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What is a Local Government District (LGD)?

A Local Government District (LGD) in Northern Ireland is an administrative area established for the purposes of local governance. LGDs are responsible for delivering local services and facilities to the communities within their boundaries. These services typically include waste collection and management, local planning and development control, community services, leisure and recreational facilities, environmental health, and economic development. Each LGD is governed by an elected council that makes decisions on behalf of its constituents, ensuring that local needs and priorities are addressed. There are eleven LGDs in Northern Ireland, each contributing to the overall structure of regional governance.

What is a District Electoral Area (DEA)?

A District Electoral Area (DEA) is a subdivision within a Local Government District (LGD) in Northern Ireland, created for electoral purposes. Each DEA comprises a number of electoral wards and is represented by several councillors who are elected by the residents within that area. The purpose of DEAs is to organize local elections and ensure proportional representation on the council. The number of DEAs and the boundaries of each are determined by the Local Government Boundaries Commissioner, taking into account population size and distribution to maintain balanced representation. DEAs play a crucial role in local governance by facilitating fair and effective political representation within the LGDs.

What is a Super Data Zone (SDZ)?

A Super Data Zone (SDZ) is a geographical area used for statistical and data analysis purposes. These zones are typically larger than standard data zones and are designed to provide more robust statistical data by aggregating information from multiple smaller zones. SDZs are used in various fields, including public health, education, and economic development, to analyse trends, identify needs, and allocate resources effectively. The larger population size within an SDZ helps to ensure that the data collected is more comprehensive and statistically significant, aiding in more accurate and detailed analysis for policy-making and planning.

What is a Data Zone (DZ)?

A Data Zone is a small geographical unit used for statistical purposes, often employed in the analysis and dissemination of population, social, and economic data. These zones are designed to provide detailed and localized information that can support various aspects of public policy, planning, and resource allocation. Typically, a data zone encompasses a population ranging from 500 to 1,000 residents, allowing for the collection of granular data that reflects the characteristics and needs of specific communities.

Data Zones are used by government agencies, researchers and planners to monitor trends, assess the impact of policies and identify areas requiring intervention or support. By breaking down regions into smaller units, data zones facilitate more precise and actionable insights into local demographics, economic conditions, health outcomes and other critical metrics.

SECTION 1.0 DEMOGRAPHICS

1.1 Demographics - Mid Ulster Local Government District

Mid Ulster, established in 2015, is one of Northern Ireland's eleven local government districts. Situated in the central part of the region, it merges the former Cookstown District, Dungannon and South Tyrone Borough, and Magherafelt District. The district is known for its rich agricultural land and historical sites, with good transport links supporting its strong manufacturing and agri-food industries.

The population of Mid Ulster local government district in 2021 census is 151,001 people, of which 52,307 are aged 0-25 years, which equates to 34.8% of the population.

The council area is divided into seven District Electoral Areas (DEAs):

1. **Carntogher DEA:** Includes areas around Maghera and rural communities.
2. **Clogher Valley DEA:** Covers rural areas around Aughnacloy and Ballygawley.
3. **Cookstown DEA:** Includes Cookstown town and surrounding areas.
4. **Dungannon DEA:** Covers Dungannon town and nearby areas.
5. **Magherafelt DEA:** Includes Magherafelt town and surrounding rural areas.
6. **Moyola DEA:** Covers areas around Castledawson and Tobermore.
7. **Torrent DEA:** Includes areas around Coalisland and Donaghmore.

1.2 Demographics - Youth Population Mid Ulster Local Government District

Table 1: Mid Ulster Local Government District Total Population

District	Population 2021 Census	Density per km2	Area in km2
Mid Ulster	151,001	83	1,823

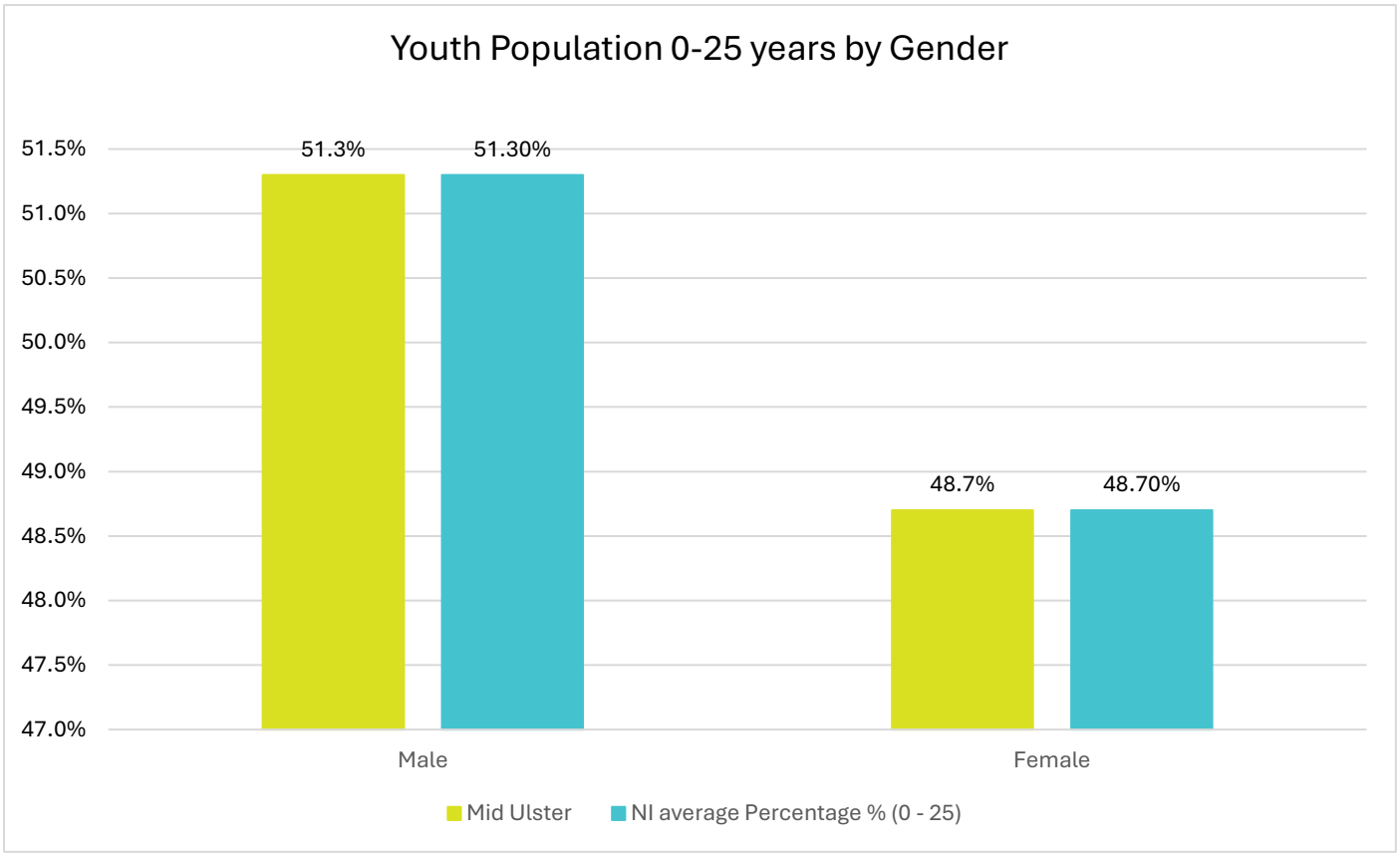
Source: Census 2021

Table 2: Mid Ulster LGD Youth Population by gender (aged 0 – 25)

Age	Male	Female	Total
0 - 25 years	26,859	25,448	52,307
Percentage %	51.3%	48.7%	100%
NI average Percentage % (0 - 25)	51.3%	48.7%	100%

Source: Census 2021

Chart 1: Mid Ulster LGD Youth Population by Gender



Mid Ulster Local Government District

Table 3: Mid Ulster Youth Population Age-bands

LGD	Aged 0 - 3 years	Aged 4 - 8 years	Aged 9 - 13 years	Aged 14 - 18 years	Aged 19 - 25 years	Total 0-25 years	Percentage Cut of LGD 0-25yrs %
Northern Ireland	89,505	123,278	128,033	116,612	155,341	612,769	32.30%
Mid Ulster	8,411	11,067	11,013	10,029	11,787	52,307	34.80%

Source: Census 2021

Chart 2: Mid Ulster Youth Population Age-bands

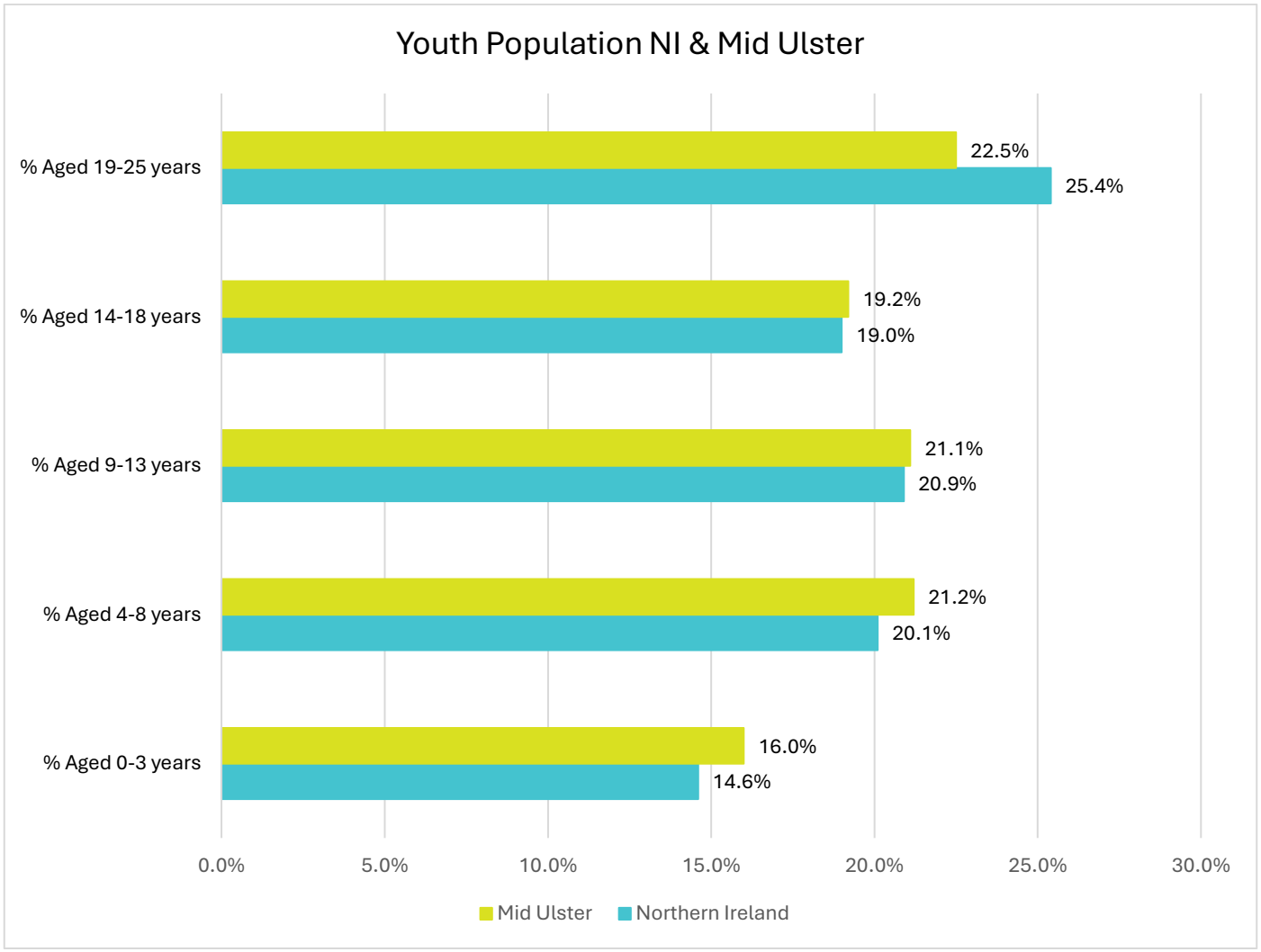


Table 4: Mid Ulster Youth Population Age-bands Percentage

LGD	% Aged 0-3 years	% Aged 4-8 years	% Aged 9-13 years	% Aged 14-18 years	% Aged 19-25 years
Northern Ireland	14.6%	20.1%	20.9%	19.0%	25.4%
Mid Ulster	16.0%	21.2%	21.1%	19.2%	22.5%

Source: Census 2021

Chart 3: Percentage breakdown of Youth Population

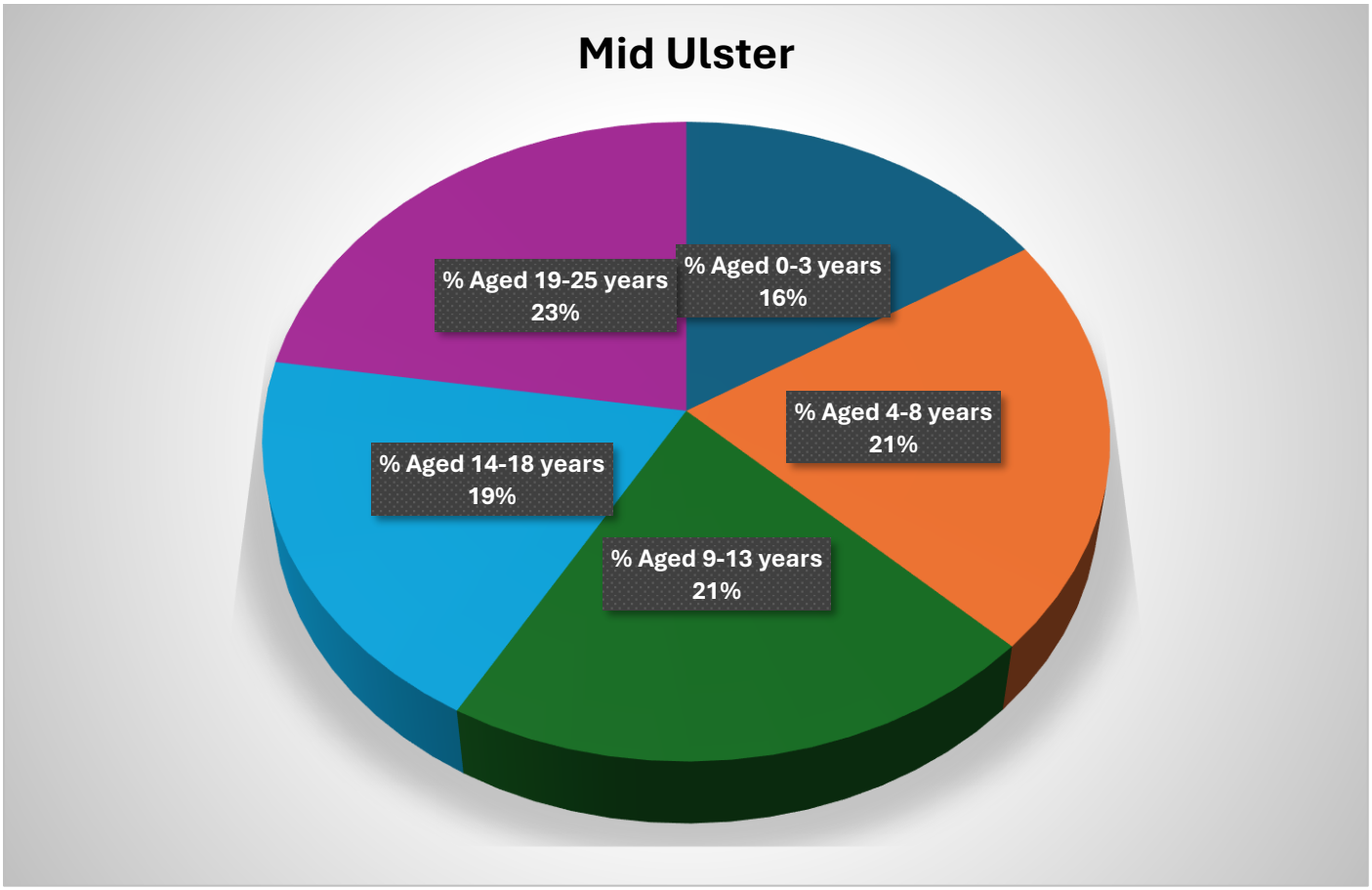


Table 5: Youth population Age bands by gender

LGD	Aged 0 - 3 years		Aged 4 - 8 years		Aged 9 - 13 years		Aged 14 - 18 years		Aged 19 - 25 years		Total 0-25 years	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Northern Ireland	45,865	43,634	63,244	60,029	65,395	62,645	59,718	56,893	80,087	75,250	314,309	298,451
Mid Ulster	4,307	4,104	5,721	5,346	5,535	5,478	5,089	4,940	6,207	5,580	26,859	25,448

Source: Census 2021

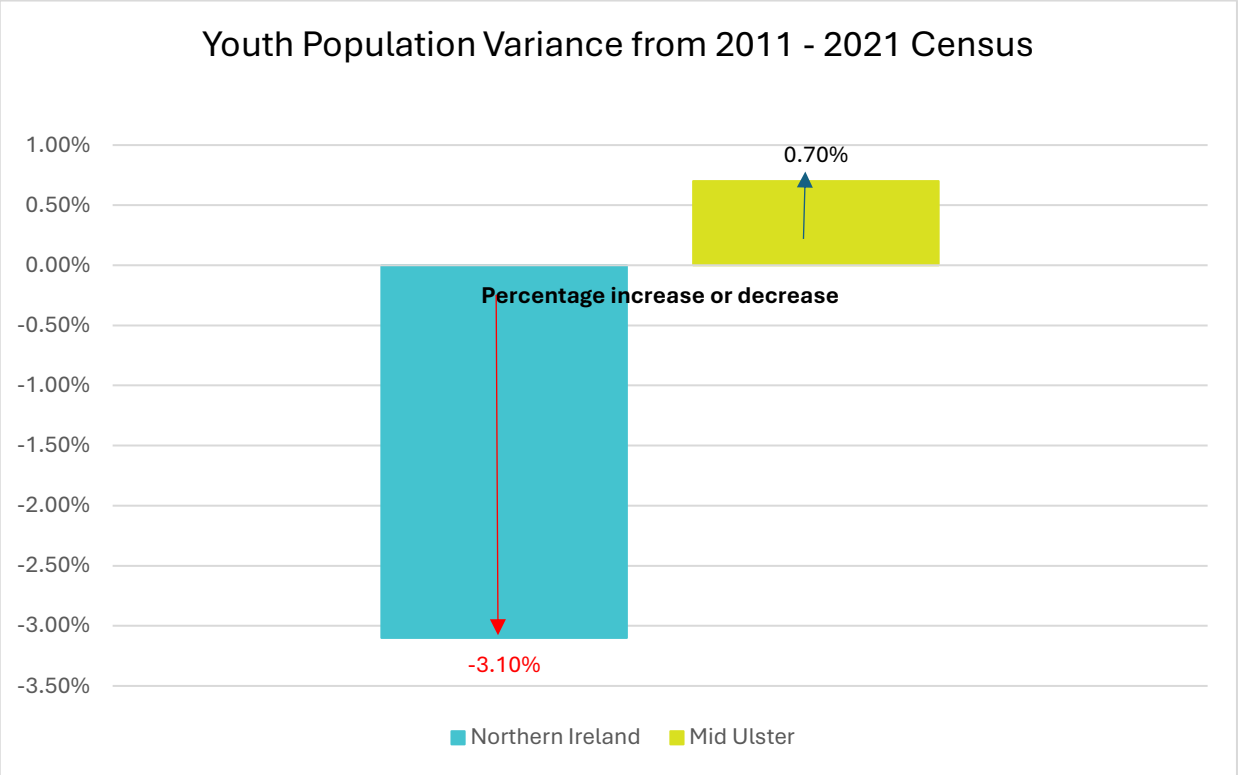
1.3 Variation in Youth Population 2011-2021 Census and Population Projections

Table 6: Variation in Youth Population aged 0-25years from 2011 to 2021 Census

LGD	Total 0-25 years (2021)	Total 0-25 years (2011)	Percentage increase or decrease
Northern Ireland	612,769	632,227	-3.10%
Mid Ulster	52,307	51,956	+0.70%

Source: Census 2011 & 2021

Chart 4: Youth Population variance 2011 – 2021 census



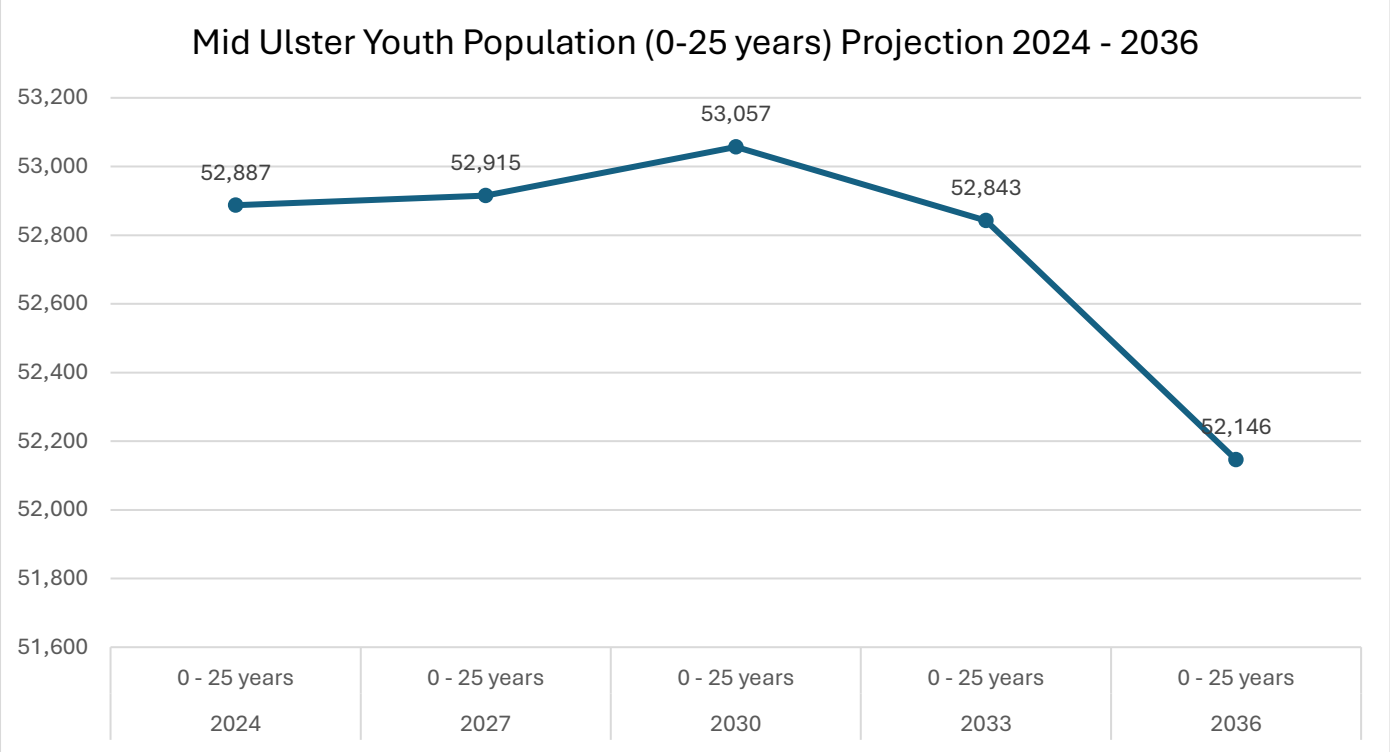
Youth Population Mid Ulster 4–25-year-olds

LGD	Total 4-25 years (2021)	Total 4-25 years (2011)	Percentage increase or decrease
Northern Ireland	523,264	531,929	-1.60%
Mid Ulster	43,896	43,274	+1.40%

Source: NISRA 2021 Census

Youth Population Projections for Mid Ulster 2024 -2036

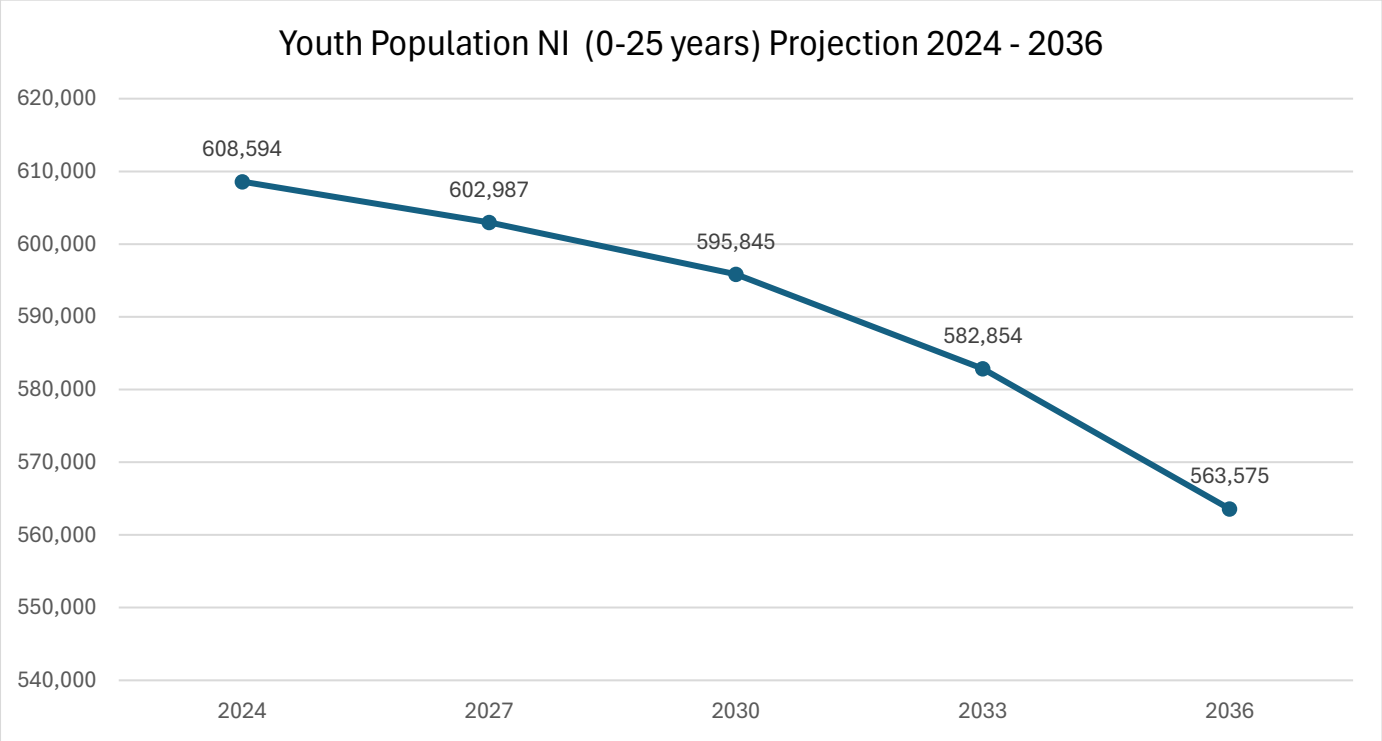
LGD	2024	2027	2030	2033	2036
	0 - 25 years	0 - 25 years	0 - 25 years	0 - 25 years	0 - 25 years
Mid Ulster	52,887	52,915	53,057	52,843	52,146



Source: https://www.nisra.gov.uk/statistics/population/sub-national-population-projections

