# Appendix 1 - Notes and Explanation of Terms to Accompany SSSP <br> Updated Nov 2019 

## Appendix 2 - The SSSP - Summary of Secondary School Performance (Provisional)

This document is produced by Welsh Government to provide a summary of Exam performance at KS4 and KS5. It remains provisional until all data has been checked and re-marks have been processed. Much of the local and national data on this document is yet to be finalised so is not available at this time.

## Page 1 - KS4 Headline Data

Page 1 has three tables providing data, first about the whole cohort, then about the boys Y11 cohort and then about the girls Y11 cohort. Each table has five rows of data which cover the following:

1) Most recent academic year data for Cardiff High School
2) Most recent academic year data Local Authority
3) Most recent academic year data for Wales
4) Most recent 3 year average for Cardiff High School
5) Previous 3 year average for Cardiff High School

The data provided in the 5 columns shows figures for the following indicators:-

| Average Points Measures |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| For these measures points are assigned to grades where$A^{*}=58, A=52, B=46, C=40, D=34, E=28, F=22, G=16$ |  |
| Capped 9 Measure (Interim) | Three of the nine slots in the total must be the best of English Literature or English Language, the best of Numeracy or Maths and the best Science grade achieved. The other six slots are then the pupil's best other six results. |
| Literacy Measure | This counts each pupil's best grade from English Language or English Literature |
| Numeracy Measure | This counts each pupil's best grade of Numeracy or Mathematics |
| Science Measure | This counts each pupil's best Science grade |
| Skills Challenge Measure | This counts each pupil's skills challenge grade |

## Page 2:- KS5 Headline Data

The Level 3 Threshold, Average Wider Points Score, 3 A* to A Grades and 3 A* to C Grades
The two tables on Page 2 provides data about post 16 performance measures according to the following definitions:-

| Level 3 Threshold | The proportion of the Y13 cohort achieving at least $2 A^{*}$ <br> to E grades |
| :--- | :--- |
| Average Wider Points Score Per Pupil | Average points per pupil including all grades where the <br> following A2 grade to point equivalences apply:- <br> $A^{*}=300, A=270, B=240, C=210, D=180, E=150$ |
| 3 or more A Level $A^{*}$ to A grades or <br> equivalent | The proportion of Y13 students achieving at least $3 A^{*}$ to <br> A grades |
| 3 or more A Level $A^{*}$ to $C$ grades or <br> equivalent | The proportion of Y13 students achieving at least $3 A^{*}$ to <br> C grades |

The above data is provided for the whole cohort and is then split by gender

## Page 3-Contextual Data

Page 5 provides contextual data about the following:-

- The number of pupils in National Curriculum Year 11 (NYC 11)
- Three year average of the proportion of pupils entitled to Free School Meals (FSM)
- The proportion of Y11 on the Special Educational Needs (SEN) register

