# **ISC ANNUAL**

The ISC annual Census was carried out in January 2018. All 1,326 schools in UK membership of the the survey. The Census covers detailed snapshot of the schools and of the wider social and economic trends in the UK.



### **Pupils** 529,164

Pupil numbers have now exceeded the previous pre-recession high and stand at their highest level since records began in 1974.



### **New Pupils** 106,688

New pupils at ISC schools. Over a quarter of new pupils to ISC schools ioined from the state-funded sector.



### **Academic Selection** 668

Half of all ISC schools are not academically selective. A further 276 schools have academic selection only for some age ranges.



### School Size 350

The majority of ISC schools have fewer than 350 pupils. The typical size is just under 200 pupils.



## Means-tested Assistance

£398m

Provided in means-tested fee assistance for pupils at ISC schools. Nearly half of all pupils on means-tested bursaries have more than half of their fees remitted.

### **Partnerships**

ISC schools in partnership with state schools. The types of partnerships vary from academy sponsorship

to seconding teaching staff to serving as governors at state schools.



### International Baccalaureate

24%

ISC pupils make up nearly a quarter of all pupils worldwide gaining the maximum score of 45 points.



### **Higher Education** 91%

Pupils who leave ISC schools and go on to Higher Education. The majority, 54%, continue to a Russell Group university of which 5% choose to study at Oxbridge.



# **Overseas Pupils**

28,513

There are 28,513 pupils in ISC schools whose parents live overseas. This represents 5.4% of all pupils and brings cultural diversity to our schools.



### Charitable Work

£16m

Around £16 million was raised for charities at ISC schools and 860 schools organised volunteering opportunities for staff and/or pupils.



### **Pupil-Teacher Ratio** 8.6

Pupils for every teacher on average at ISC schools. There is a total number of 58,573 full-time equivalent teachers.



### **SEND** 79,281

The number of pupils at ISC schools who have been identified as having special educational needs and/or a disability (SEND).



# **Ethnic Diversity**

33.4%

Our ethnic diversity closely mirrors that of the general population, with similar regional variation.





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