Youth Population Projections for Northern Ireland 2024 -2036

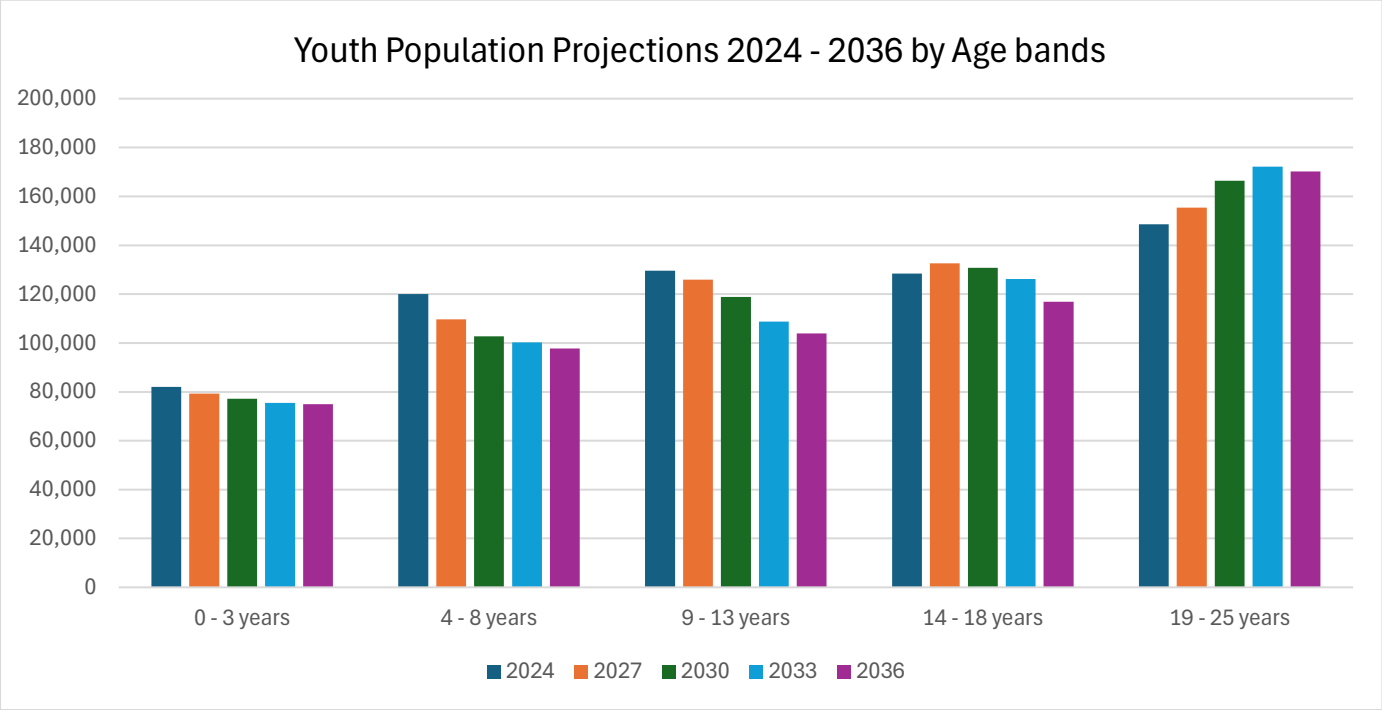
Age Band	2024	2027	2030	2033	2036
0-25 years	608,594	602,987	595,845	582,854	563,575



Source: https://www.nisra.gov.uk/statistics/population/sub-national-population-projections

Youth Population Projections for Northern Ireland by age bands 2024 -2036

Age Band	2024	2027	2030	2033	2036
0 - 3 years	81,979	79,340	77,162	75,442	74,912
4 - 8 years	120,003	109,660	102,695	100,296	97,726
9 - 13 years	129,570	125,948	118,800	108,771	103,882
14 - 18 years	128,465	132,640	130,832	126,228	116,873
19 - 25 years	148,557	155,399	166,356	172,117	170,182
0-25 years	608,594	602,987	595,845	582,854	563,575



Source: https://www.nisra.gov.uk/statistics/population/sub-national-population-projections

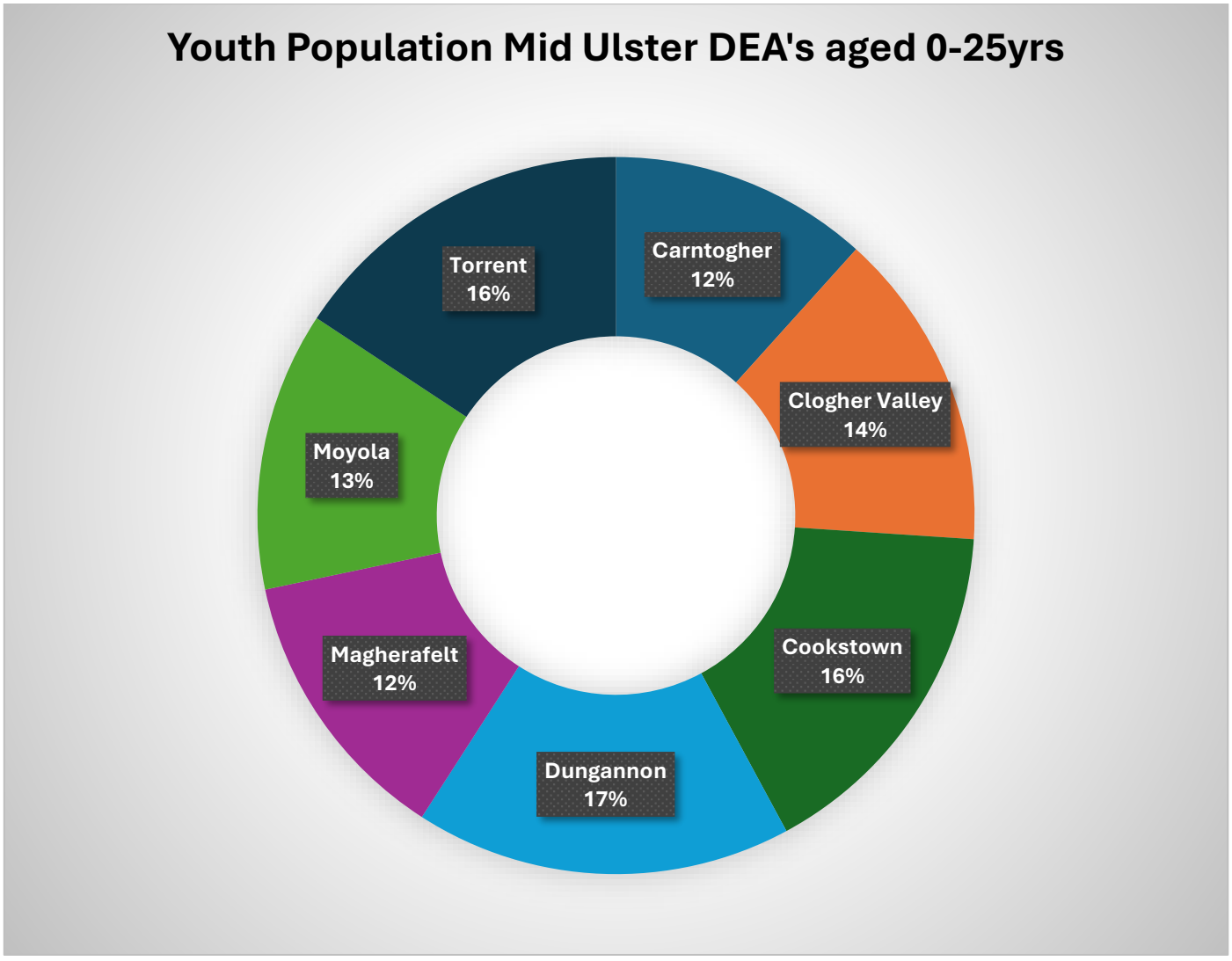
1.4 District Electoral Area's Demographics in Mid Ulster

Table 7: Mid Ulster DEAs by Age Bands

District Electoral Area	Total 0-3yrs	Total 4-8yrs	Total 9-13yrs	Total 14-18yrs	Total 19-25yrs
Carntogher	951	1,292	1,307	1,157	1,401
Clogher Valley	1,333	1,658	1,507	1,404	1,616
Cookstown	1,331	1,791	1,777	1,569	1,934
Dungannon	1,447	1,925	1,842	1,691	1,982
Magherafelt	1,030	1,341	1,390	1,257	1,563
Moyola	998	1,372	1,482	1,323	1,411
Torrent	1,322	1,684	1,706	1,632	1,878

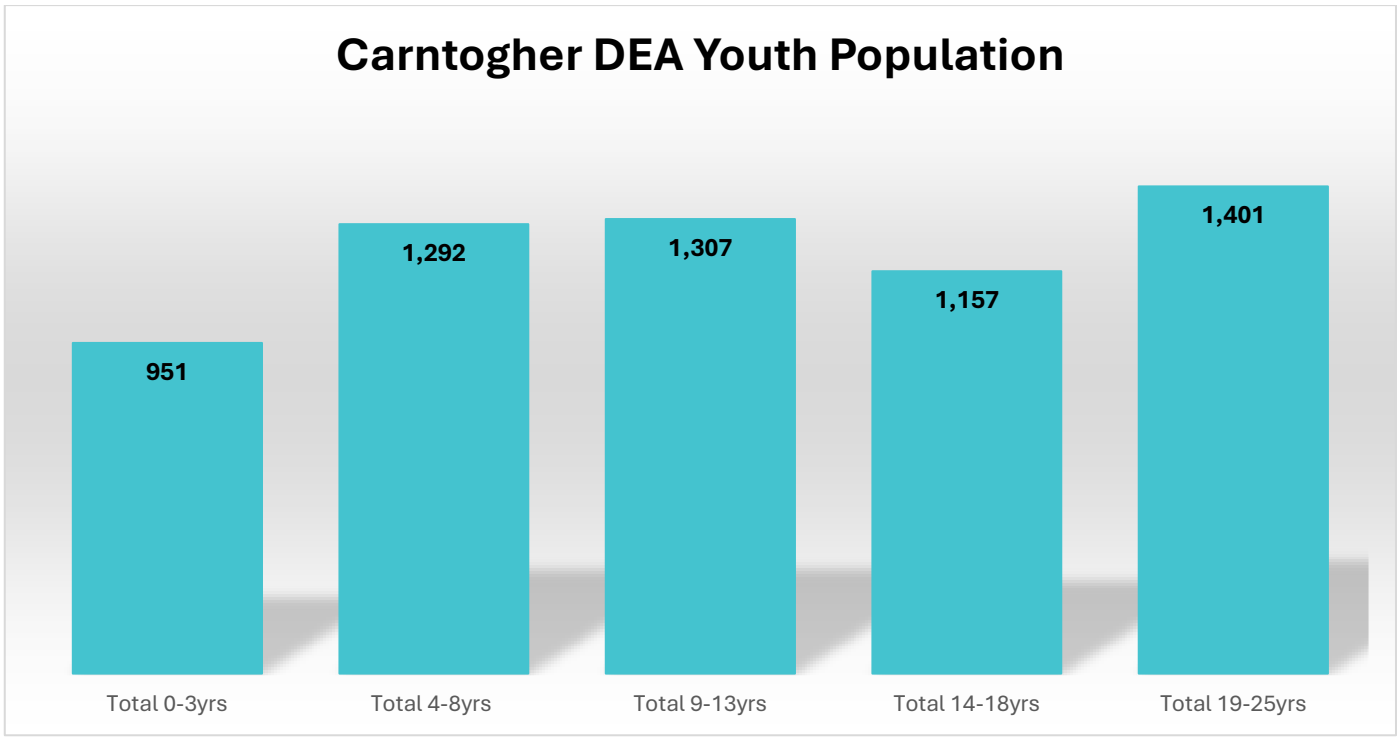
Source: Census 2021

Chart 5: Mid Ulster DEAs by Age Bands



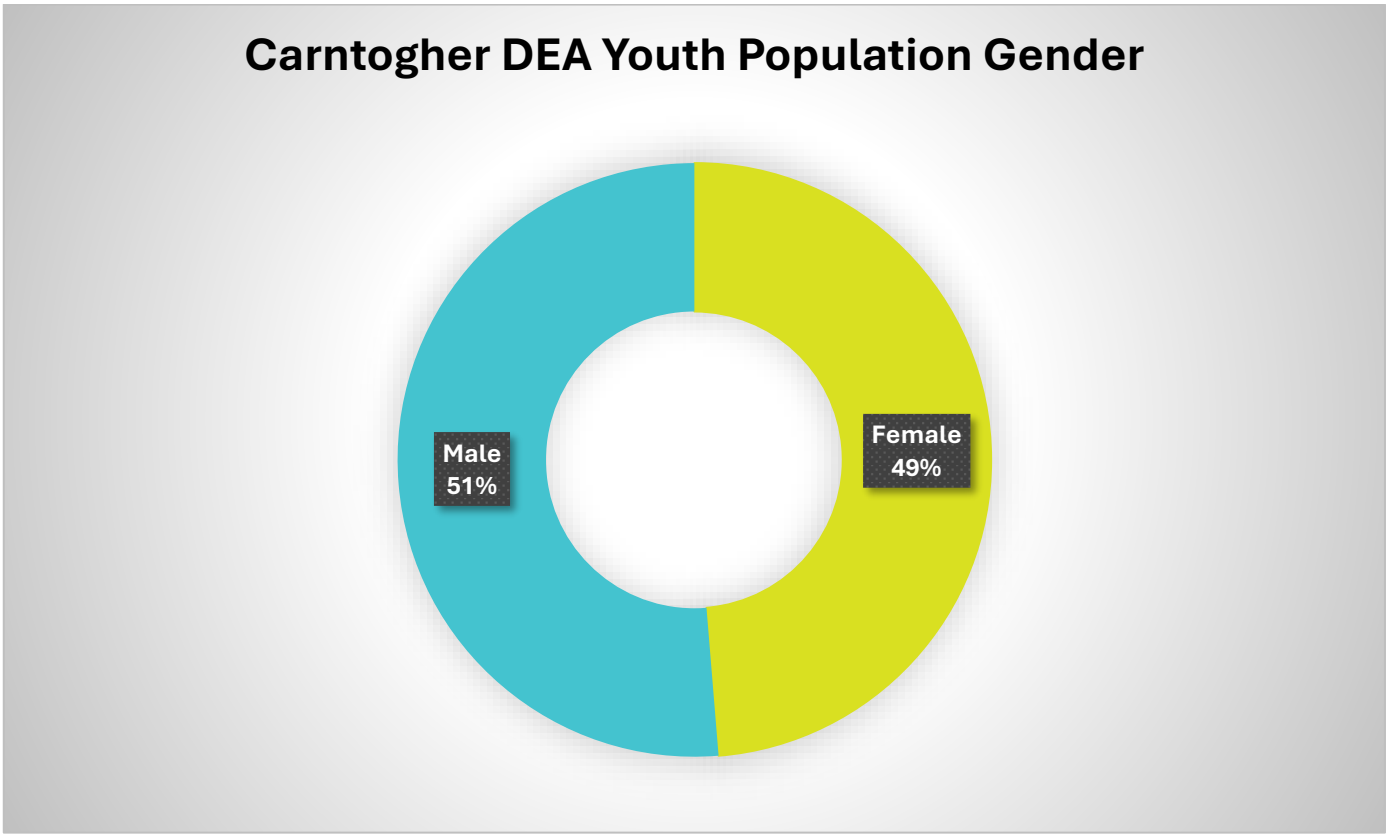
Carntogher DEA

Chart 6: Carntogher DEA youth population 0-25 years



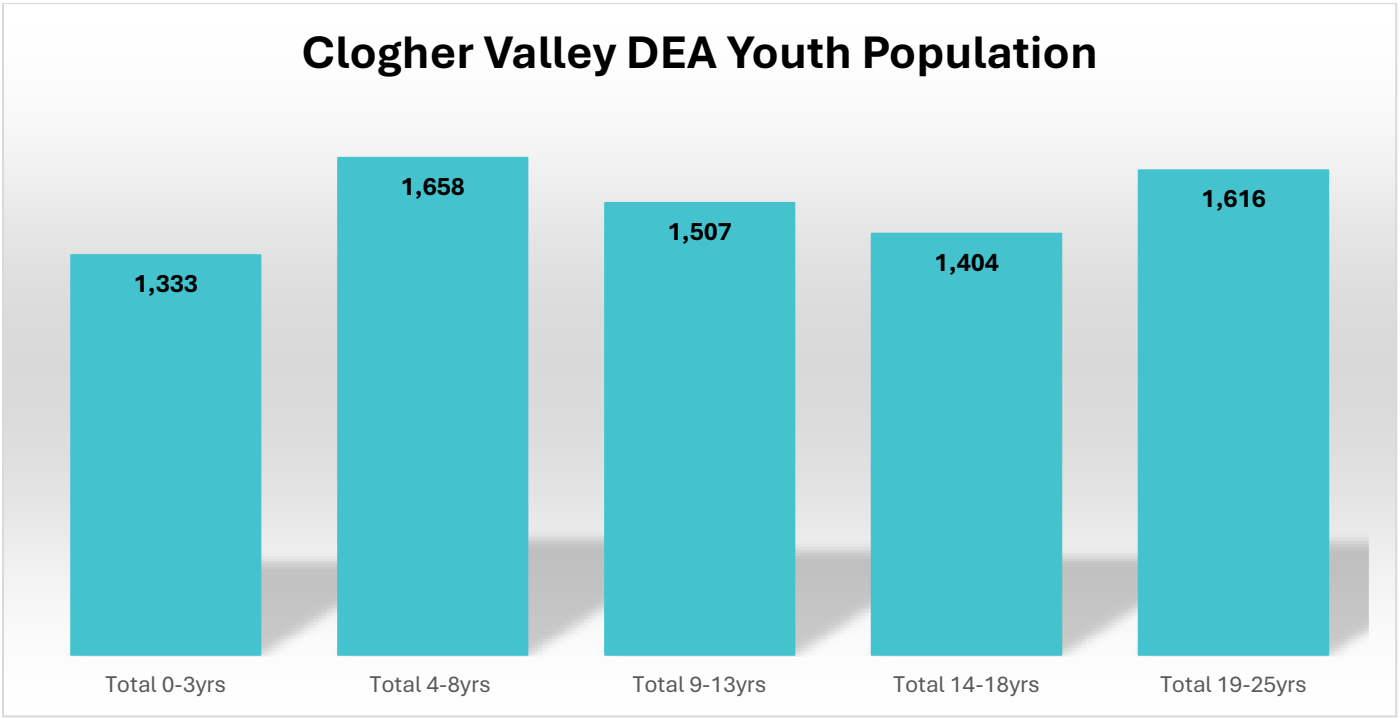
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Chart 7: Carntogher DEA Gender breakdown



