



KEY FACTS 2012

Catholic Schools in England

There are 2166 Catholic schools in England.

Catholic schools make up 10% of the national total of schools.

808,207 pupils are educated in Catholic schools.

70.8% of pupils at Catholic maintained schools are Catholic.

45,607 teachers work in Catholic maintained schools.

55% of teachers in Catholic maintained schools are Catholic.

2012 Census Digest is available to download:
www.catholiceducation.org.uk

33.5% of pupils in Catholic maintained primary schools are from ethnic minority backgrounds (27.6% nationally).

20% of pupils at Catholic maintained secondary schools live in the most deprived areas (17% nationally).

74.7% of Catholic primary schools have Ofsted grades of good or outstanding (64% nationally).

At age 11, Catholic schools outperform the national average English and Maths SATs scores by 6%.

At GCSE, Catholic schools outperform the national average by 4.9%.

All data taken from:

- *Digest of 2012 Census Data for Schools and Colleges*
- *Ofsted 2010-2011 Annual Report*
- *Department for Education statistics*
- *Individual School Ofsted Reports*