

Primary Schools 2005/6:
 Numbers of Students Absent for 20 Days or More, by County

	<i>Student Absence 20-days or more</i>	<i>All Students*</i>	<i>%</i>
Carlow	688	5,777	11.9
Cavan	722	7,435	9.7
Clare	1,186	11,824	10.0
Cork	4,638	49,883	9.3
Donegal	1,619	16,950	9.6
Dublin	14,685	104,874	14.0
Galway	2,286	21,863	10.5
Kerry	1,801	14,616	12.3
Kildare	2,466	21,538	11.5
Kilkenny	815	9,335	8.7
Laois	889	7,091	12.5
Leitrim	270	3,055	8.8
Limerick	2,540	20,042	12.7
Longford	489	3,644	13.4
Louth	1,625	12,878	12.6
Mayo	1,321	12,354	10.7
Meath	1,676	18,342	9.1
Monaghan	613	6,361	9.6
Offaly	1,182	8,889	13.3
Roscommon	614	6,117	10.0
Sligo	710	6,054	11.7
Tipperary	1,655	16,494	10.0
Waterford	1,180	11,603	10.2
Westmeath	1,087	9,298	11.7
Wexford	1,970	14,856	13.3
Wicklow	1,524	13,985	10.9
<i>All Counties</i>	50,251	435,158	11.5

*All students in schools returning data (95% of all schools)

Post-Primary Schools 2005/6
 Numbers of Students Absent for 20 Days or More, by County

	<i>Student Absence 20-days or more</i>	<i>All Students*</i>	<i>%</i>
Carlow	498	3,420	14.6
Cavan	788	3,802	20.7
Clare	1,055	7,079	14.9
Cork	4,496	34,524	13.0
Donegal	1,882	11,187	16.8
Dublin	12,807	72,485	17.7
Galway	2,633	16,422	16.0
Kerry	1,625	9,939	16.4
Kildare	1,589	10,251	15.5
Kilkenny	877	6,184	14.2
Laois	796	4,165	19.1
Leitrim	553	2,427	22.8
Limerick	2,177	13,554	16.1
Longford	652	3,388	19.2
Louth	1,503	8,469	17.8
Mayo	1,799	10,103	17.8
Meath	1,235	9,664	12.8
Monaghan	560	4,542	12.3
Offaly	1,016	5,122	19.8
Roscommon	389	2,967	13.1
Sligo	589	3,697	15.9
Tipperary	1,638	12,008	13.6
Waterford	763	6006	12.7
Westmeath	1,435	7,051	20.4
Wexford	1,385	10,644	13.0
Wicklow	1,498	9,035	16.6
<i>All Counties</i>	46,238	288,135	16.0

*All students in schools returning data (88% of all schools)

Notes Regarding Interpretation and Use of Attendance data.

Not all schools in a given area may have reported attendance data. As such, the final percentage supplied may not be an accurate reflection of absenteeism in that area.

Of those schools that returned attendance data, a small minority of returns were incomplete or invalid.