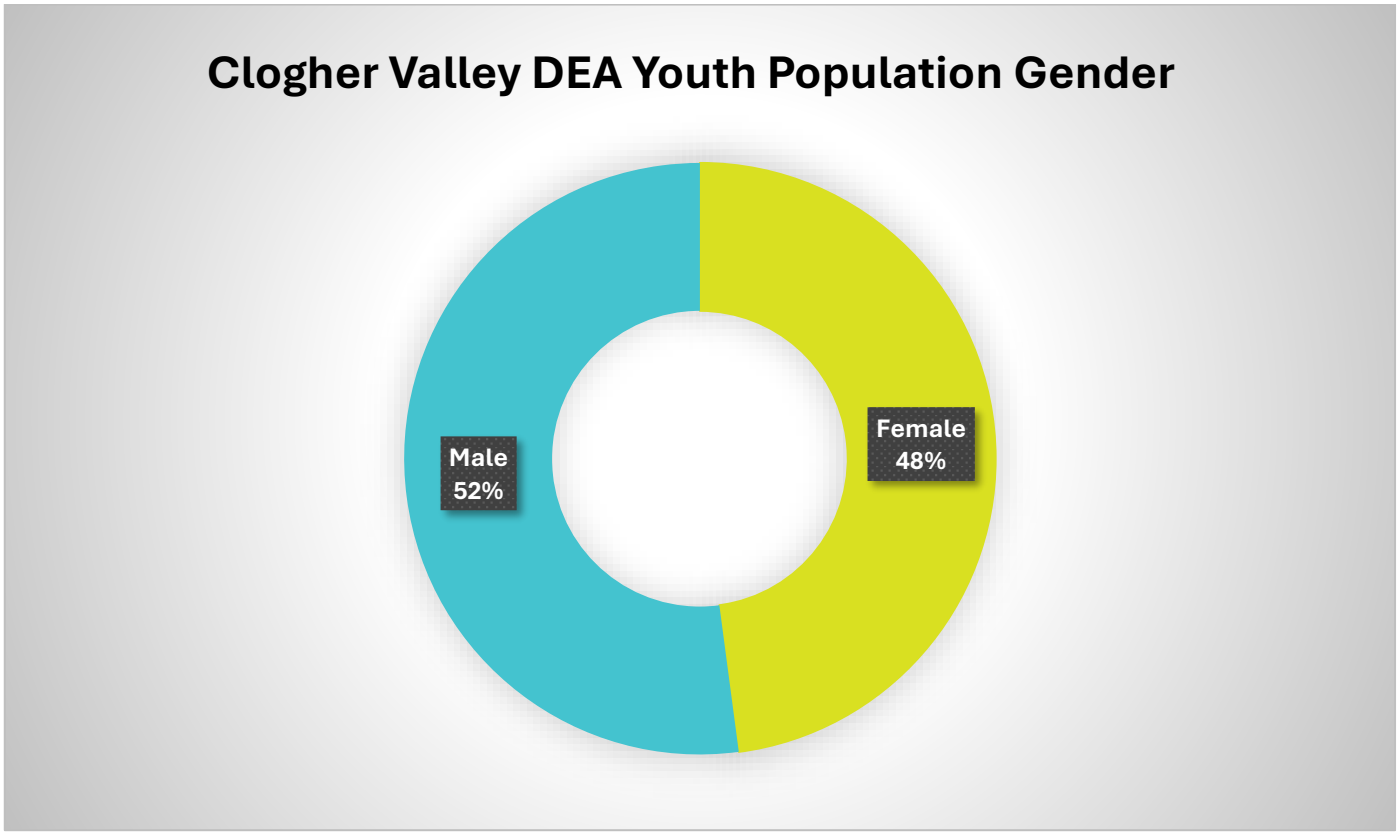
Clogher Valley DEA

Chart 8: Clogher Valley DEA youth population 0-25 years



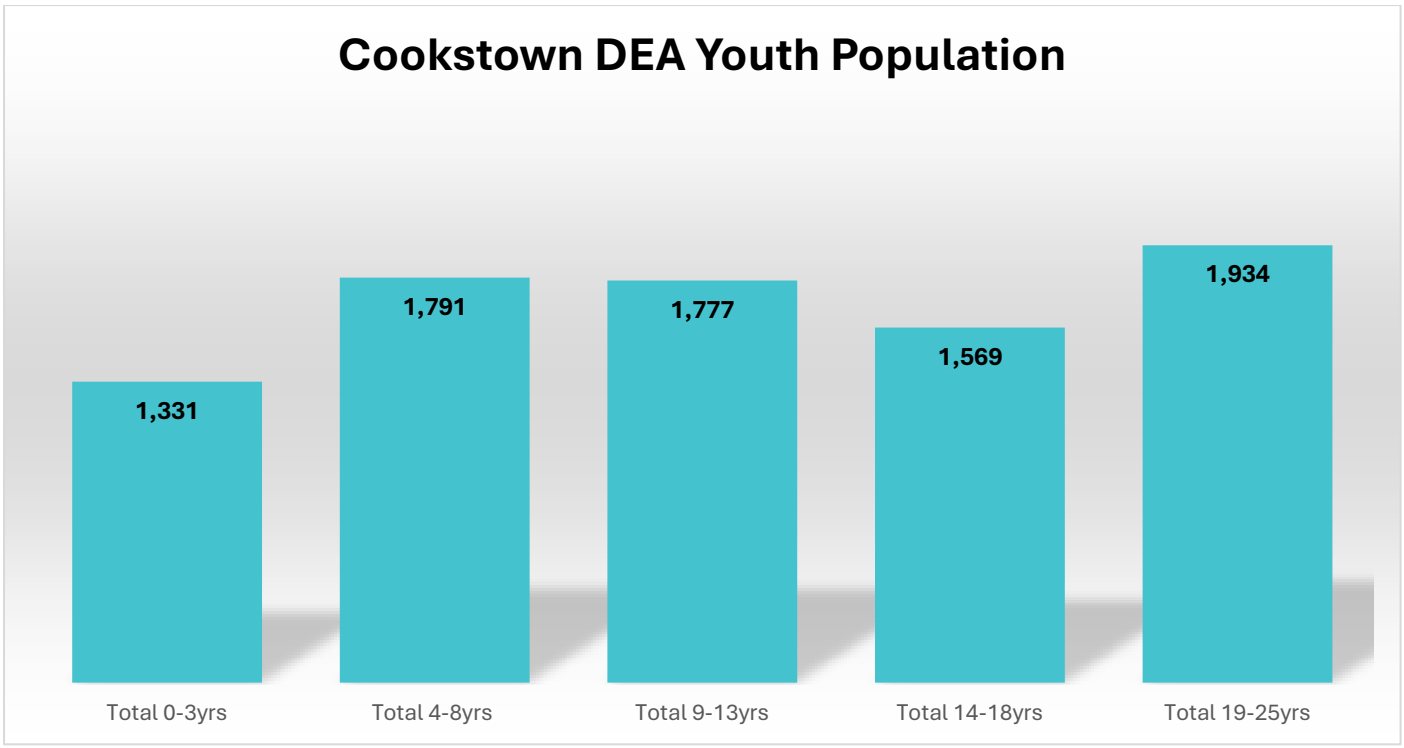
Source: Census 2021

Chart 9: Clogher Valley DEA Gender breakdown



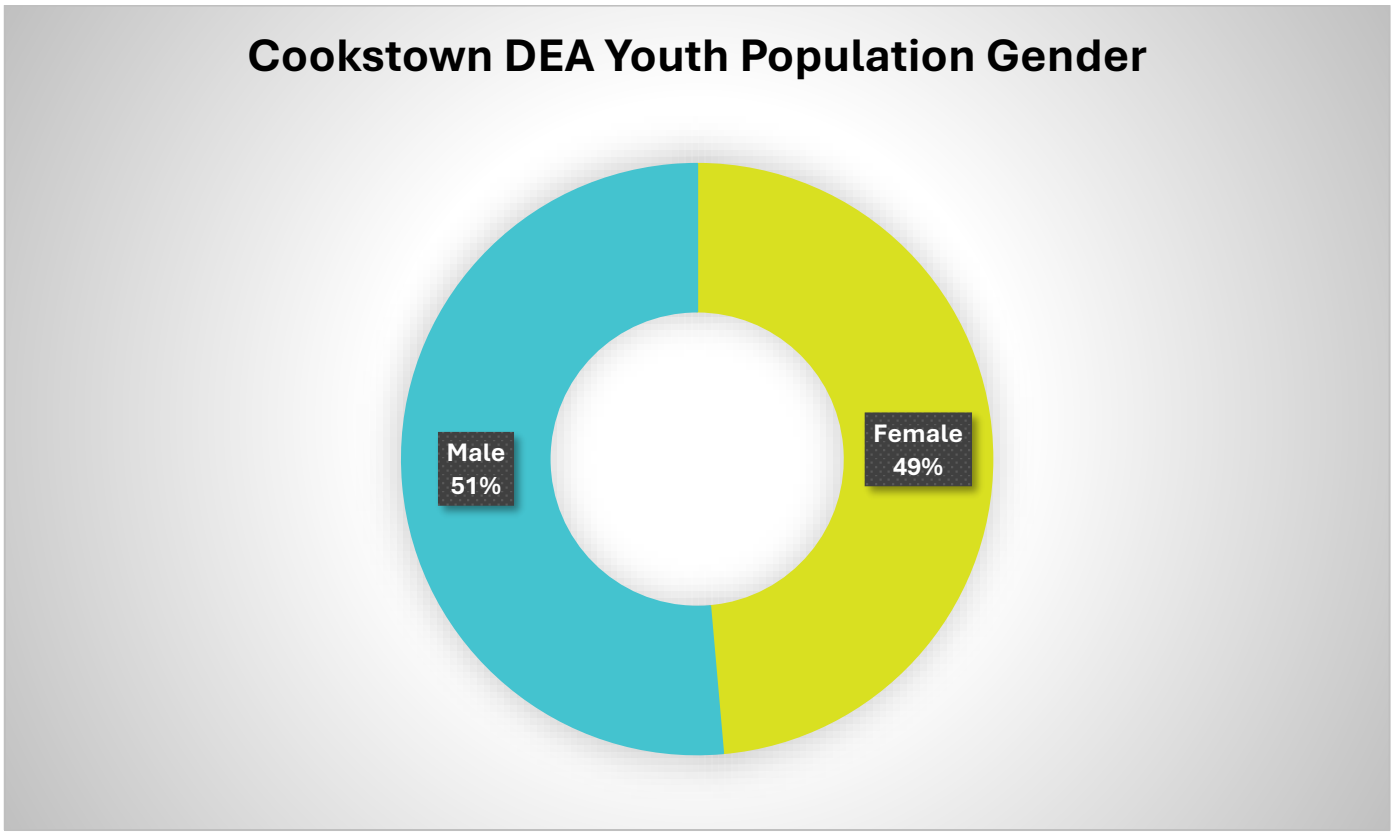
Cookstown DEA

Chart 10: Cookstown DEA youth population 0-25 years



Source: Census 2021

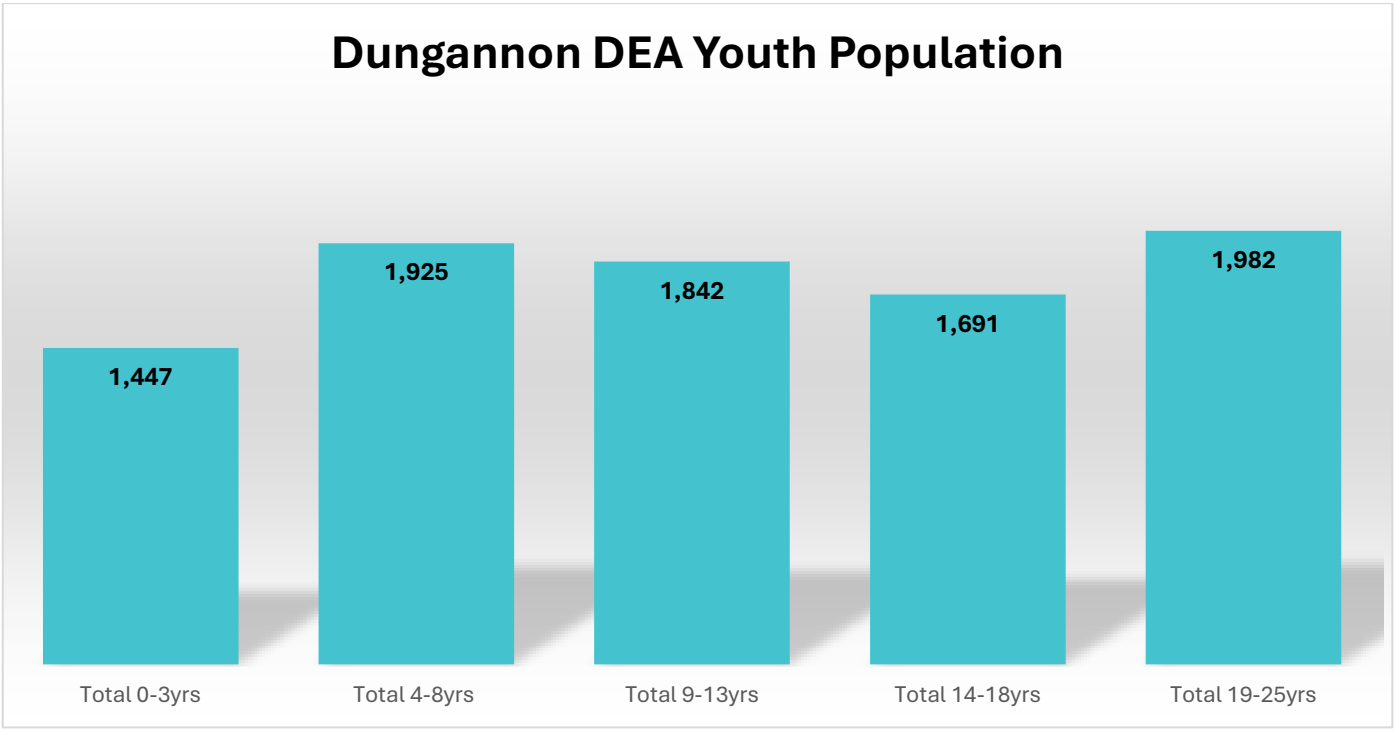
Chart 11: Cookstown DEA Gender breakdown



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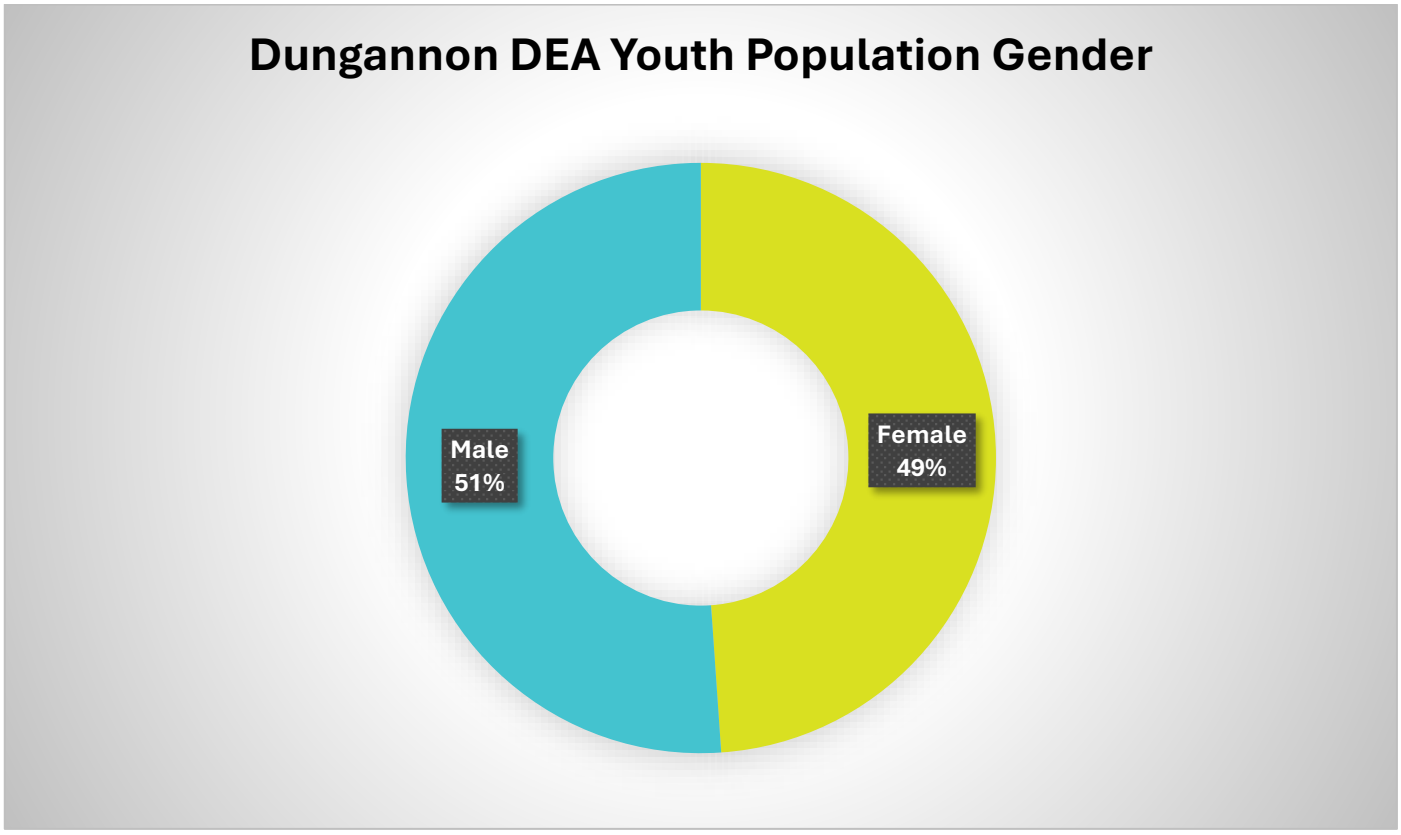
Dungannon DEA

