

Children and Young People's Scrutiny Committee

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Appendix 2: Key Stage 3 assessments in English, Maths and Science - 'Narrowing the gap' between boys' and girls' achievement

These tables show the differences in boys' and girls' achievement in KS3 assessments for English, Maths and Science, and comparisons with statistical neighbour and England averages.

English

Results	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
B&H Gender Gap	14%	16%	13%	10%	12%	13%
SN Gender Gap	15%	15%	14%	15%	14%	13%
England Gender Gap	17%	13%	13%	13%	13%	12%

Maths

Results	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
B&H Gender Gap	-6%	2%	0%	-1%	3%	-1%
SN Gender Gap	1%	3%	2%	2%	3%	4%
England Gender Gap	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%

Science

Results	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
B&H Gender Gap	-5%	2%	2%	2%	5%	1%
SN Gender Gap	1%	4%	5%	3%	3%	5%
England Gender Gap	1%	3%	3%	2%	3%	4%

Note: Positive figures indicate girls' achievement was better than boys'. Negative figures indicate boys' achievement was better than girls'.

