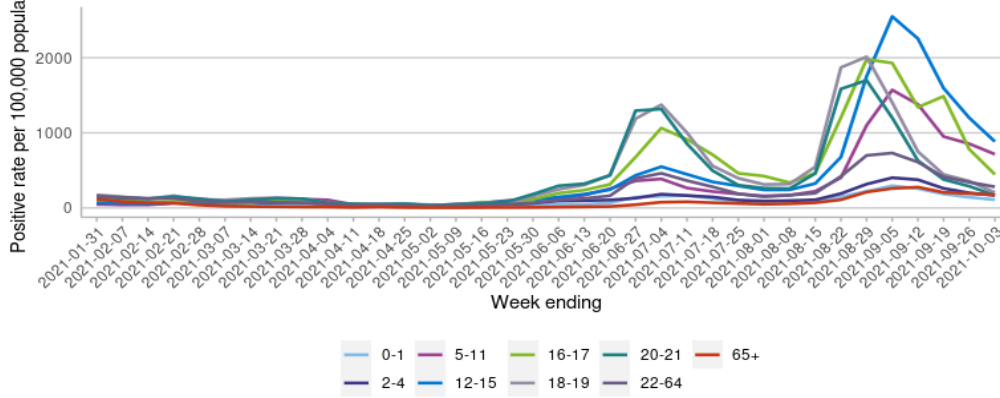
Rate per 100,000 of individuals tested for COVID-19 across NHS Scotland over time, by age group



Percentage of tests that had a positive result for COVID-19 over time, by age group

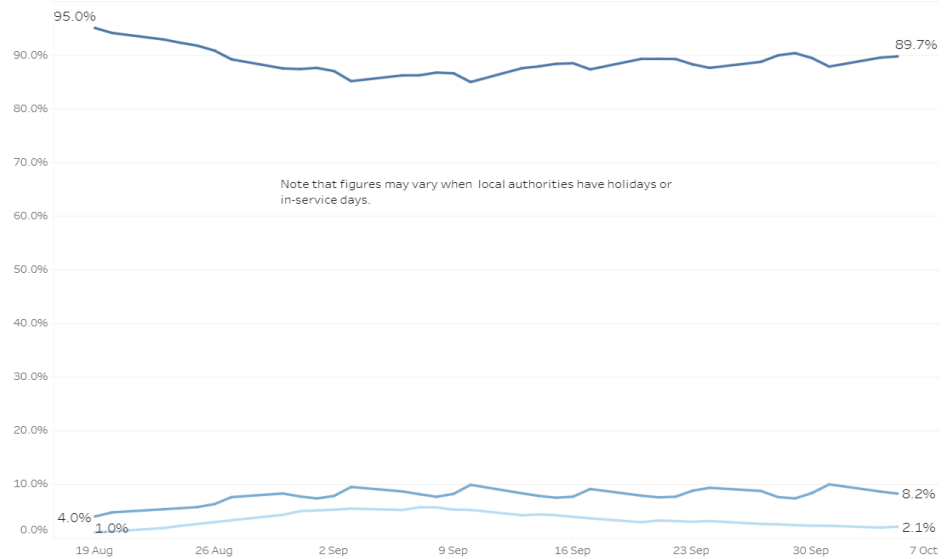


Rate per 100,000 population of positive COVID-19 cases across NHS Scotland over time, by age group



School Attendance and Absence over time

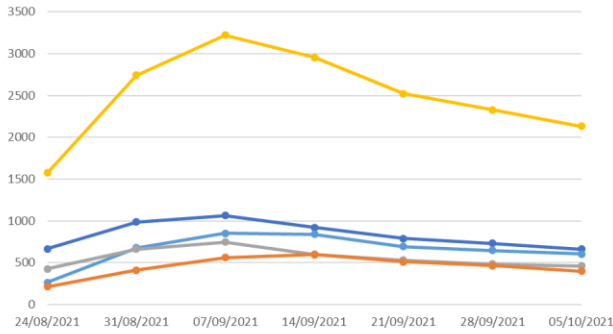
- Percentage Attendance
- Percentage of openings showing pupils were not in school because of any Covid-19 related reason
- Percentage of openings showing pupils were not in school because of non-Covid-19 reasons



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- 2,130 staff were absent due to Covid-19 related reasons, of which, 1,267 were teaching staff and 863 were other school-based staff.
- 57,779 children were attending a childcare setting and 1,067 had a Covid-19 related absence. Note that not all open settings completed the survey and that these figures are an underestimate of the actual number of open settings and children attending.
- This week, 422 (1.9%) childcare staff were absent due to Covid-19 related reasons [based on a 53% response rate].

Estimated number of local authority school-based staff absent due to Covid-related reasons, Scotland



For any LAs that were unable to submit their latest information on time, or for other reasons (e.g. due to local holidays/in-service days), then their previously submitted figures have been carried forward in order to produce an estimated total number of staff absent for Scotland.

As such, week on week comparisons should be made with some caution as there will be some variation in the number of weeks between a local authority's latest provided figures and their previously submitted figures.

This week we received responses from 31 of 32 local authorities.

- Teaching staff who do not have confirmed Covid-19 or who have not displayed any Covid-19 symptoms but are absent because they are self-isolating / shielding / quarantining / looking after someone due to Covid-19 (e.g. their child)
- Teaching staff absent with confirmed Covid-19 or with symptoms of Covid-19
- Other school-based staff who do not have confirmed Covid-19 or who have not displayed any Covid-19 symptoms but are absent because they are self-isolating / shielding / quarantining / looking after someone due to Covid-19 (e.g. their child)
- Other school-based staff who are absent with confirmed Covid-19 or with symptoms of Covid-19
- All staff absent because they are either self isolating, etc. or have confirmed /symptoms of Covid-19

Number of children attending and absent on 05 October 2021 by type of childcare provider