Chart 12: Dungannon DEA youth population 0-25 years



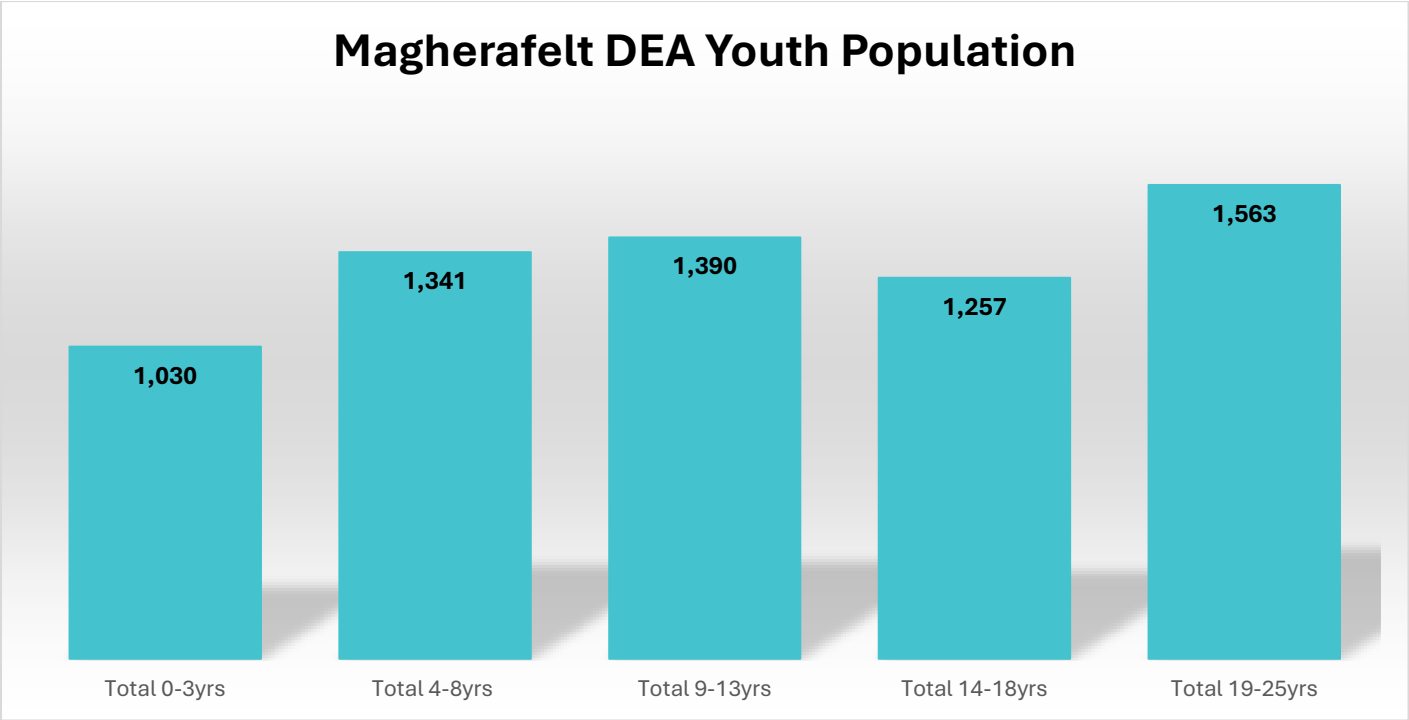
Source: Census 2021

Chart 13: Dungannon DEA Gender breakdown



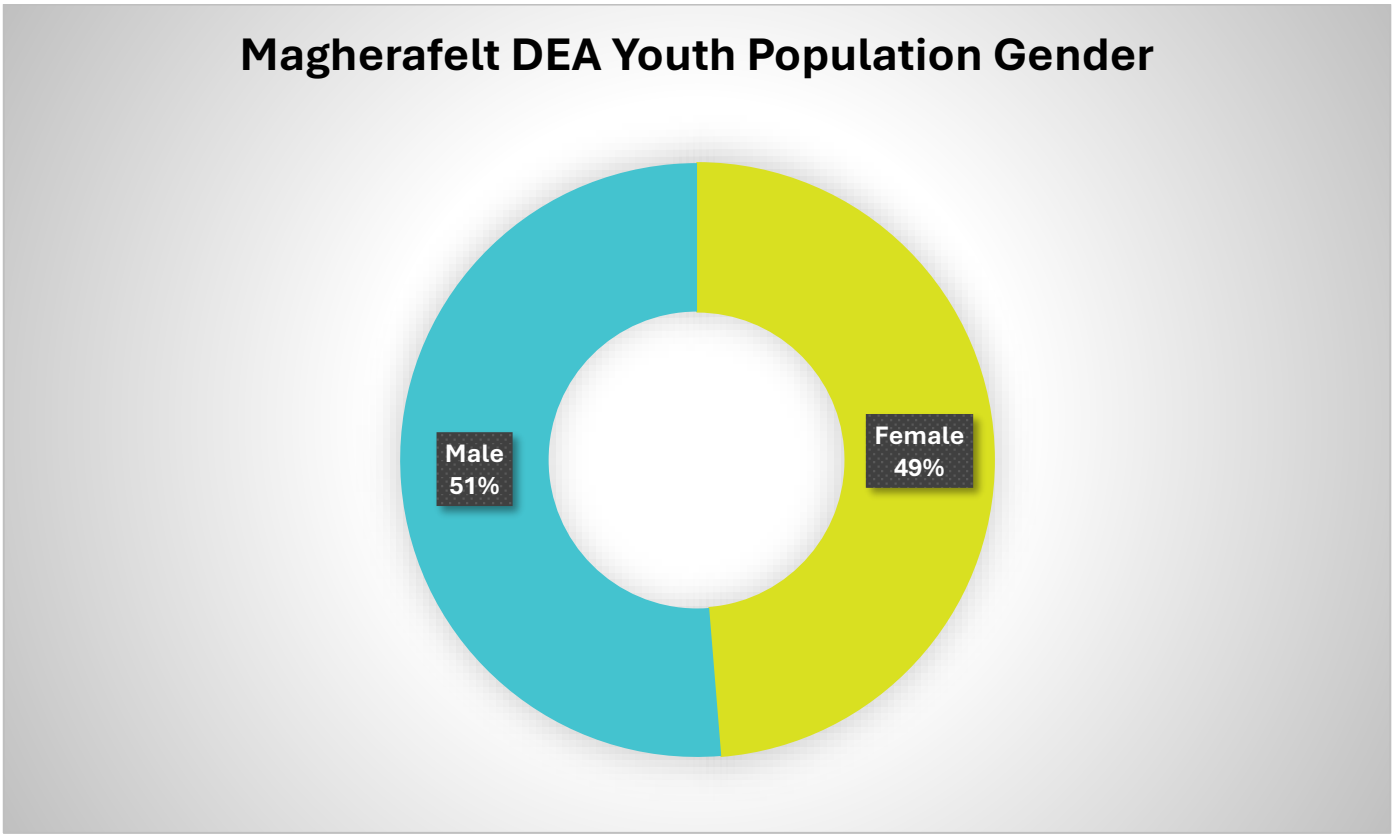
Magherafelt DEA

Chart 14: Magherafelt DEA youth population 0-25 years



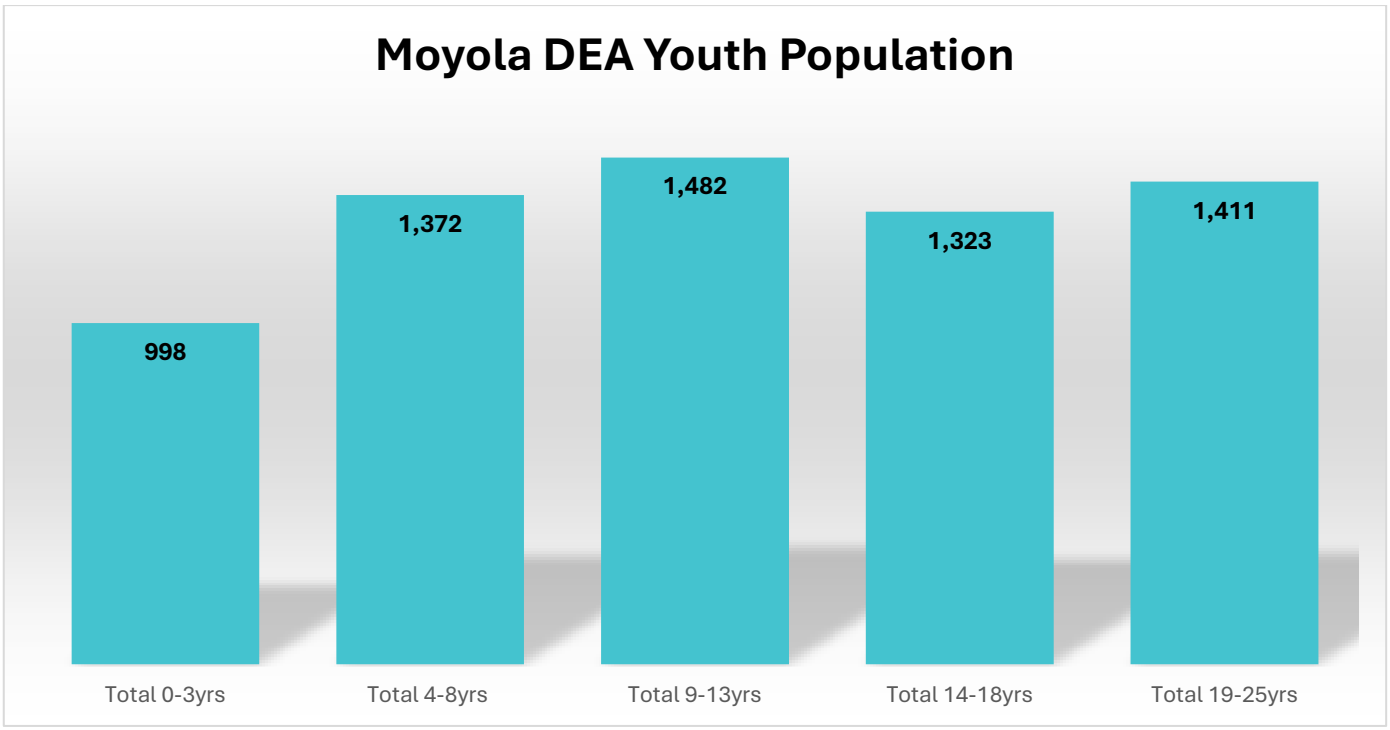
Source: Census 2021

Chart 15: Magherafelt DEA Gender breakdown



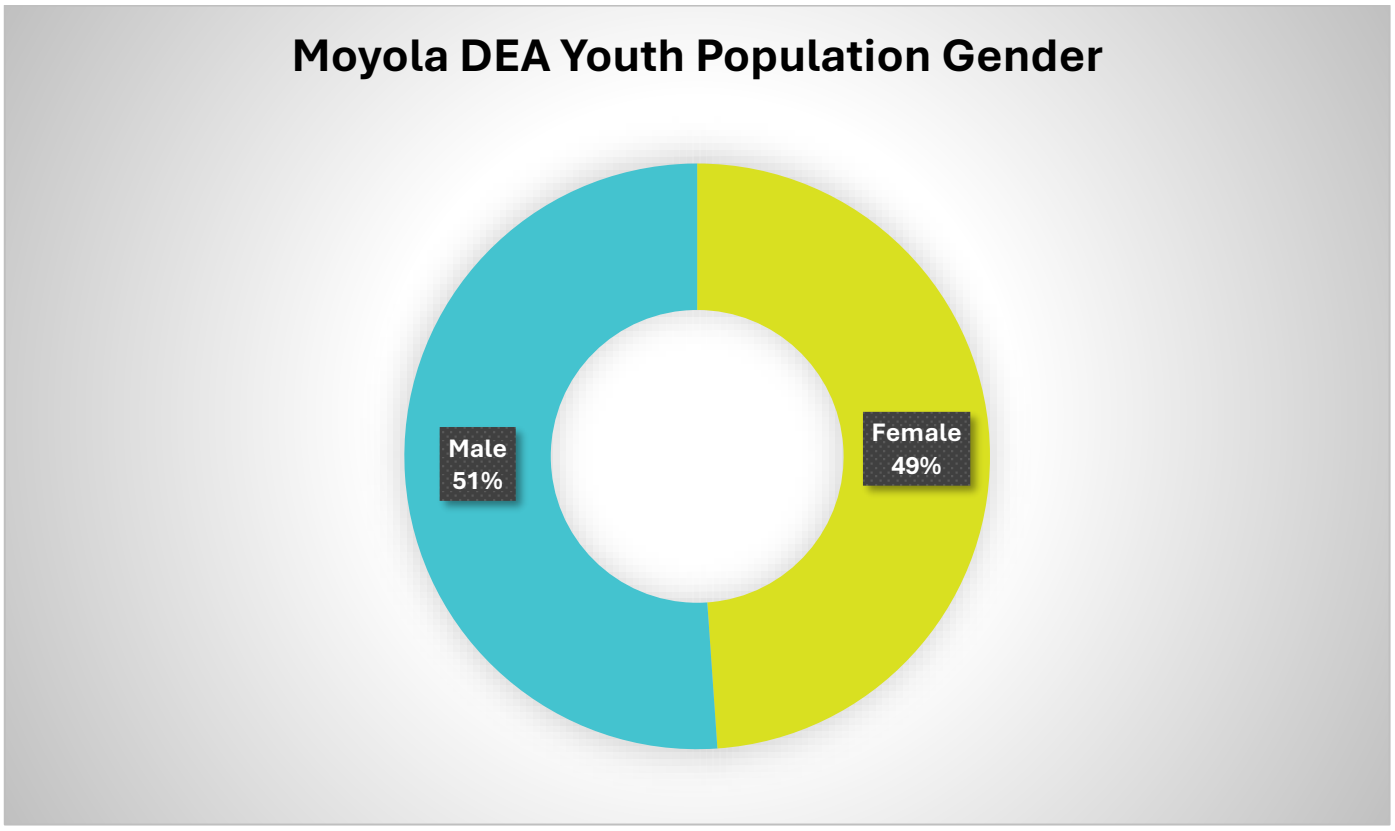
Moyola DEA

Chart 16: Moyola DEA youth population 0-25 years



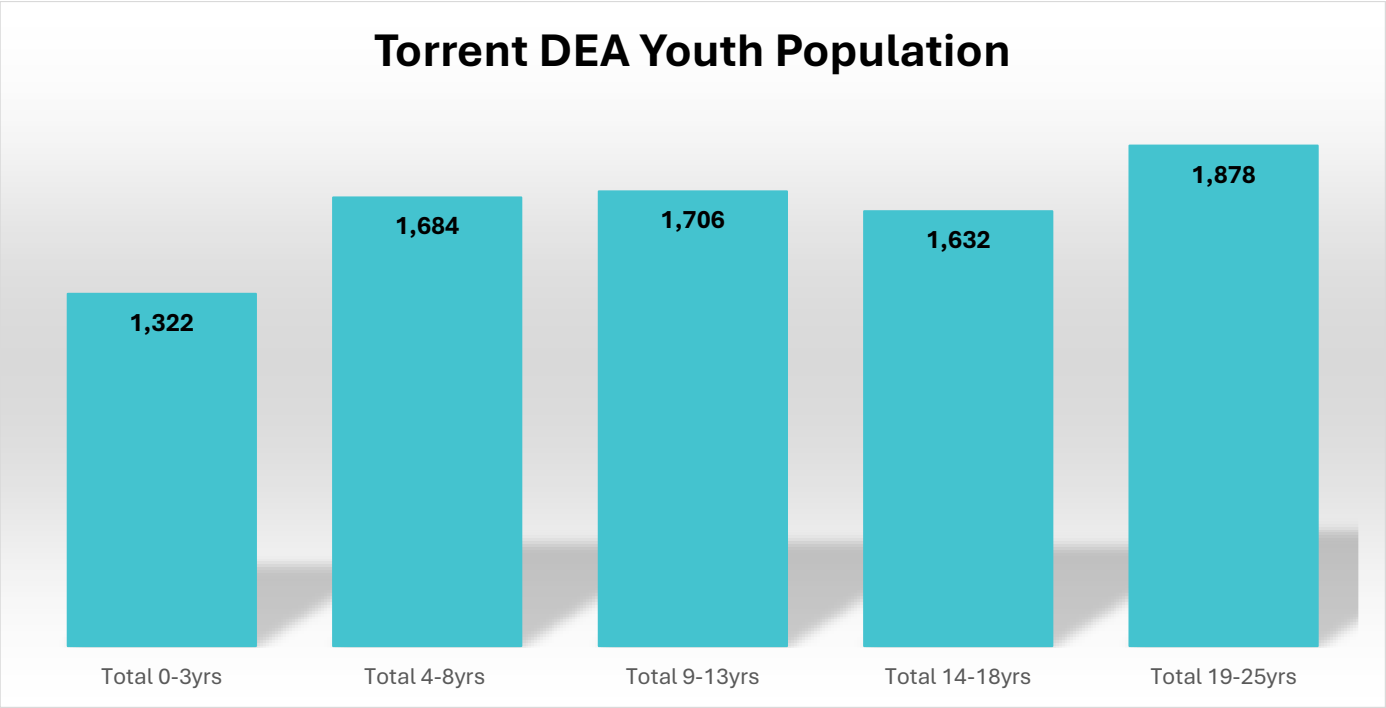
Source: Census 2021

Chart 17: Moyola DEA Gender breakdown



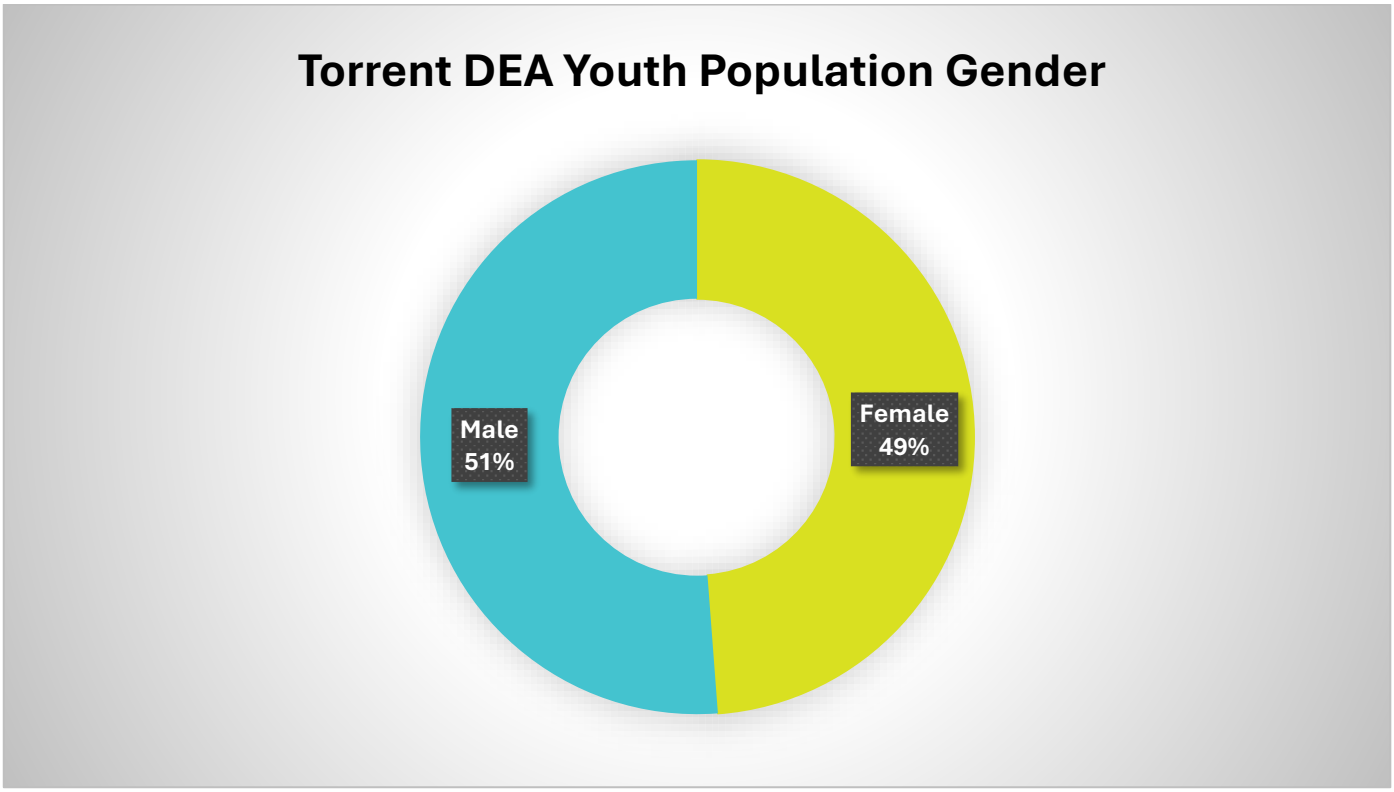
Torrent DEA

Chart 18: Torrent DEA youth population 0-25 years



Source: Census 2021

Chart 19: Torrent DEA Gender breakdown



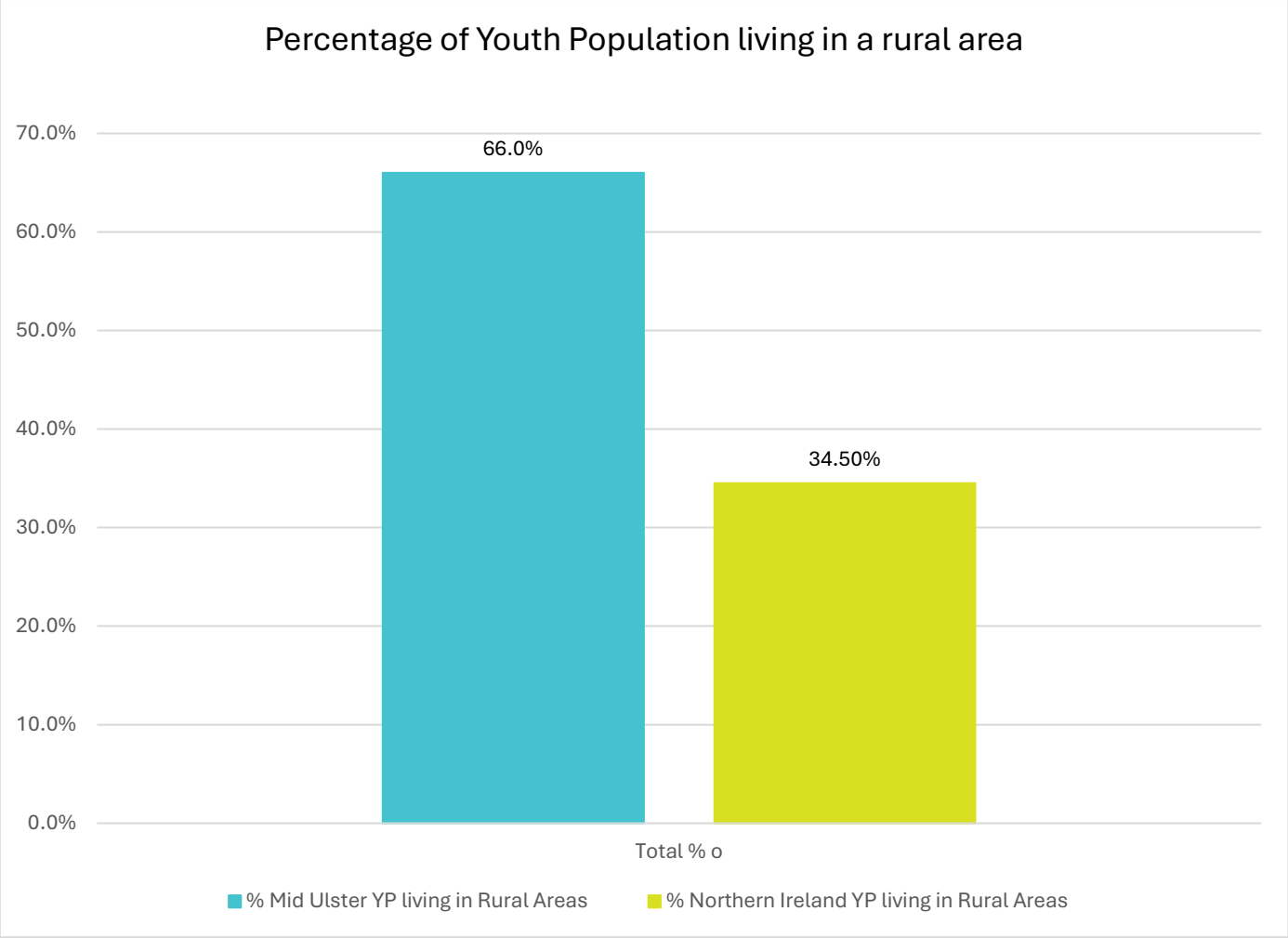
1.5 Rural Living

Table 8: Total number of young people living a rural area in Mid Ulster

LGD	Aged 0 - 3 years	Aged 4 - 8 years	Aged 9 - 13 years	Aged 14 - 18 years	Aged 19 - 25 years	Total 0-25 years
Mid Ulster YP	8,411	11,067	11,013	10,029	11,787	52,307
Mid Ulster YP living in Rural Areas	5,552	7,305	7,269	6,620	7,780	34,523
% Mid Ulster YP living in Rural Areas	66%	66%	66%	66%	66%	66%
% Northern Ireland YP living in Rural Areas	34.50%	34.50%	34.50%	34.50%	34.50%	34.50%

Source: Census 2021

Chart 20: Percentage of Youth Population living in a Rural area in Mid Ulster



1.6 Household Composition

Chart 21**:** Percentage of population age 0-24 by Household Composition. Household types condensed into four main categories.

(Source: Census 2021)

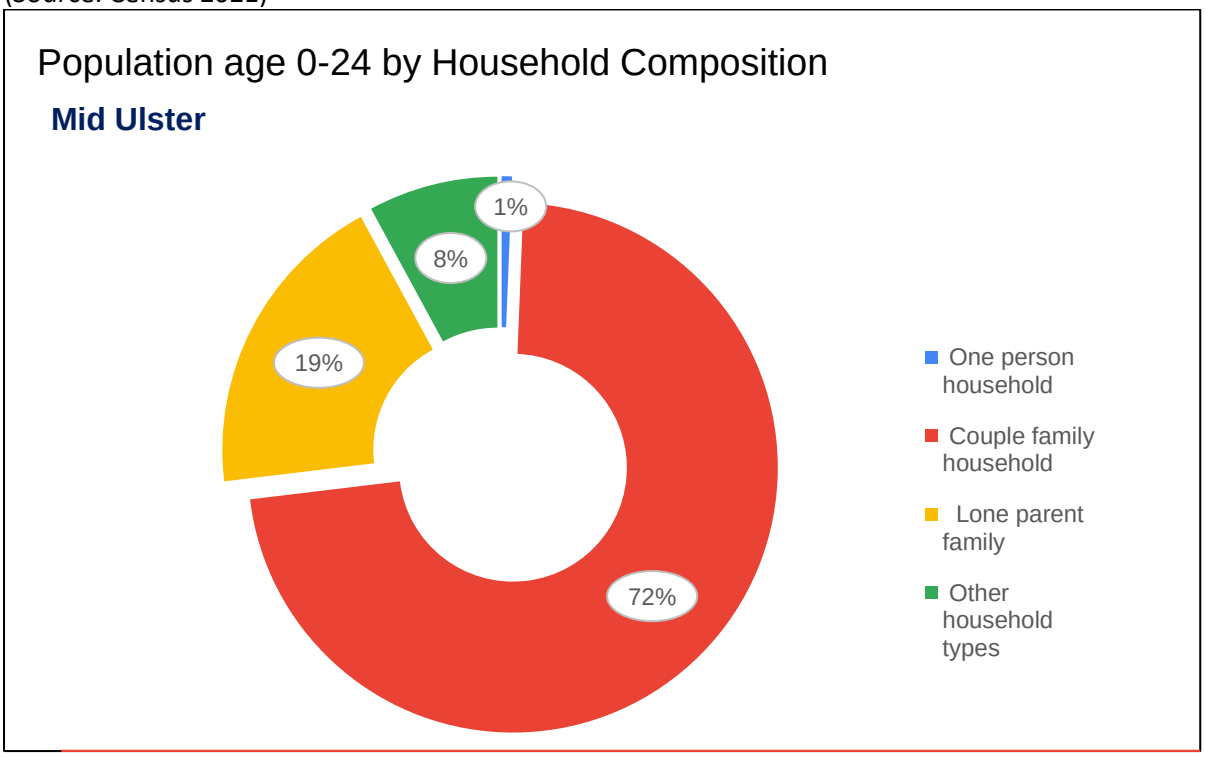


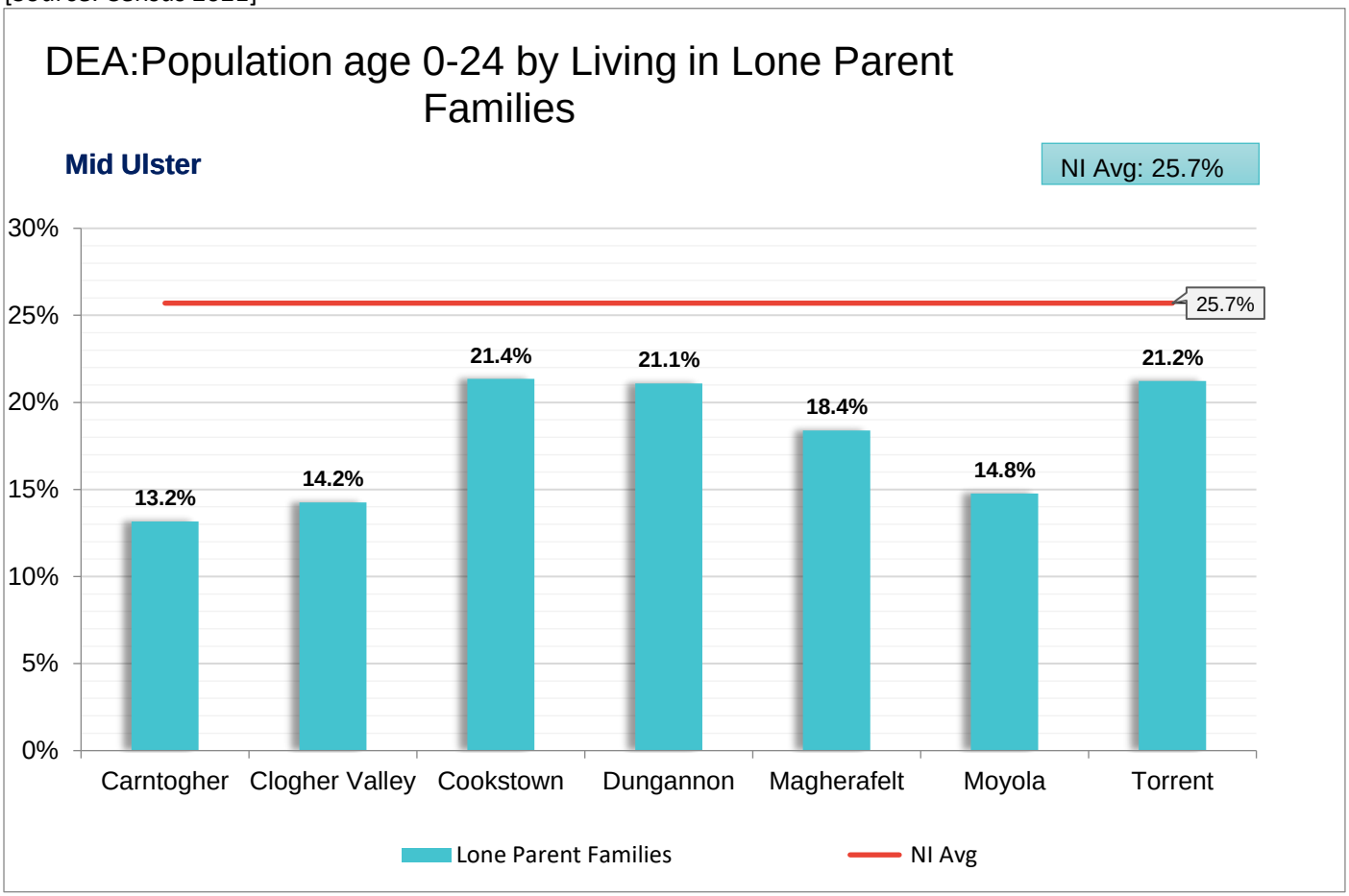
Table 9**:** Household composition by DEA, counts and percentages of the 0-24 population living in each type of household. Red shading indicates values in the top 20% throughout Northern Ireland for each variable.

(Source: Census 2021)

DEAs: Household Composition, by % of population age 0-24- Mid Ulster LGD						
DEA	**Population age 0-24**	**One person household**	**Couple family household**	**Lone parent family**	**Other family composition (including all aged 66 and over)**	**Other household types**
Carntogher	5,889	0.4%	79.2%	13.2%	0.4%	6.9%
Clogher Valley	7,286	0.5%	79.8%	14.2%	0.4%	5.0%
Cookstown	8,120	0.6%	68.6%	21.4%	0.5%	8.3%
Dungannon	8,594	0.6%	63.3%	21.1%	1.4%	13.1%
Magherafelt	6,314	0.8%	74.9%	18.4%	0.3%	5.6%
Moyola	6,379	0.4%	78.2%	14.8%	0.4%	6.2%
Torrent	7,929	0.6%	70.0%	21.2%	0.7%	7.5%
Northern Ireland	**589,829**	**0.9%**	**62.9%**	**25.7%**	**0.7%**	**8.4%**

Chart 22: Percentage of the population age 0-24 who live in Lone Parent families. This includes dependent children and those aged 0-24 as parents or HHPs (Household Reference Persons).

[Source: Census 2021]



SECTION 2.0 SOCIO-ECONOMIC INDICATORS

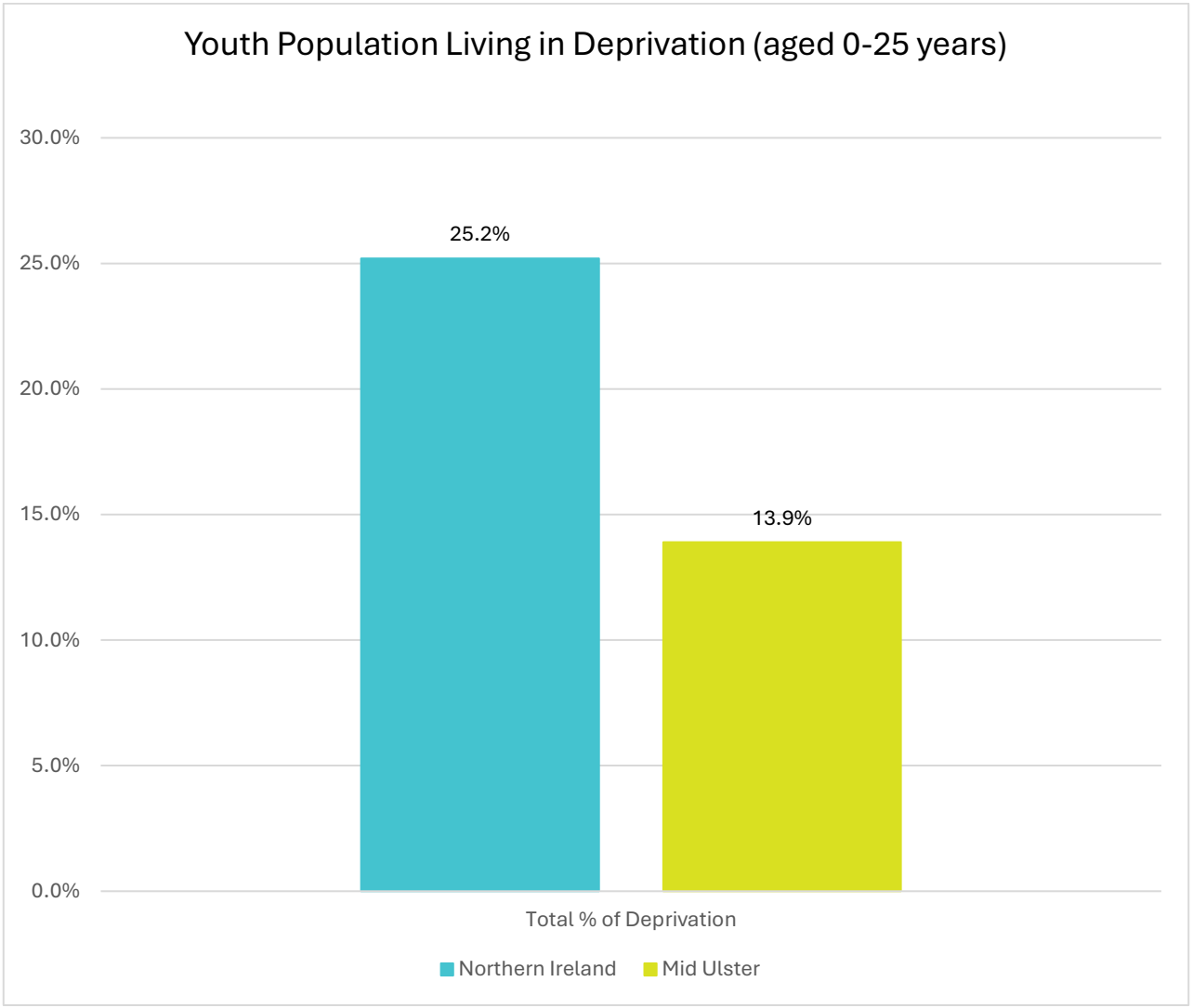
2.1 Deprivation

Table 10: Number of Young People Living in Deprived areas (Aged 0-25 years)

LGD	Aged 0 - 3 years	Aged 4 - 8 years	Aged 9 - 13 years	Aged 14 - 18 years	Aged 19 - 25 years	Total 0 - 25 years	Total % of Deprivation
Northern Ireland	22,556	31,066	32,265	29,387	39,145	154,419	25.20%
Mid Ulster	1,170	1,539	1,531	1,394	1,639	7,270	13.90%

Source: Census 2021

Chart 23: Percentage of Youth Population living in Deprivation



2.2 Dimensions of Household Deprivation (Census 2021)

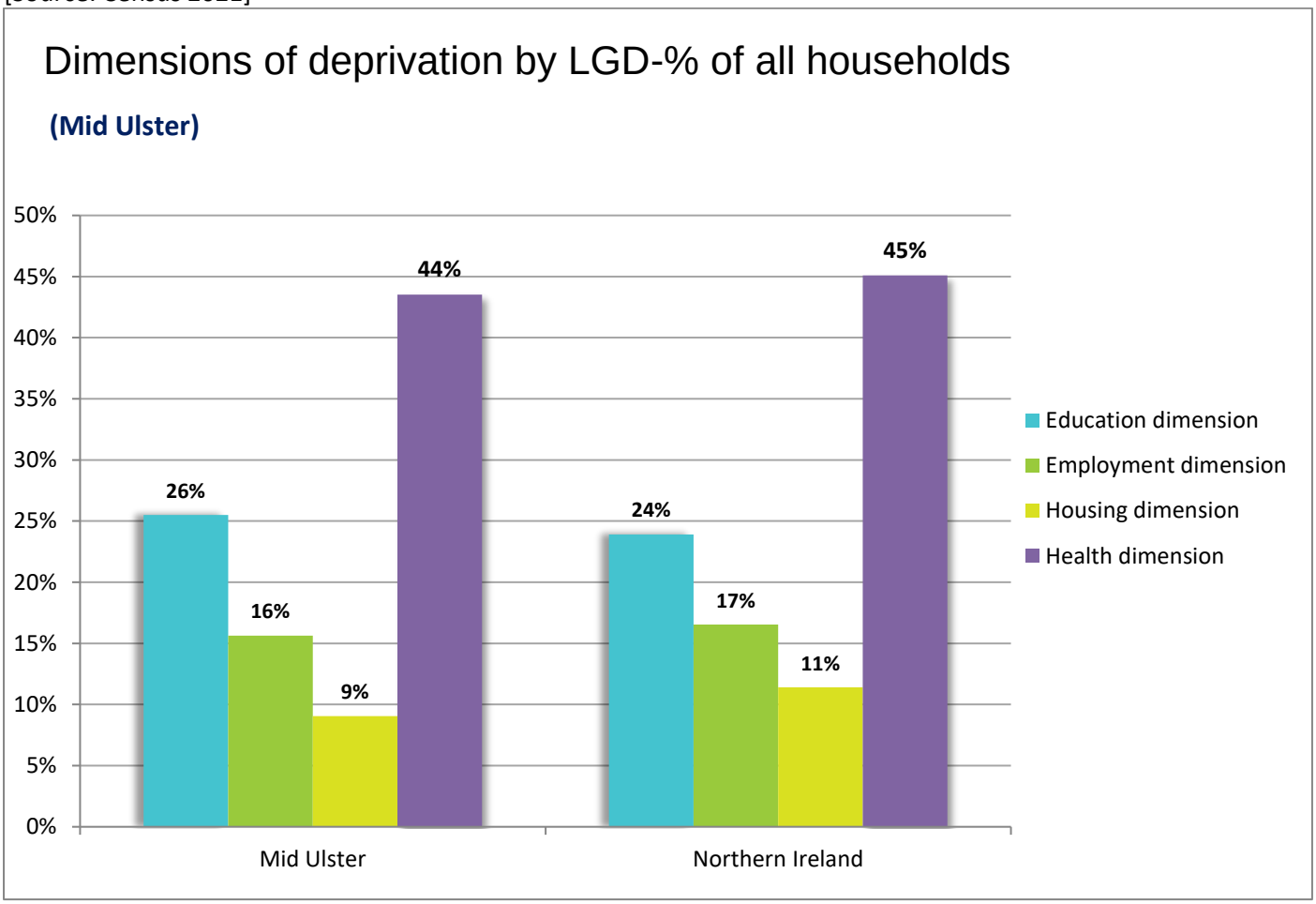
The dimensions of deprivation used to classify households are indicators based on four selected household characteristics using 2021 Census data:

1. **Education** - A household is classified as deprived in the education dimension if no one has at least level 2 education and no one aged 16 to 18 years is a full-time student.
2. **Employment** - A household is classified as deprived in the employment dimension if any member, not a full-time student, is either unemployed or economically inactive due to long-term sickness or disability.
3. **Housing** - A household is classified as deprived in the housing dimension if the household's accommodation is either overcrowded or has no central heating.
4. **Health** - A household is classified as deprived in the health dimension if any person in the household has a health problem or disability lasting or expected to last 12 months or more that reduces their ability to carry out day to day activities and/or who has general health that is bad or very bad.

2.2.1 Dimensions of Household Deprivation, Mid Ulster

Chart 24: Percentage of households that are deprived in each dimension for Mid Ulster.

[Source: Census 2021]



2.2.2 Dimensions of Household Deprivation, by DEA

Chart 25: Percentage of households that are deprived in the Education dimension, by DEA

[Source: Census 2021]

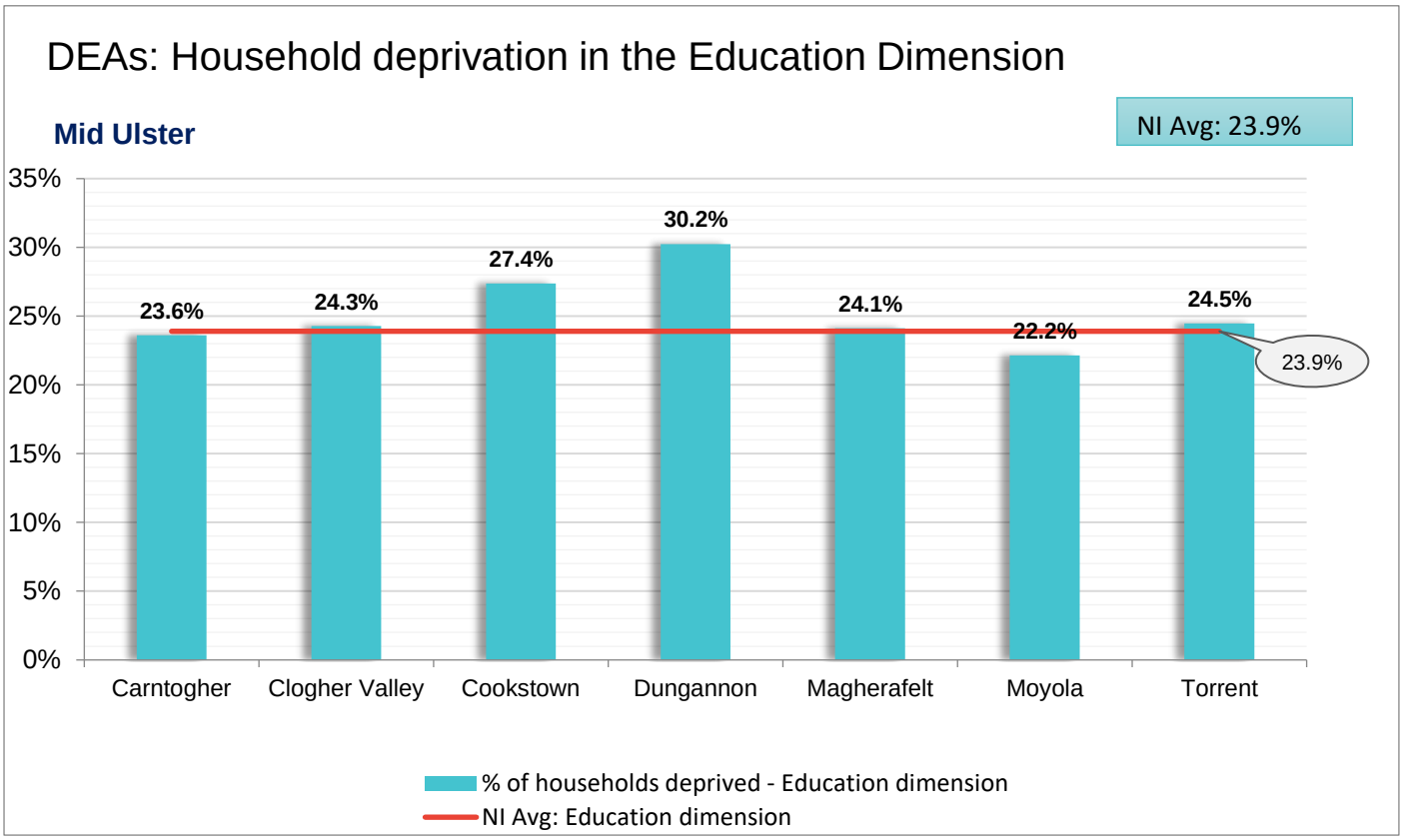
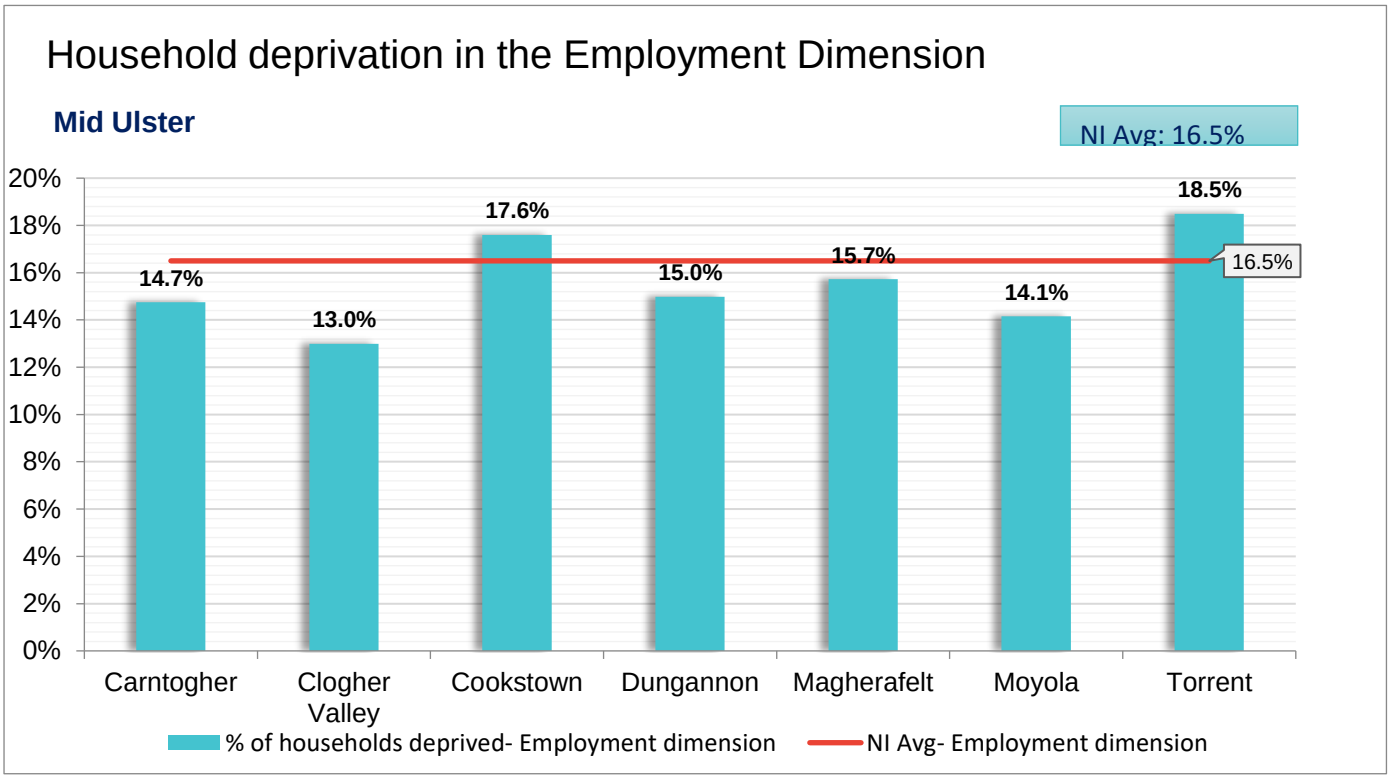


Chart 26: Percentage of households that are deprived in the Employment dimension, by DEA

[Source: Census 2021]



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Chart 27: Percentage of households that are deprived in the Housing dimension, by DEA

[Source: Census 2021]

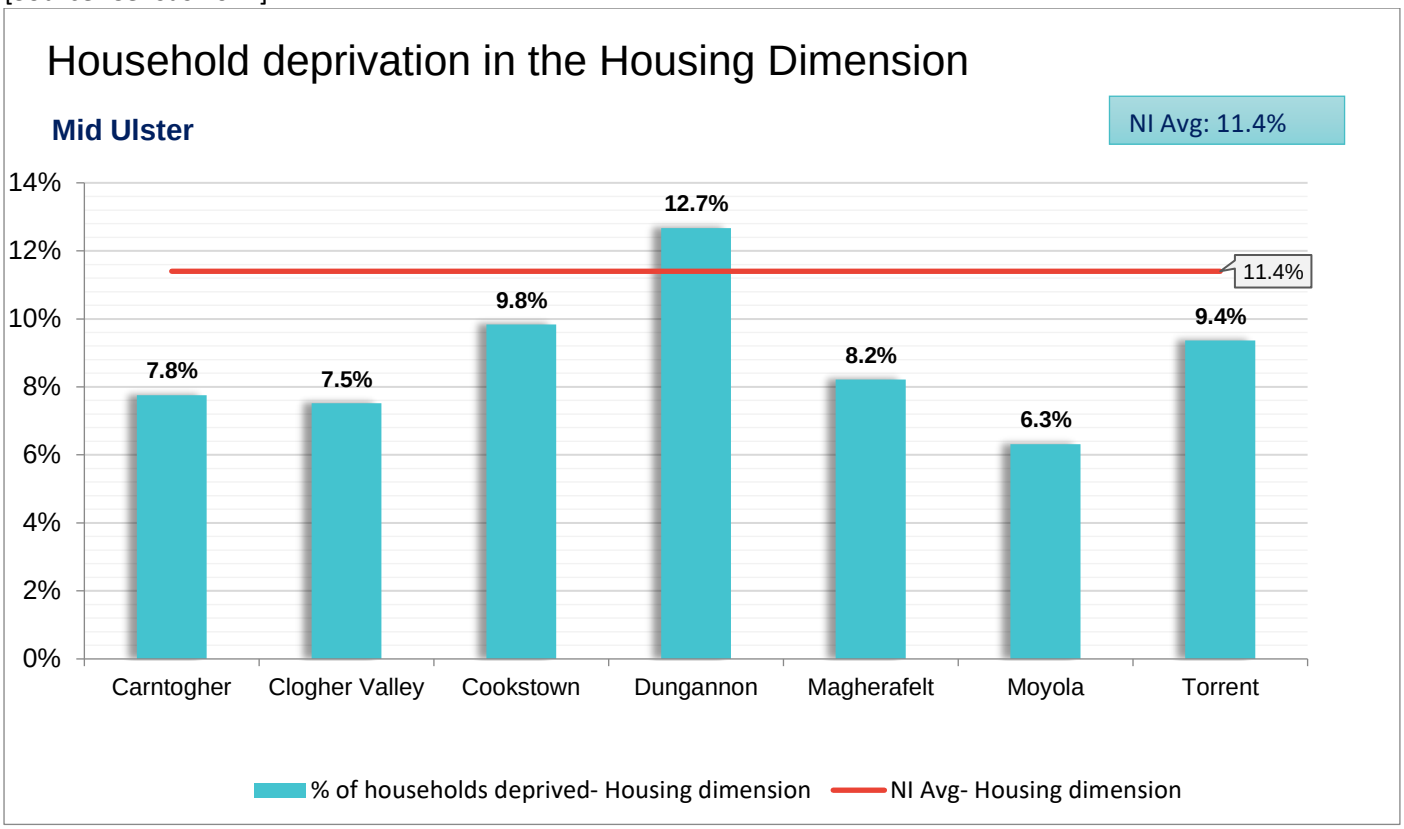
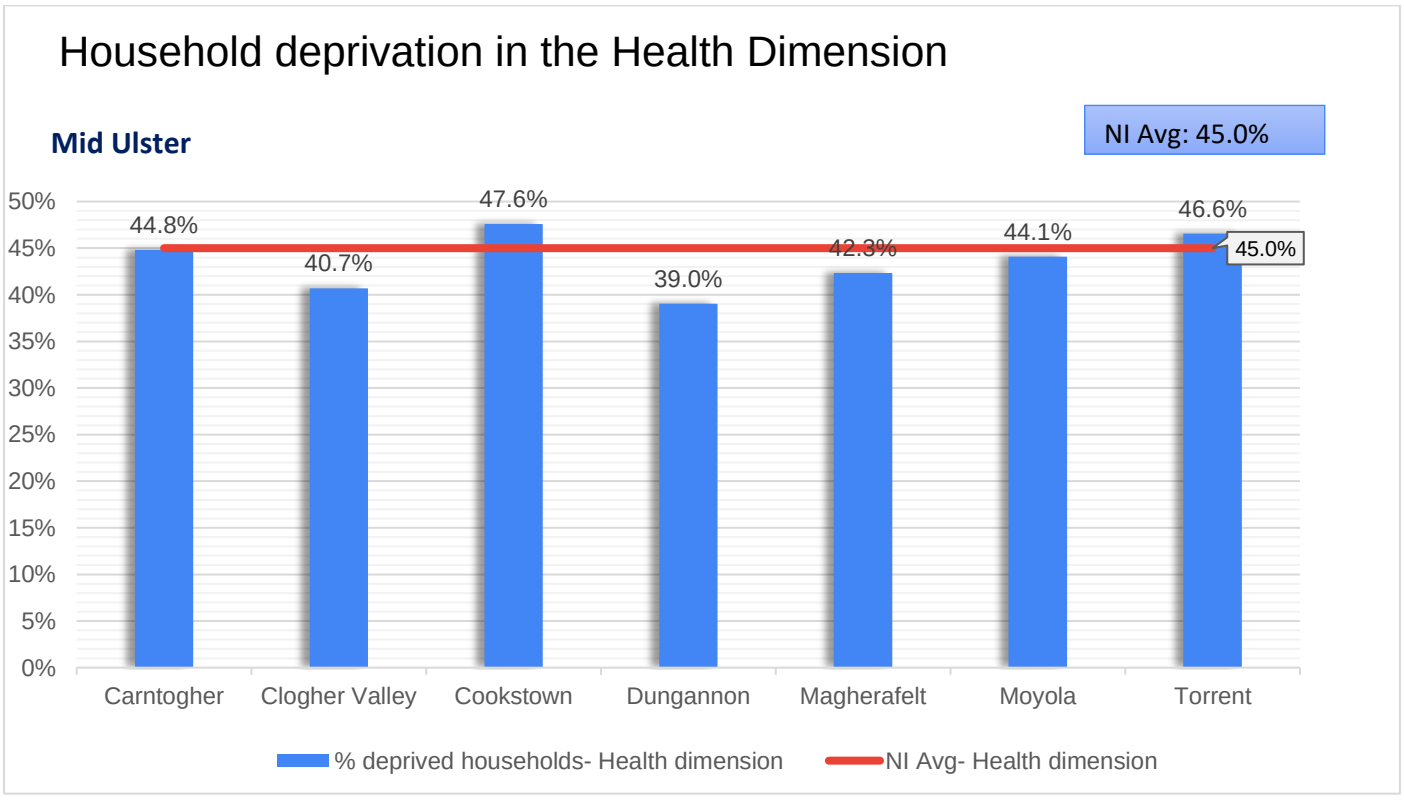


Chart 28: Percentage of households that are deprived in the Housing dimension, by DEA

[Source: Census 2021]



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2.3 Social Grade

The 2021 Census has classified households based on approximated social grade using the occupational status of the Household Reference Person, as follows:

- AB: Higher and intermediate managerial, administrative and professional occupations
- C1: Supervisory, clerical, and junior managerial, administrative and professional occupations
- C2: Skilled manual occupations
- D and E: Semi-skilled and unskilled manual occupations; unemployed and lowest grade occupations

Chart 29: Social Grades D and E represents low social grade and a proxy measure of socio-economic deprivation.

[Source: Census 2021]

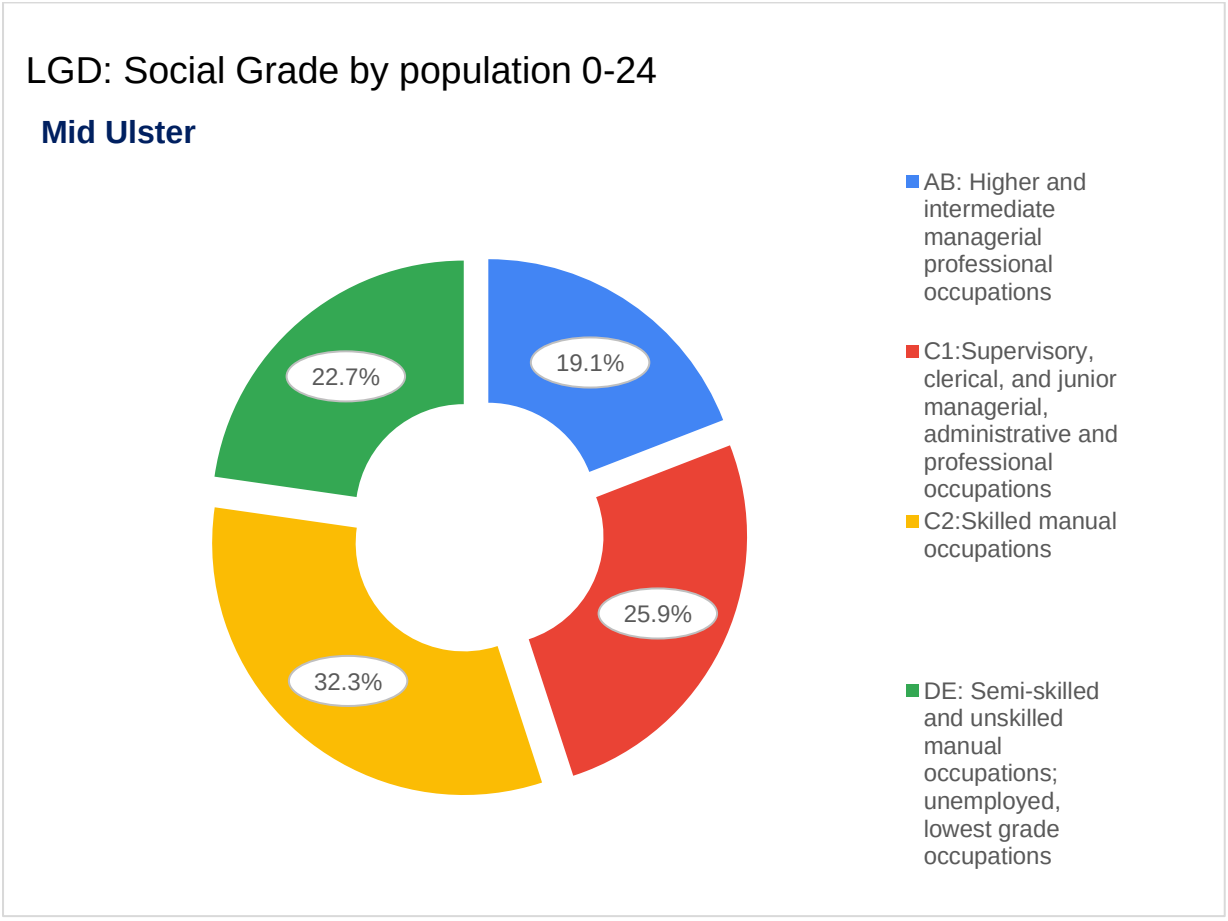


Chart 30: Counts of population with percentage representation age 0-24 living in households classified by social grade, by DEA

[Source: Census 2021]

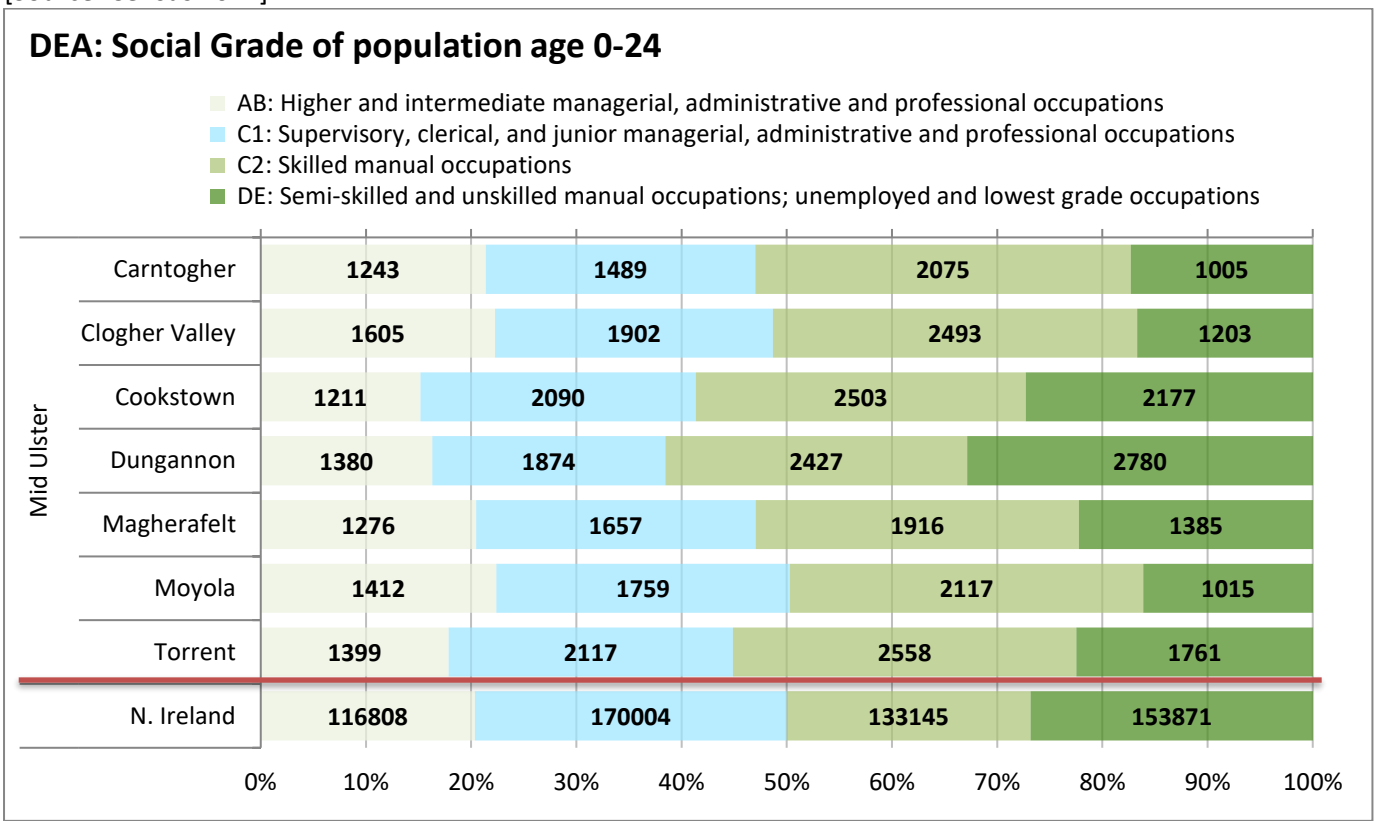
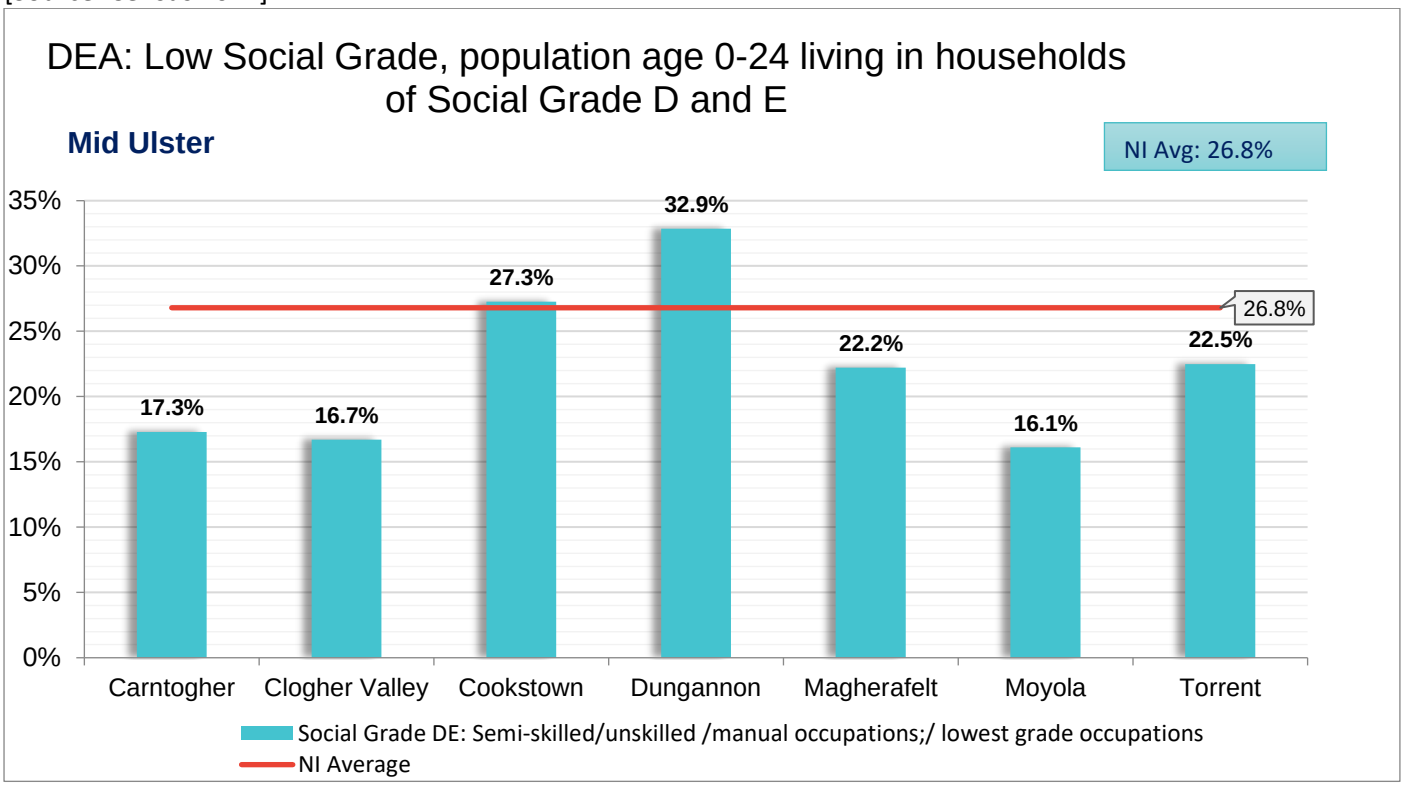


Chart 31: Percentage of the population age 0-24 living in households of Low social grade (Social Grades D & E), by DEA

[Source: Census 2021]



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2.4 Adult unemployment

Chart 32: Percentage of households that do not have at least one adult in employment in Mid Ulster. A comparison between all households and only those that contain dependent children is shown [Source Census 2021].

A dependent child is a person aged 0 to 15 in a household (whether or not in a family) or aged 16 to 18 in full-time education and living in a family with his or her parent(s) or grandparent(s). It does not include any children who have a spouse, partner or child living in the household.

[Source: Census 2021]

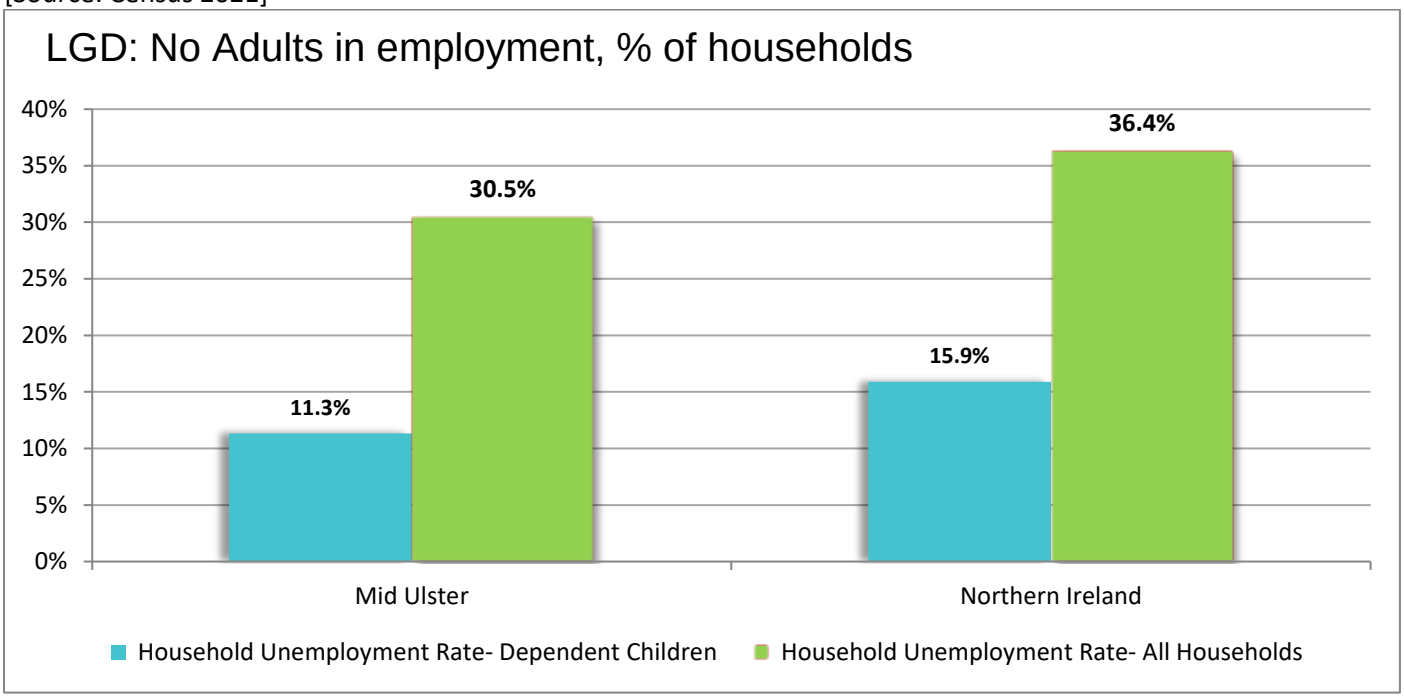
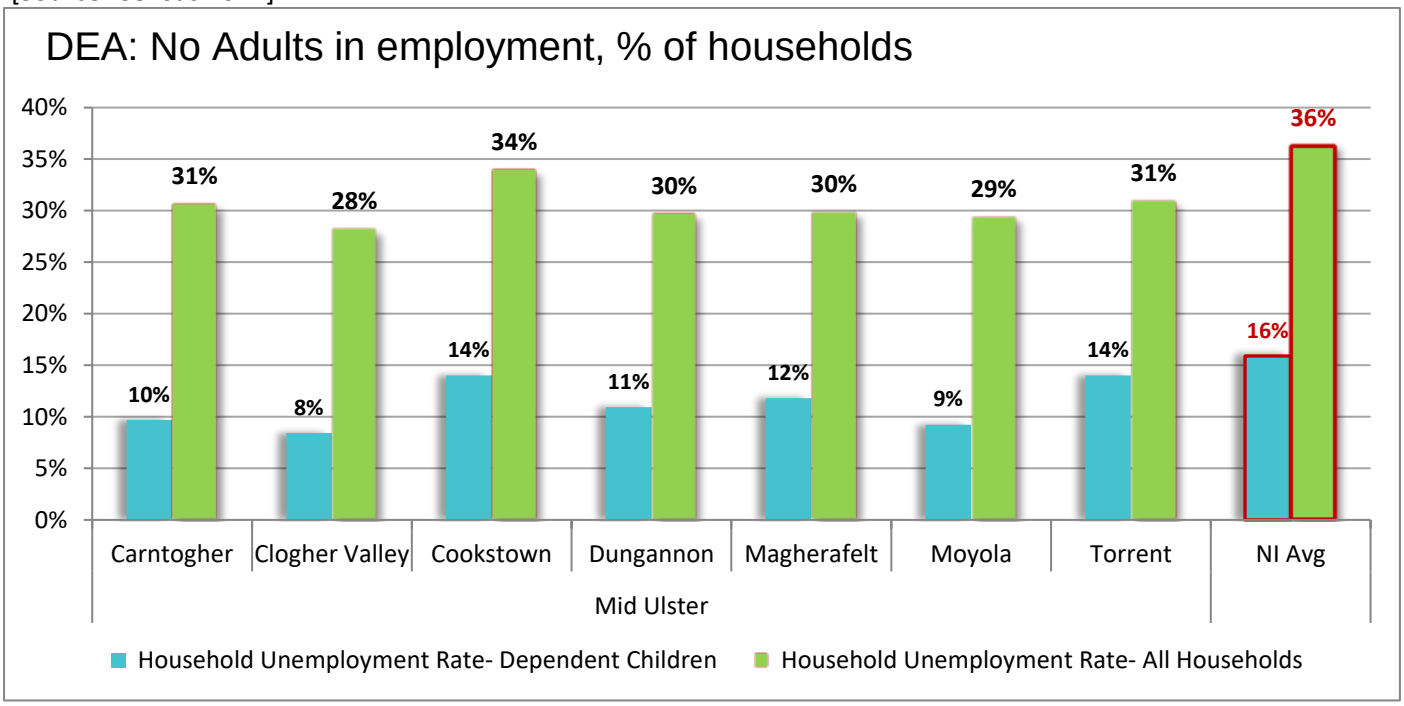


Chart 33: Percentage of households that do not have at least one adult in employment in Mid Ulster, by DEA. A comparison between all households and only those that contain dependent children is shown.
[Source: Census 2021]



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2.5 Lack of access to independent household transport

LGD/NI Table Percentage of the 0-24 population in Mid Ulster who live in households where no cars or vans are owned or are available for use by household members compared with all households where no cars or vans are available for use.

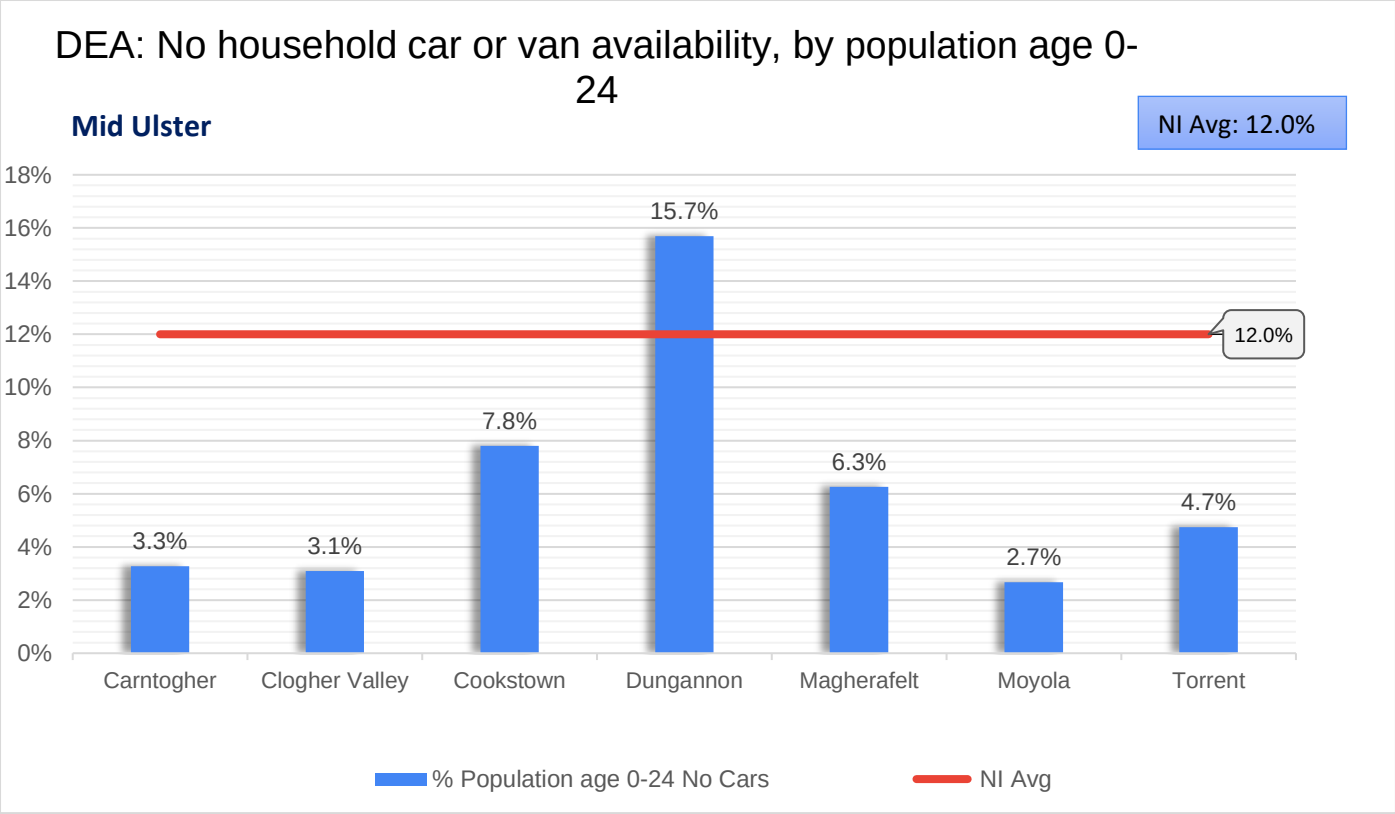
Table 11: Lack of access to independent household transport.

No car or van availability, by LGD				
LGD	Count: All households with No cars or vans available	Count: Pop 0-24 living in households with no cars or vans available	Percent: No cars or vans available- All Households %	Percent: No cars or vans available- Pop 0-24
Mid Ulster	7,045	3,340	13.0%	6.6%
Northern Ireland	**150,289**	**70,594**	19.5%	12.0%

[Source: Census 2021]

Chart 34: Percentage of the 0-24 population in Mid Ulster who live in households where no cars or vans are owned or are available for use by household members, by DEA.

[Source: Census 2021]



2.6 Housing Tenure

Chart 35: Percentage of households in Mid Ulster LGD by housing tenure.
[Source: Census 2021]

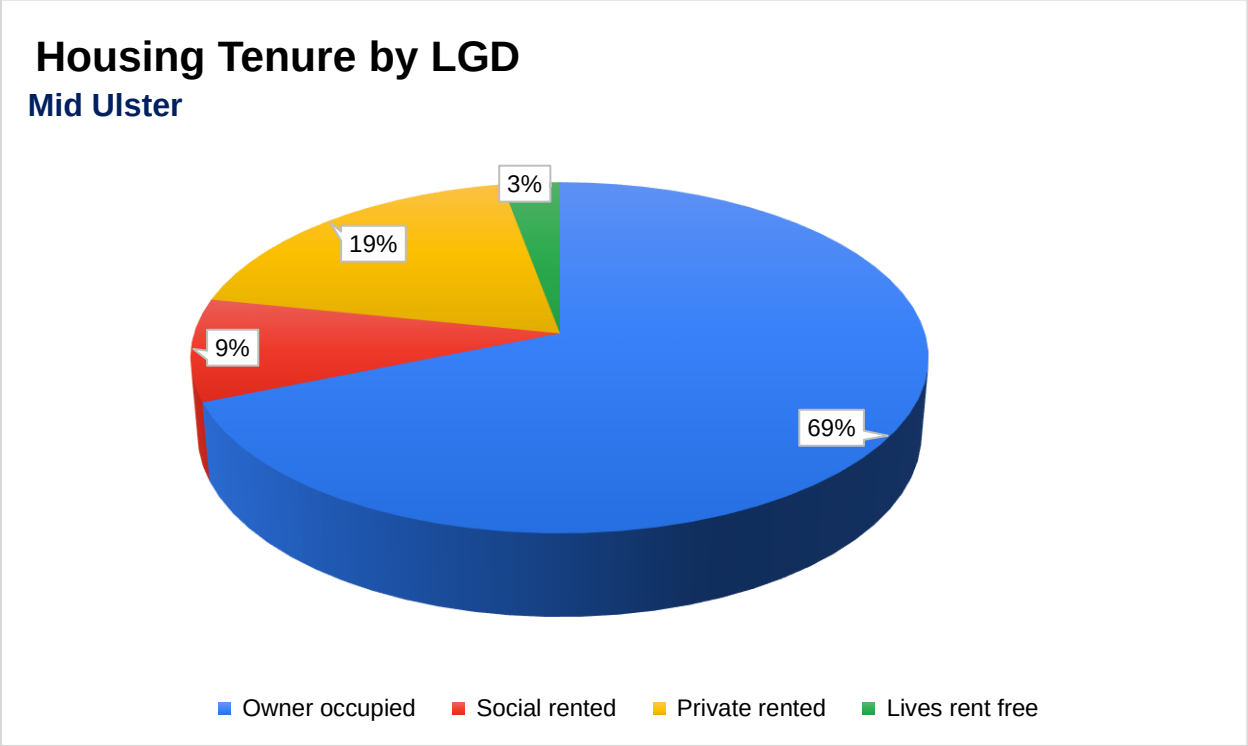
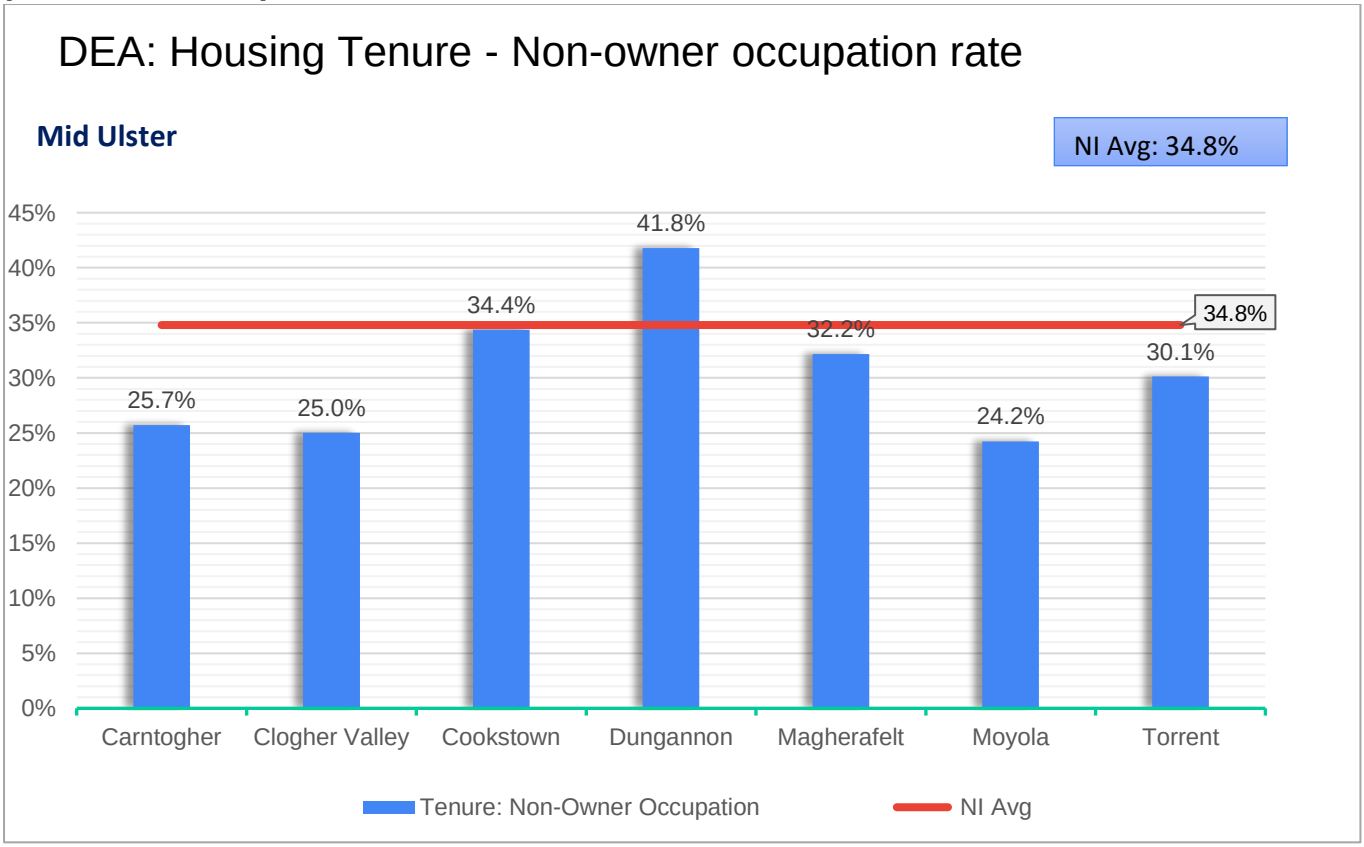


Chart 36: Percentage of households in Mid Ulster LGD by that are non-owner occupied (private rented, social rented and rent free), by DEA.
[Source: Census 2021]



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2.7 Child Poverty

Children in Poverty

The proportion of children in relative poverty (Before Housing Costs) is estimated to be 24% (approximately 109,000) in 2022/23, which is higher than the estimate of 18% in 2021/22. This is a statistically significant increase. Children living in absolute poverty rose from 15% to 19% (approximately 86,000), over the same period.[1]

Over the last ten years, the proportion of children in relative poverty (Before Housing Costs) has fluctuated between a high of 25% in 2014/15 and a low of 18% in 2021/22. The proportion of children in absolute poverty (Before Housing Costs) shows a decreasing trend between 2012/13 and 2017/18 before beginning to fluctuate in more recent years.

The long-term trend shows that children are at a higher risk of living in poverty than the overall Northern Ireland population in both relative and absolute measures.[2]

Relative Poverty

In 2022/23 18% of individuals in NI (approximately 349,000), were considered to be in relative poverty (BHC), an increase from 16% in 2021/22.

An individual is considered to be in relative poverty if they are living in a household with an equivalised income below 60% of UK median income in the year in question.

This is a measure of whether those in the lowest income households are keeping pace with the growth of incomes in the population as a whole.

In 2022/23 the relative poverty threshold for a couple with no children was an income of £373 per week (Before Housing Costs) from all sources. For a couple with children the threshold would be higher and for a single person (without children) the threshold would be lower (£250).

What is Absolute Poverty

In 2022/23 14% of individuals in NI (approximately 271,000), were considered to be in absolute poverty (Before Housing Costs), an increase from 13% in 2021/22.

An individual is considered to be in absolute poverty if they are living in a household with an equivalised income below 60% of the (inflation adjusted) UK median income in 2010/11.

This is a measure of whether those in the lowest income households are seeing their incomes rise in real terms.

In 2022/23 the absolute poverty threshold for a couple with no children was an income of £347 per week Before Housing Costs (). For a couple with children the threshold would be higher and for a single person (without children) the threshold would be lower (£232)

[1] https://www.communities-ni.gov.uk/news/northern-ireland-poverty-and-income-inequality-report-2022-23-released#:~:text=Children%20%2D%20Poverty%20(Before%20Housing%20Costs,19%25%20over%20the%20same%20period.
[2] https://datavis.nisra.gov.uk/communities/PII_report_2223.html

SECTION 3.0 EDUCATION

3.1 GCSE Examination Results 2022/23

The table below shows the proportion of pupils achieving 5 or more GCSEs at grades A*-C (incl. equivalents) and the number of pupils achieving 5+ GCSEs at grades A*-C (incl. equivalents) incl. GCSE English and maths for Mid Ulster LGD in academic year 2022/2023.

Table 12: GCSE examination performance Mid Ulster 2022/23

Local Government District	Number of Year 12 pupils achieving 5+ GCSEs at grades A*-C (incl. equivalents)	% of Year 12 pupils achieving 5+ GCSEs at grades A*-C (incl. equivalents)	Number of Year 12 pupils achieving 5+ GCSEs at grades A*-C (incl. equivalents) incl. GCSE English and maths	% of Year 12 pupils achieving 5+ GCSEs at grades A*-C (incl. equivalents) incl. GCSE English and maths
Northern Ireland Average	1,738	89.8%	1,485	76.1%
Mid Ulster	2,050	94.0%	1,778	81.6%

Source: DE school census 2022/23

Table 13: Education attainment by school – year 12 pupils achieving 5+ GCSEs grades A*-C (including equivalents) and 5+ GCSE's including English and GCSE maths academic year 2022/23.

School Name	DEA	% year 12 pupils achieving 5+ GCSEs grades A*-C (including equivalents)	% year 12 pupils achieving 5+ GCSEs grades A*-C (including equivalents) including GCSE English and GCSE maths
Drumglass High School	Dungannon	63.1%	52.3%
Integrated College Dungannon	Dungannon	89.7%	55.1%
Magherafelt High School	Magherafelt	86.7%	58.9%
St Patrick's College	Dungannon	93.0%	61.4%
Holy Trinity College	Cookstown	85.9%	61.5%
St Conor's College	Carntogher	88.2%	70.6%
St Joseph's College	Torrent	91.9%	71.0%
St Pius X College	Magherafelt	96.6%	75.2%
Cookstown High School	Cookstown	89.9%	76.1%
Northern Ireland	**NI Average**	**89.8%**	**76.1%**
St Ciaran's College	Clogher Valley	96.2%	79.4%
Sperrin Integrated College	Moyola	99.0%	85.1%
St Colm's High SchoolDraperstown	Moyola	92.2%	85.7%
Aughnacloy High School	Clogher Valley	96.9%	90.6%
St Patrick's Co-ed Comprehensive College	Carntogher	96.2%	90.8%
St Joseph's Grammar School	Torrent	100.0%	96.8%
Fivemiletown College	Clogher Valley	98.4%	96.9%

The Royal SchoolDungannon	Dungannon	97.2%	97.2%
St Patrick's Academy	Dungannon	99.5%	98.5%
Rainey Endowed School	Magherafelt	100.0%	100.0%
St Mary's Grammar School	Magherafelt	100.0%	100.0%

Source: DE school census 2022/23

3.2 A Level Examination Results 2022/23

The table below shows the proportion of pupils achieving 3+ A-levels grades A*-C (including equivalents) and the number of pupils achieving 2+ A-levels grades A*-E (including equivalents) in academic year 2022/2023.

Table 14: Education attainment by school

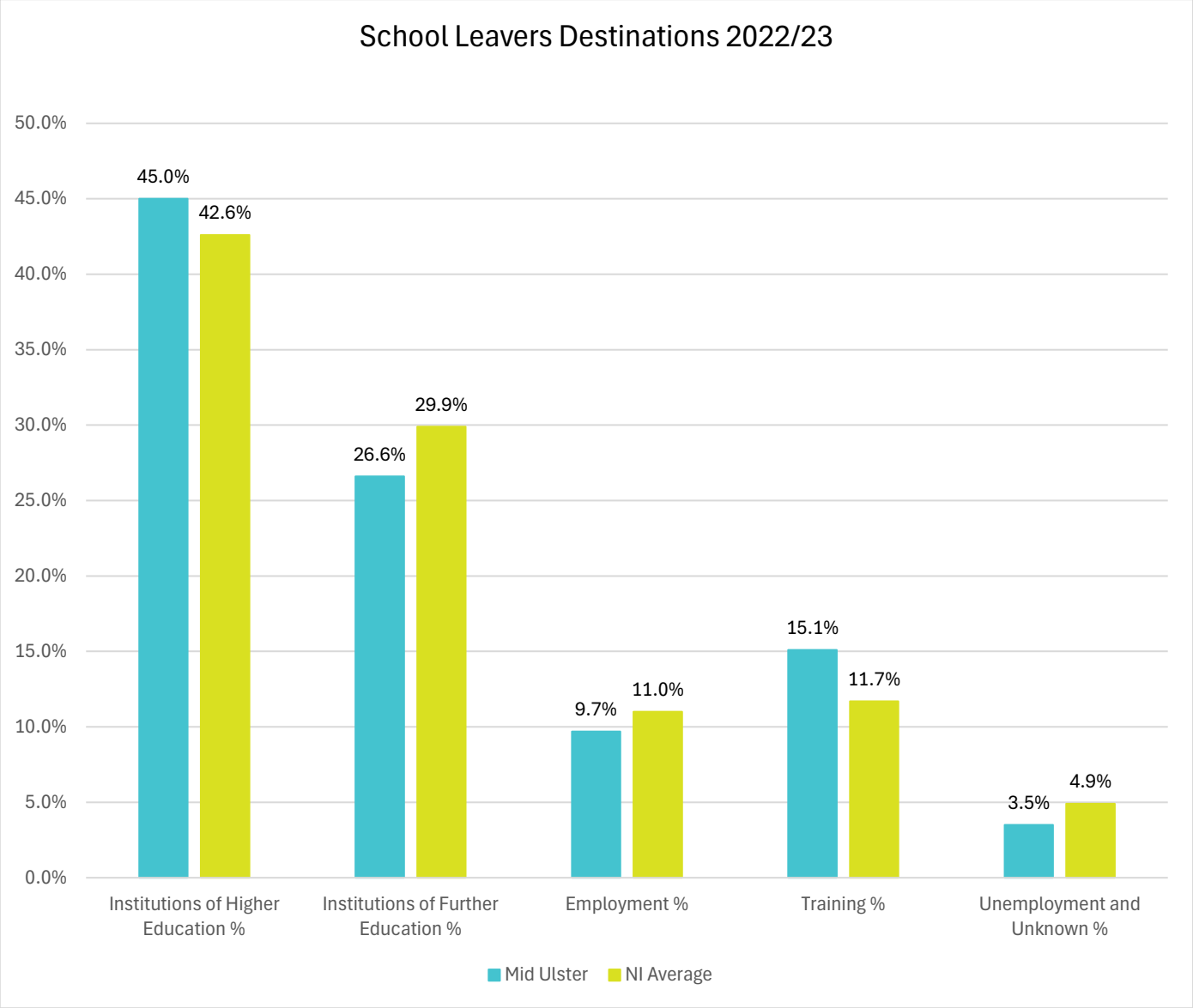
School Name	DEA	No. of pupils in the final year of an A-level (or equivalent) course eligible for inclusion in SAER returns	% of pupils in the final year of a level 3 course achieving 3+ A-levels grades A*-C (including equivalents)	% of pupils in the final year of a level 3 course achieving 2+ A-levels grades A*-E (including equivalents)
Magherafelt High School	Magherafelt	34	38.2%	100.0%
Holy Trinity College	Cookstown	76	42.1%	92.1%
St Conor's College	Carntogher	36	44.4%	97.2%
Northern Ireland	**NI Average**		**42.1%**	**56.2%**
Fivemiletown College	Clogher Valley	18	55.6%	100.0%
St Patrick's College	Dungannon	52	55.8%	100.0%
St Colm's High SchoolDraperstown	Moyola	34	55.9%	97.1%
St Ciaran's College	Clogher Valley	81	61.7%	98.8%
Integrated College Dungannon	Dungannon	53	64.2%	94.3%
St Pius X College	Magherafelt	86	75.6%	98.8%
Cookstown High School	Cookstown	64	76.6%	100.0%
Sperrin Integrated College	Moyola	39	84.6%	97.4%
St Patrick's Co-ed Comprehensive College	Carntogher	147	85.7%	100.0%
St Patrick's Academy	Dungannon	202	86.6%	99.5%
The Royal SchoolDungannon	Dungannon	76	88.2%	98.7%
St Joseph's Grammar School	Torrent	104	89.4%	100.0%
St Mary's Grammar School	Magherafelt	144	89.6%	100.0%
Rainey Endowed School	Magherafelt	89	89.9%	100.0%

Source: DE school census 2022/23

3.3 School Leavers Destination Mid Ulster LGD and DEAs 2022/23

3.3.1 School Leavers Destination by LGD 2022/23

Chart 37: School leavers destinations 2022/23



3.3.2 School Leavers Destinations by DEA 2022/23

The school leaving cohort in each academic year comprises of Year 12,13 and 14 pupils leaving mainstream, grant aided, post-primary schools. It does not include special or independent schools. The data refers to the home residence of the pupils.

Chart 38: School leavers going into employment 2022/23

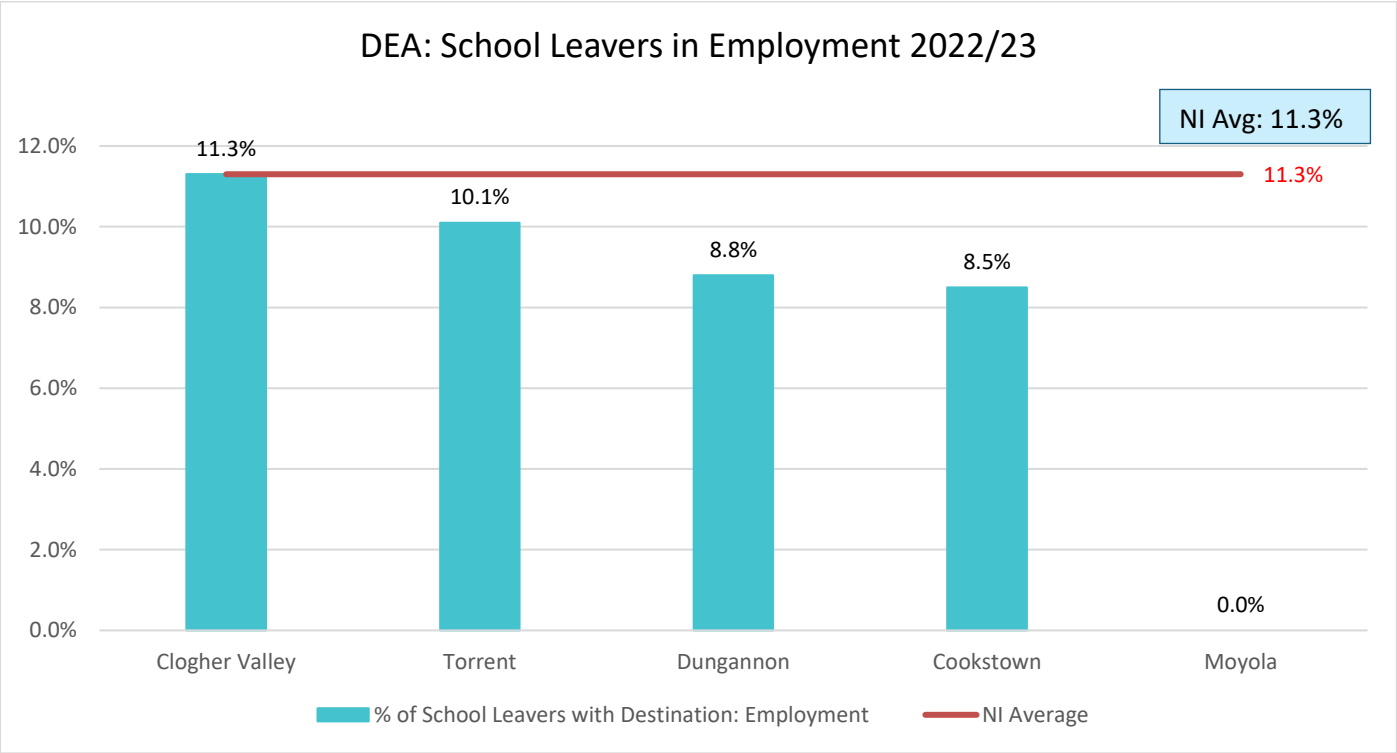


Chart 39: School leavers going into Further Education 2022/23

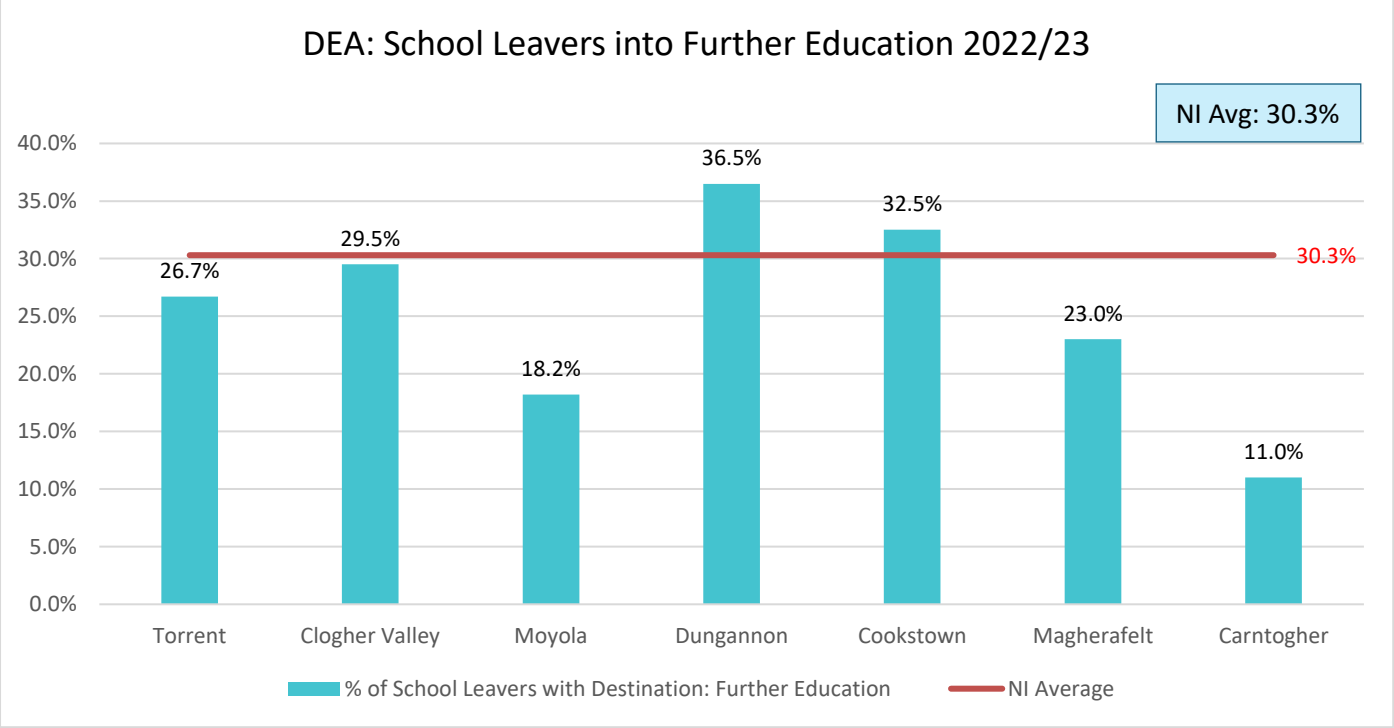


Chart 40: School leavers going into Higher Education 2022/23

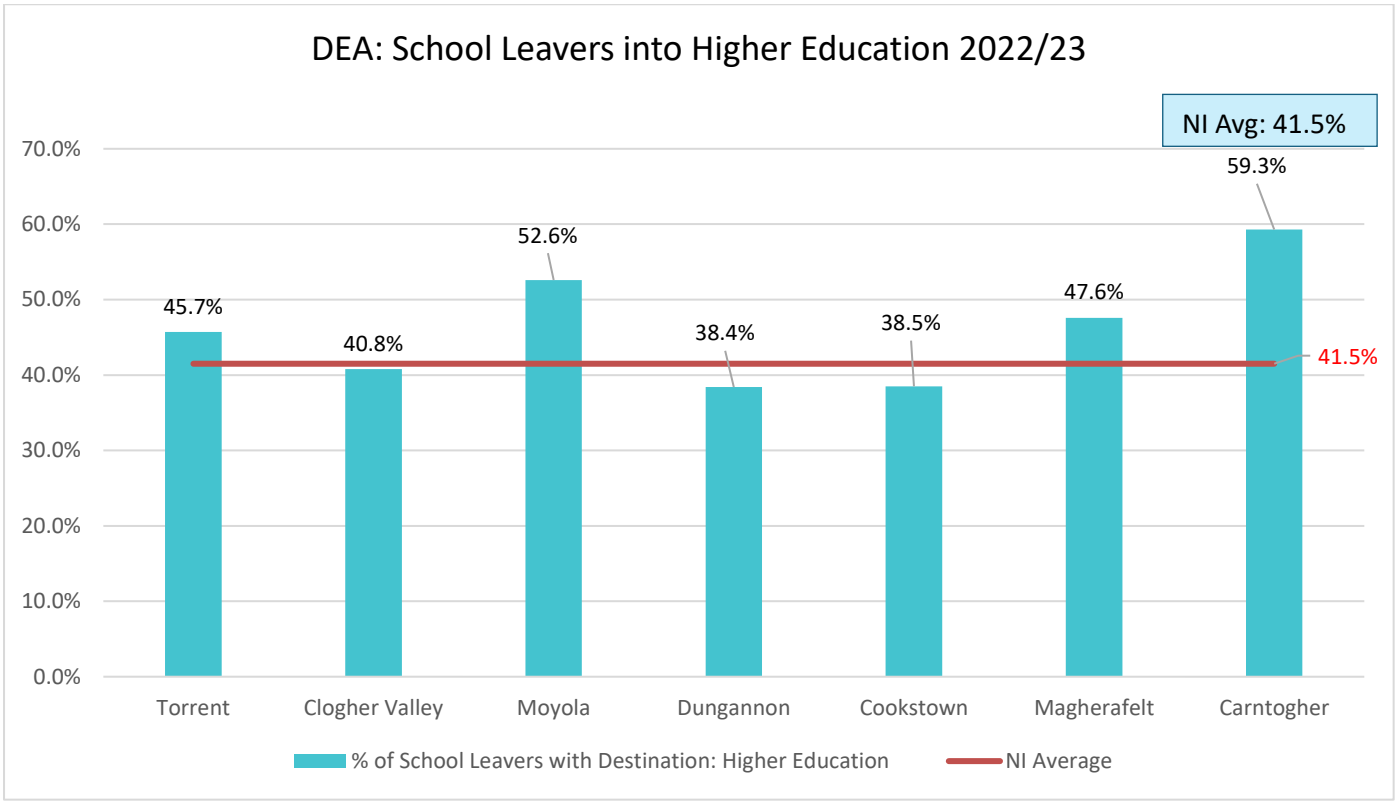


Chart 41: School leavers going into Training 2022/23

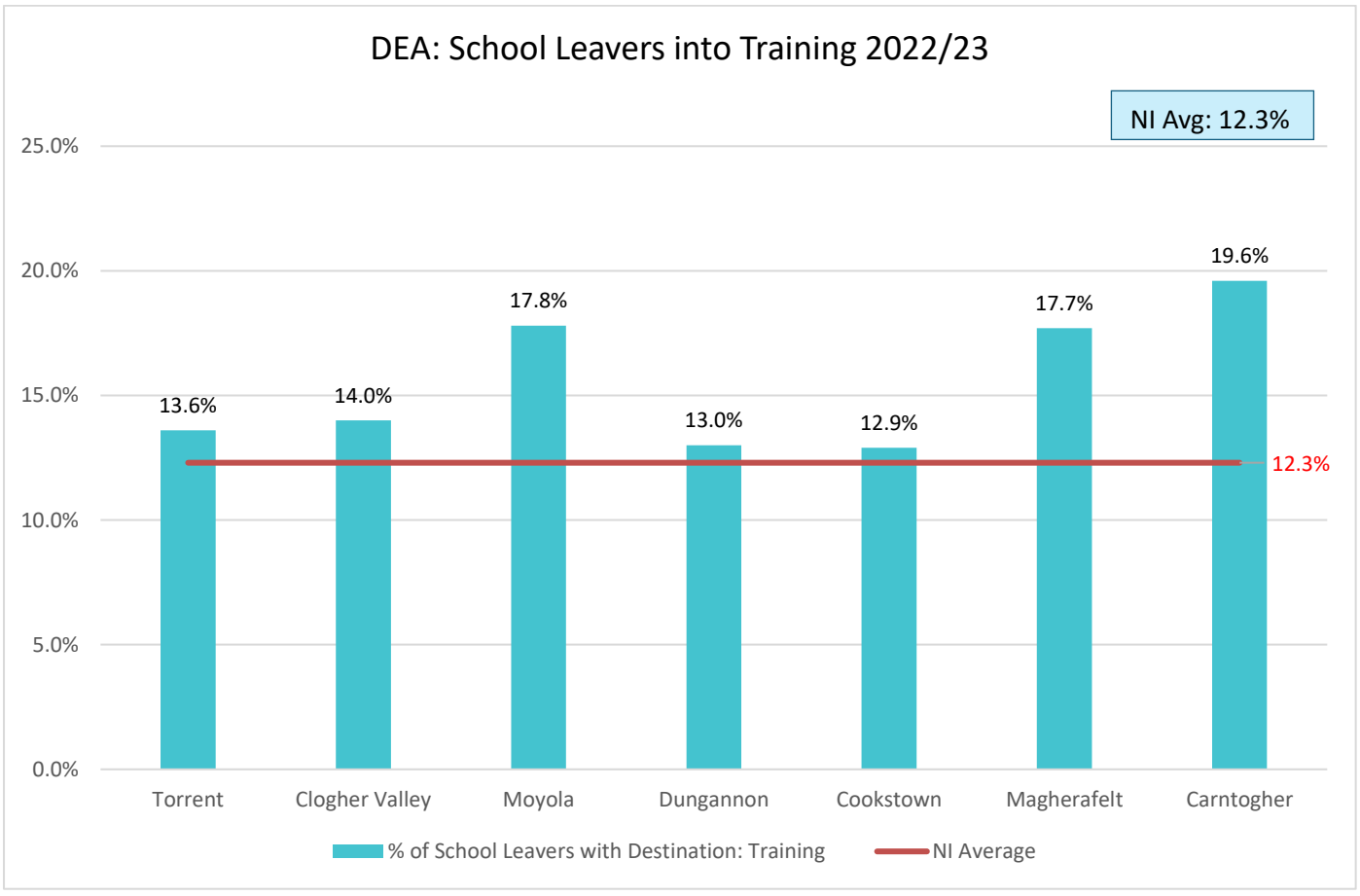
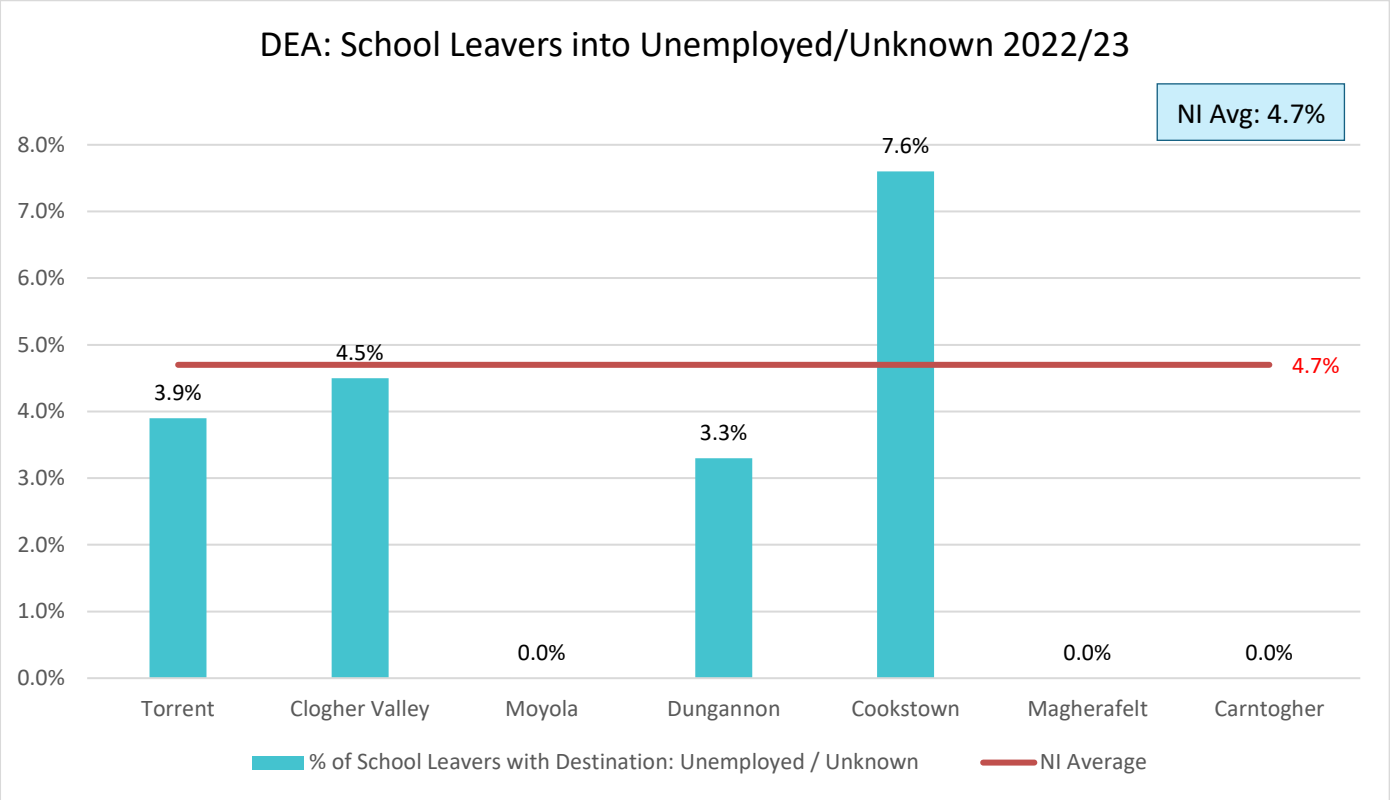


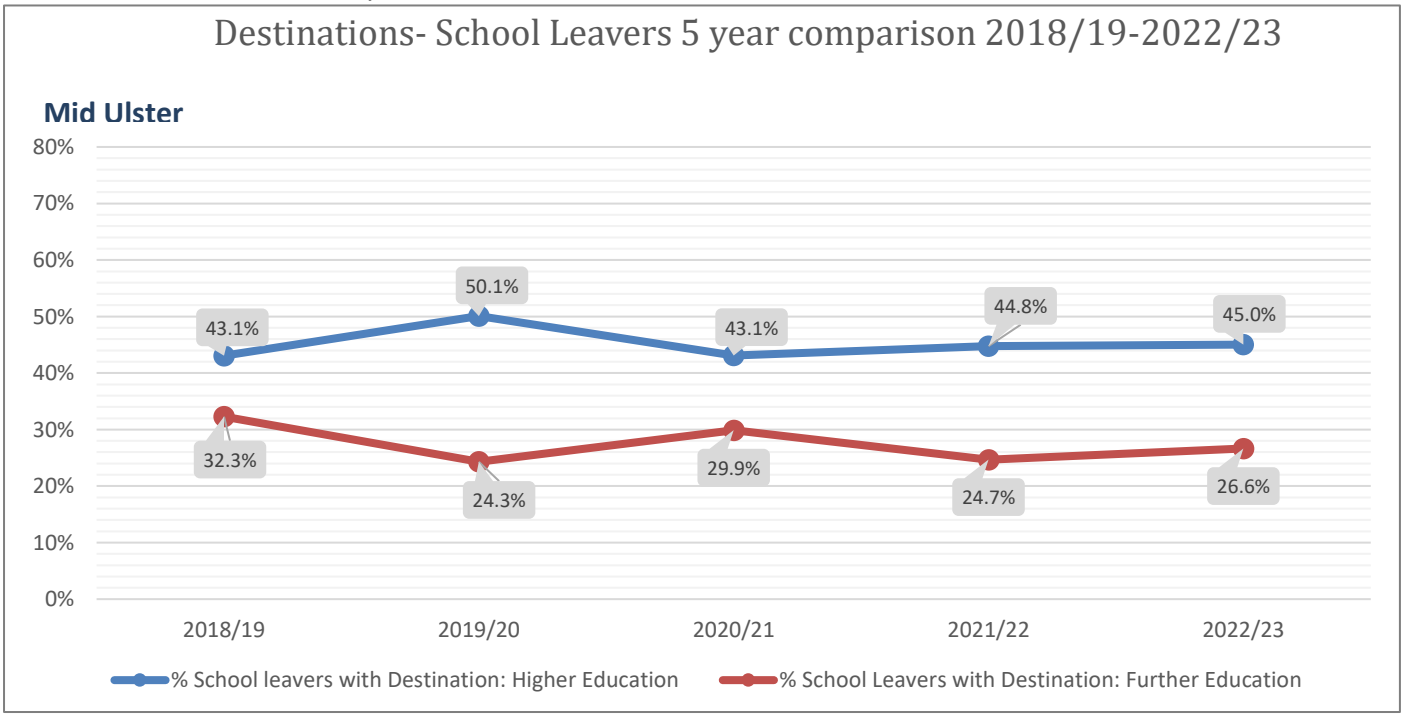
Chart 42 – School leavers unemployed/unknown 2022/23



3.3.3 School Leavers Destinations 5 year trends for Mid Ulster LGD

Chart 43: Distribution of percentage rates of school leavers entering Further and Higher Education over 5 years, 2018/19-2022/23

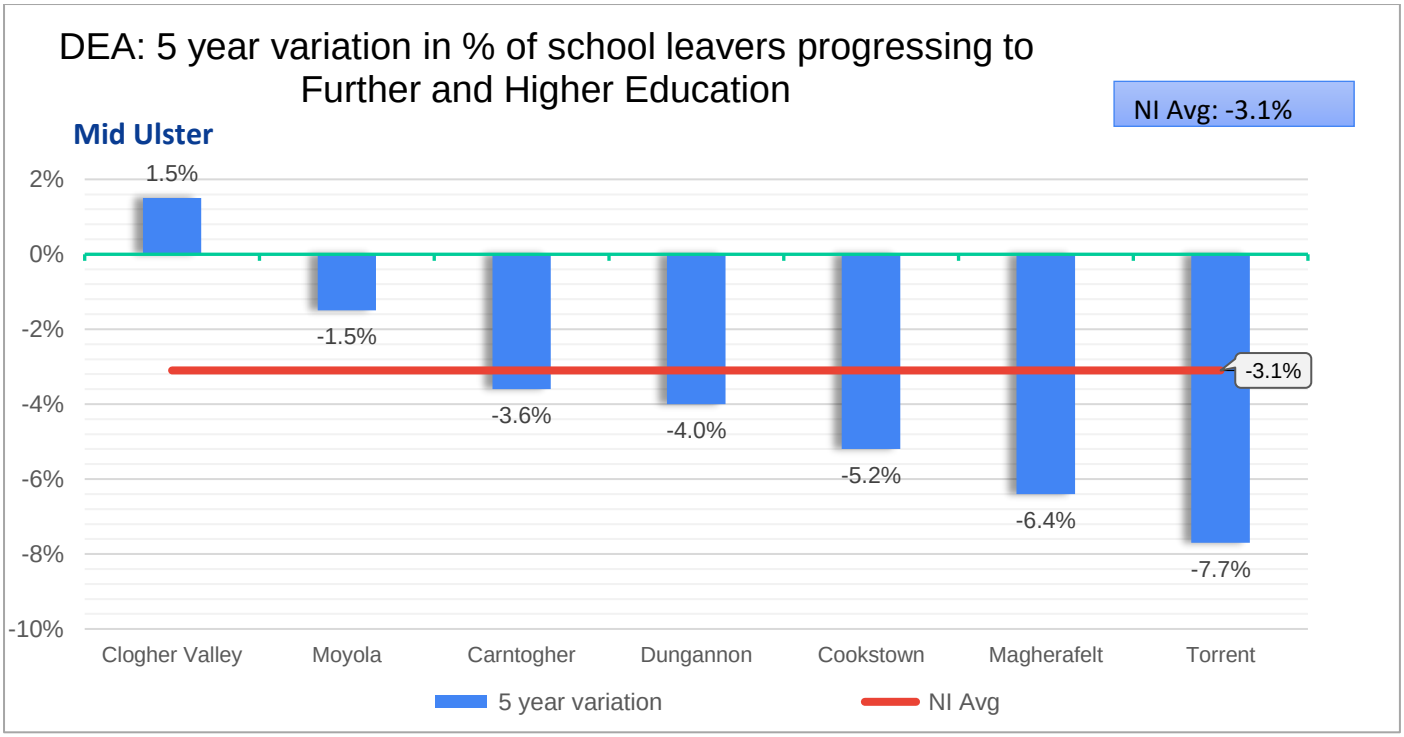
[Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



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3.4 School leavers' Educational attainment 5 year comparison 2018-19-2022-23, by DEA

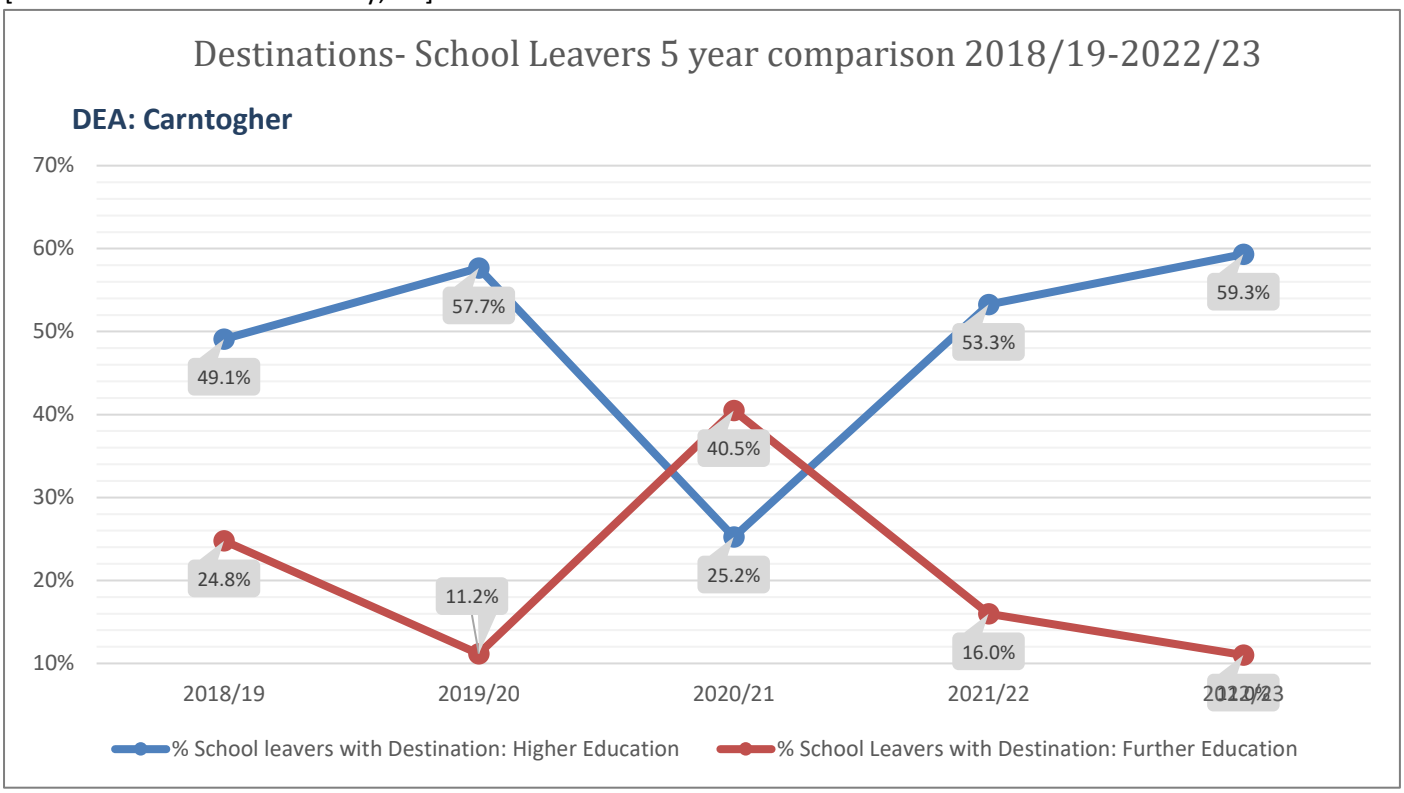
Chart 44: Percentage variation over 5 years of school leavers progressing to either Further or Higher Education, By DEAs in Mid Ulster [Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



Carntogher DEA

Chart 45: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

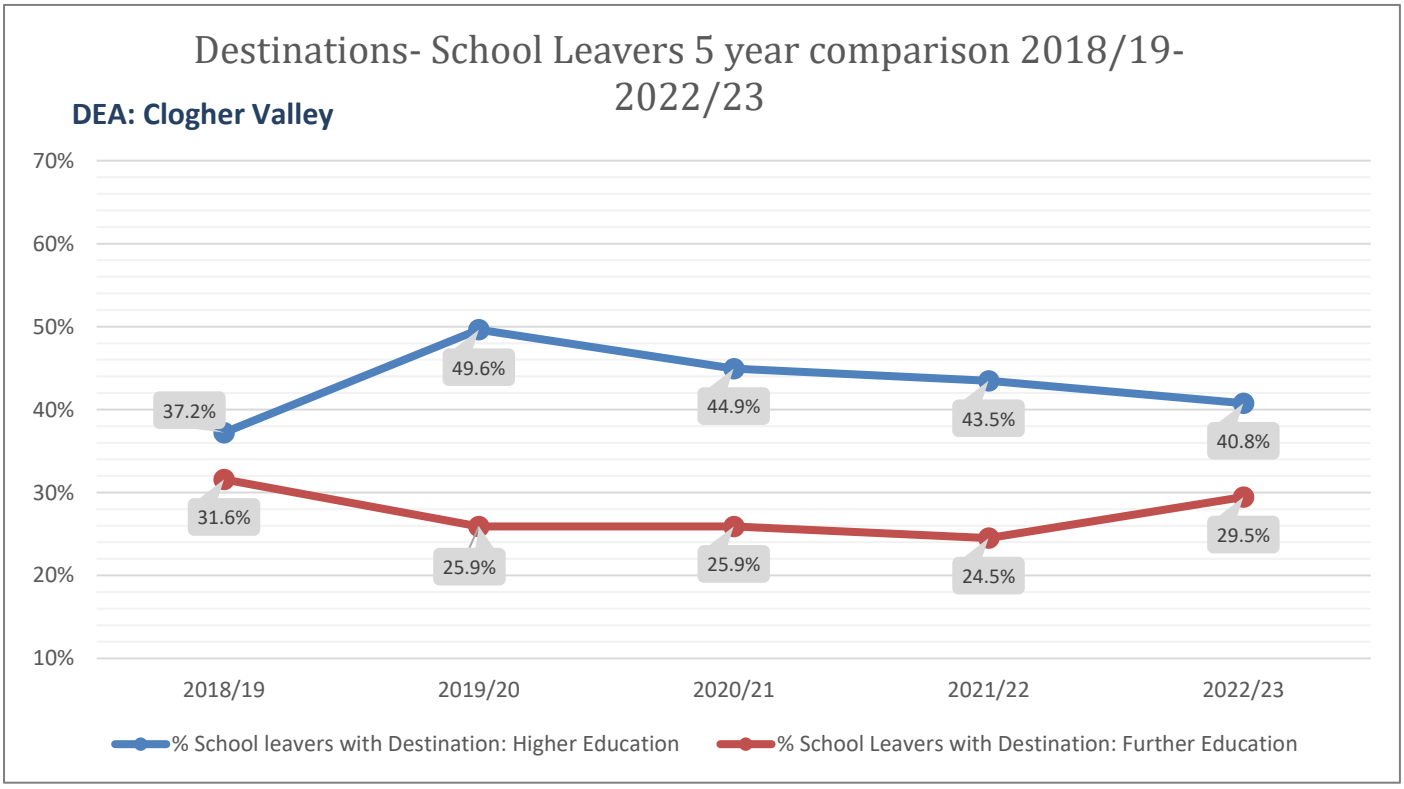
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Clogher Valley DEA

Chart 46: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

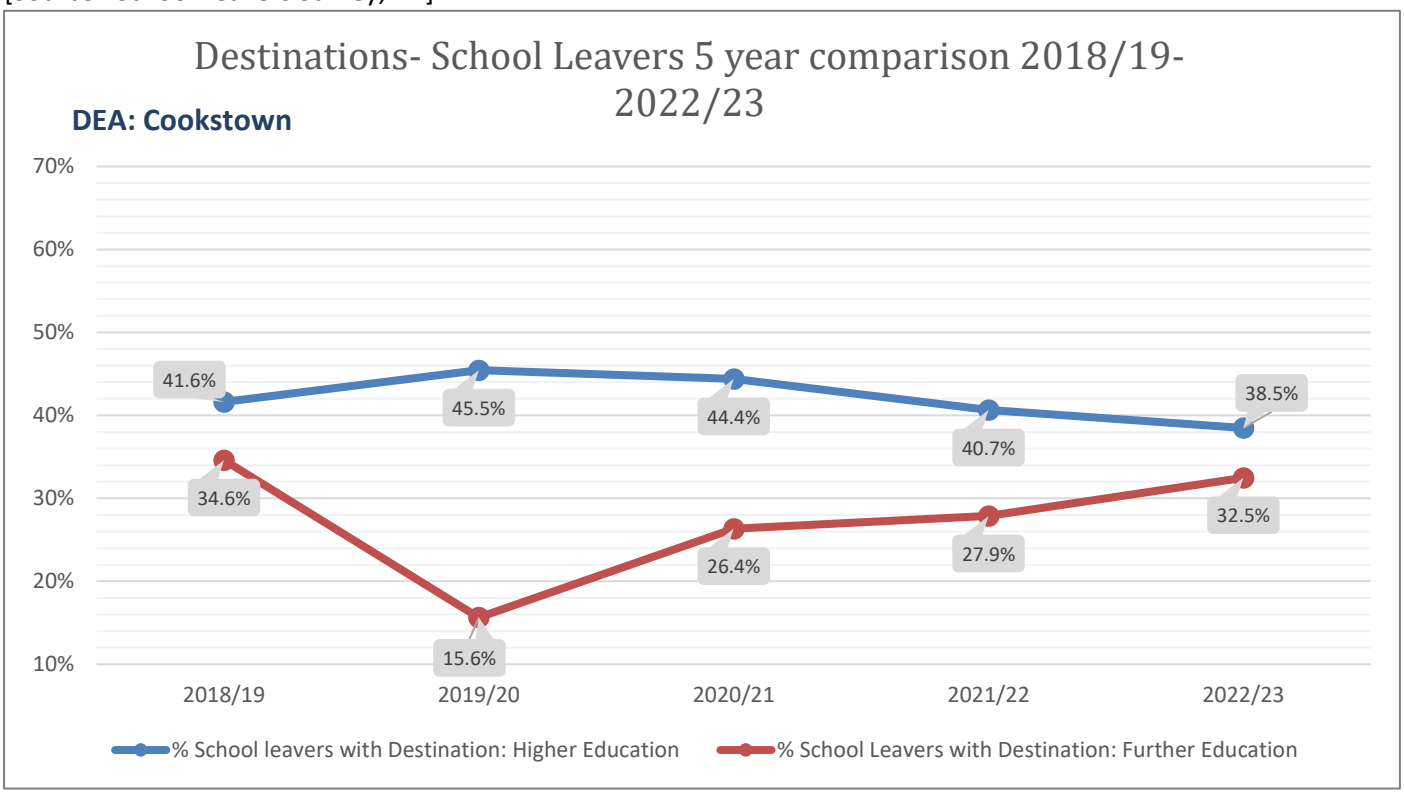
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Cookstown DEA

Chart 47: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

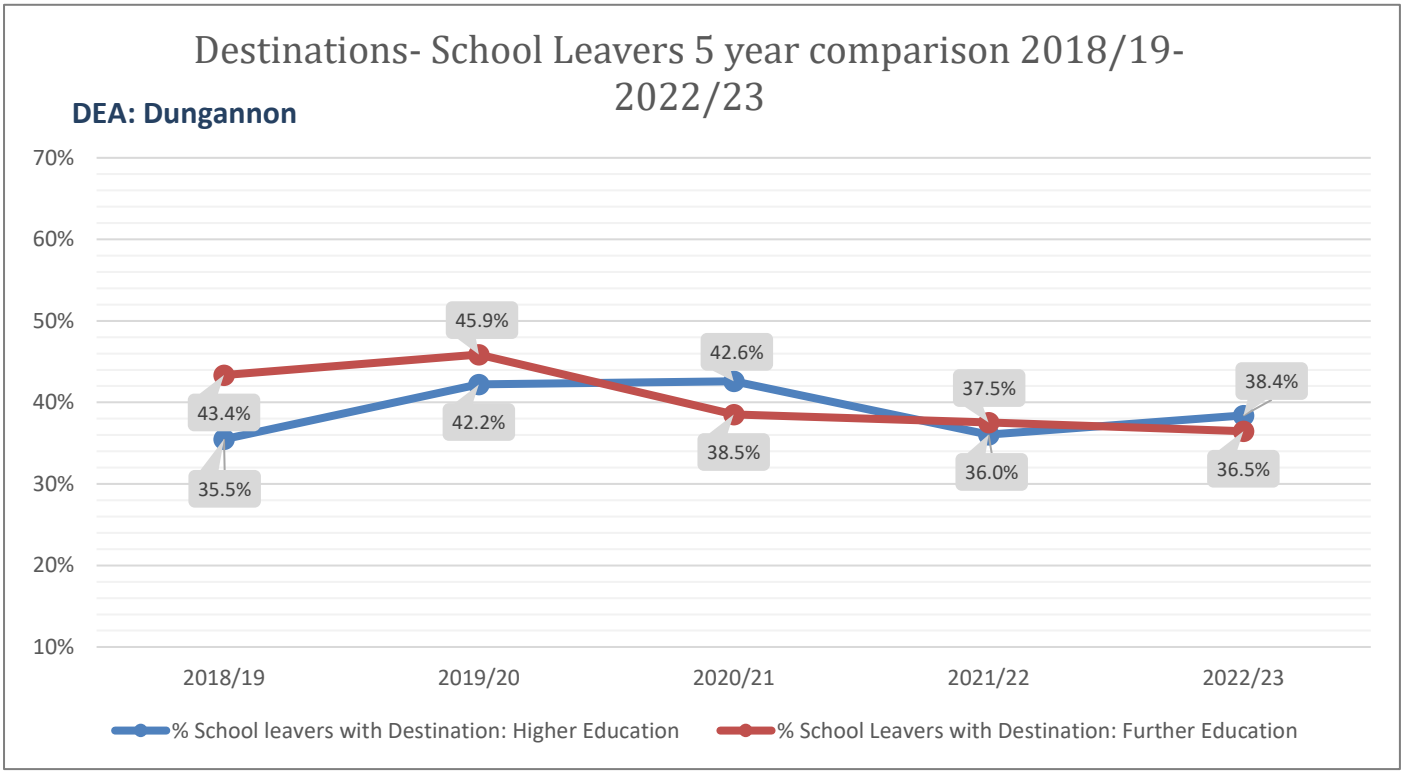
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Dungannon DEA

Chart 48: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

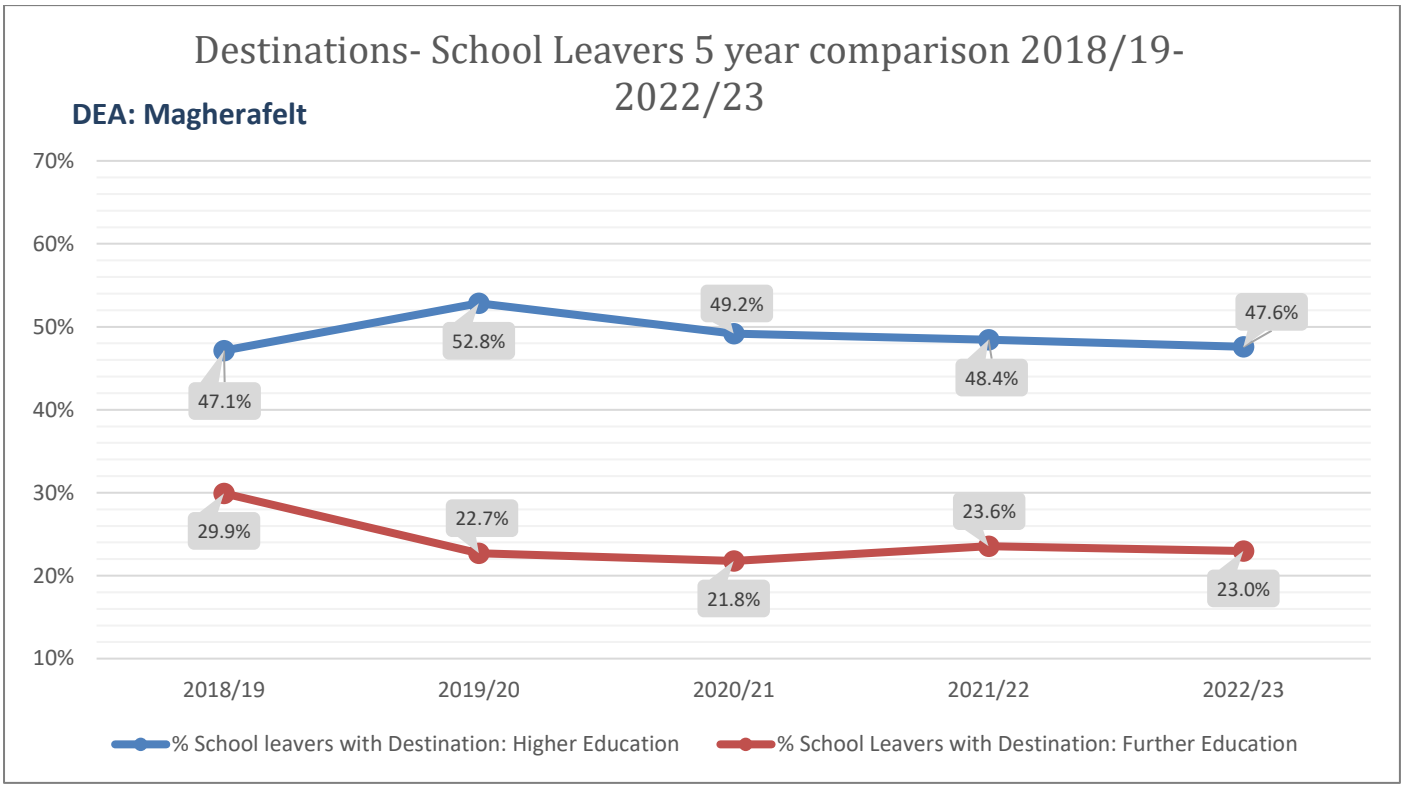
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Magherafelt DEA

Chart 49: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

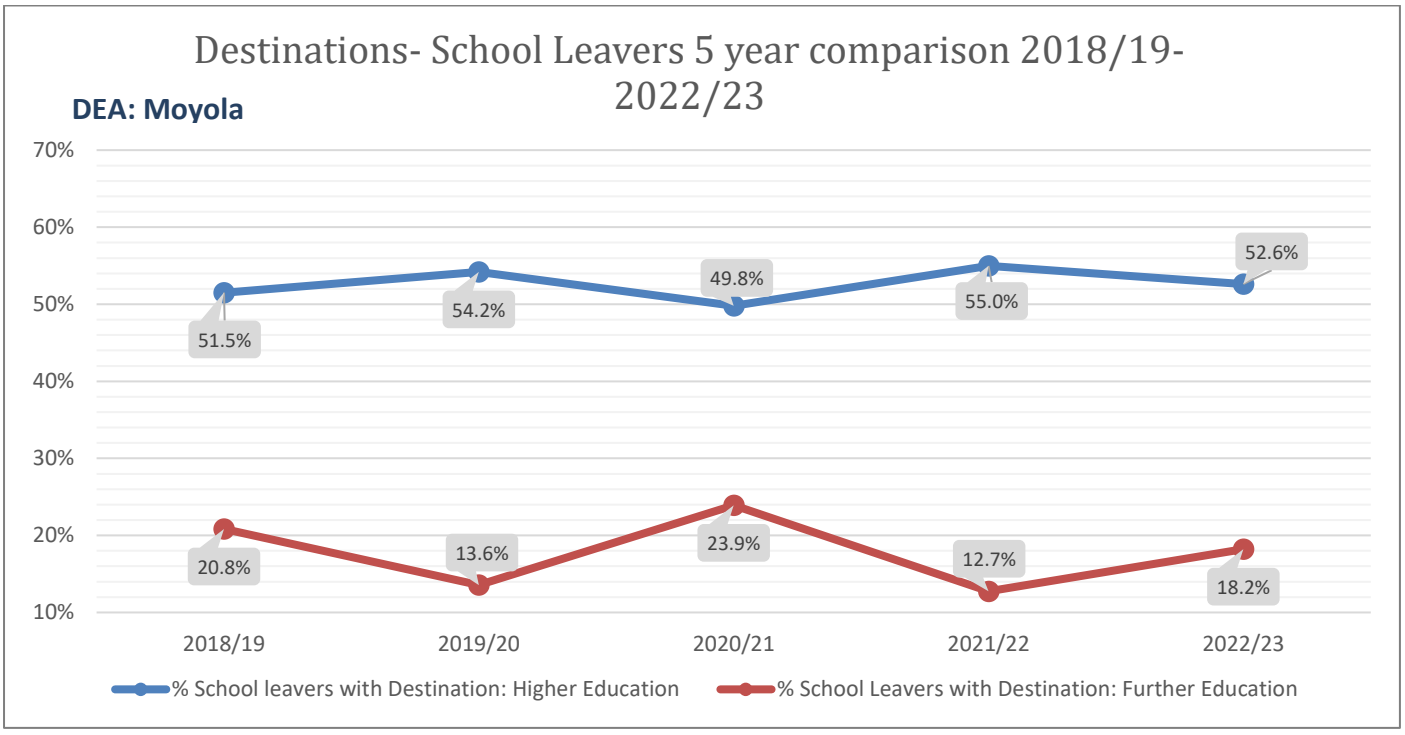
[Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



Moyola DEA

Chart 50: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

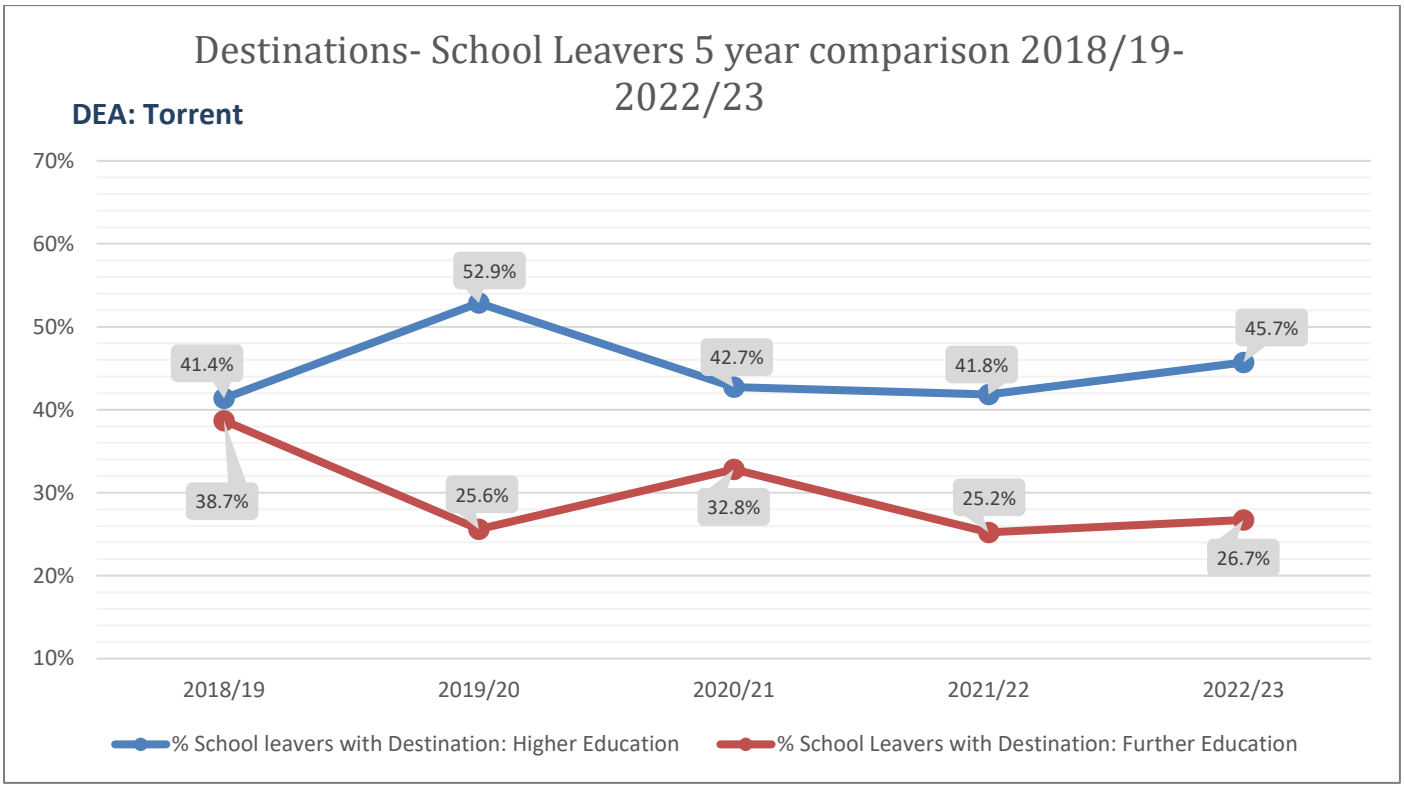
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Torrent DEA

Chart 51: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

[Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



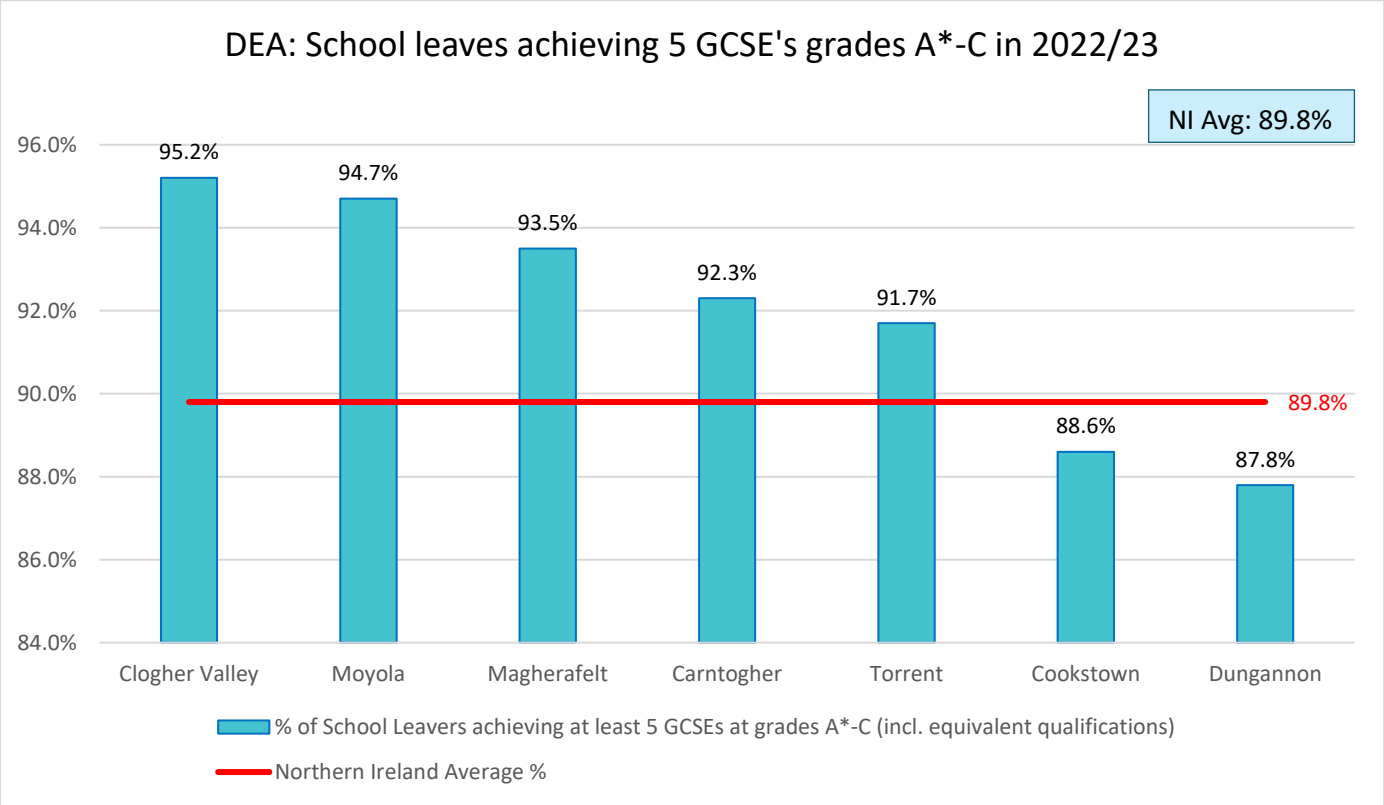
3.4.1 School Leavers Education Attainment Mid Ulster 2022/23 by DEA

Table 15: Education attainment by DEA 2022/23

DEA 2022/23	School Leavers	% of School Leavers achieving at least 5 GCSEs at grades A*-C (incl. equivalent qualifications)	% of School Leavers achieving at least 5 GCSEs at grades A*-C (incl. equivalent qualifications) including GCSE English and maths	% of School Leavers achieving at least 2 A-levels at grades A*-E (incl. equivalent qualifications)
Dungannon	362	87.8%	71.5%	49.4%
Cookstown	317	88.6%	75.7%	50.8%
Northern Ireland	**23,073**	**89.8%**	**76.1%**	**56.2%**
Magherafelt	248	93.5%	80.2%	59.3%
Torrent	337	91.7%	82.2%	59.9%
Moyola	247	94.7%	82.6%	62.8%
Clogher Valley	292	95.2%	83.9%	55.8%
Carntogher	209	92.3%	86.1%	67.9%

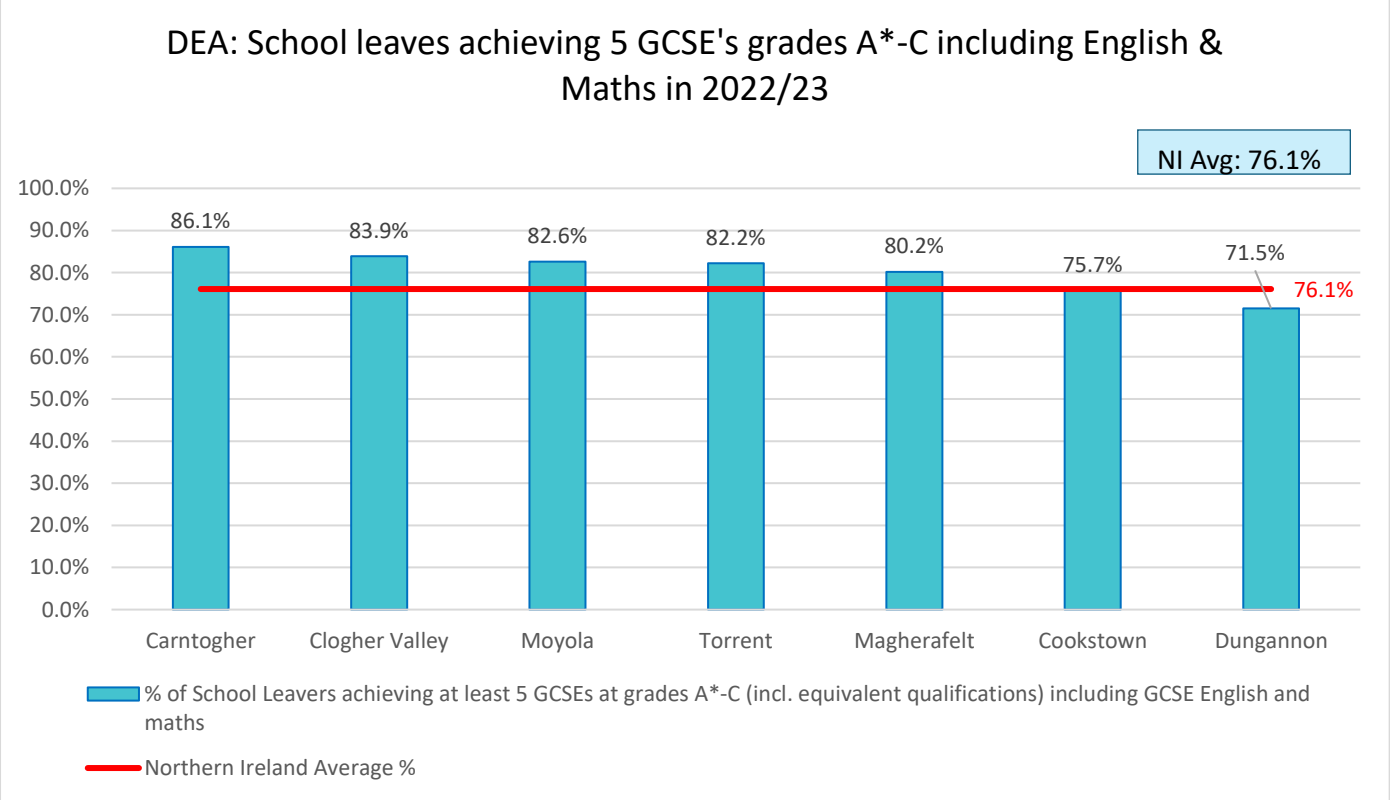
Source: DE- (pupil address)

Chart 52: School leavers achieving 5 GCSEs at grades A*-C by DEA 2022/23



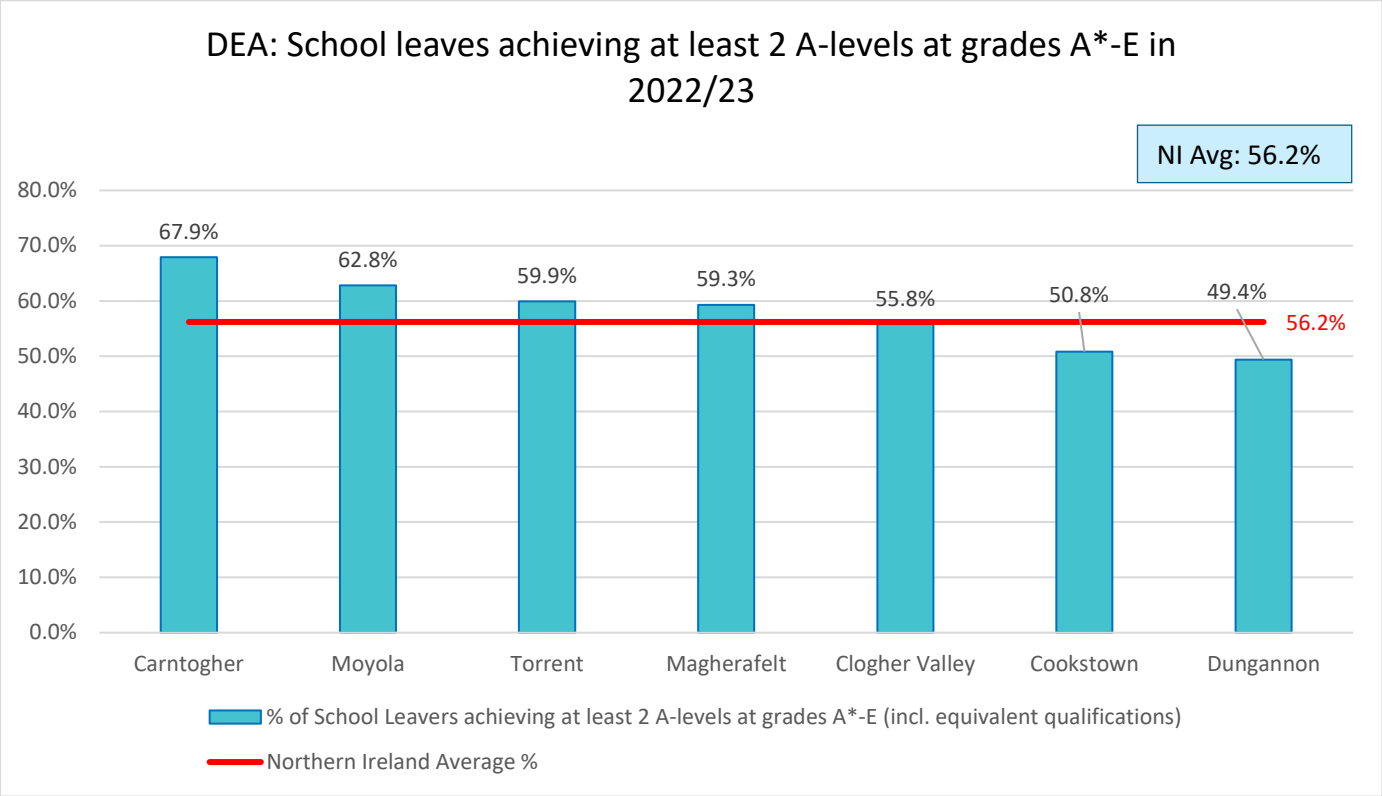
Source: DE- (pupil address)

Chart 53: School leavers achieving 5 GCSEs at grades A*-C including English and Maths by DEA 2022/23



Source: DE- (pupil address)

Chart 54: School leavers achieving at least 2 A-levels at grades A*-E by DEA 2022/23

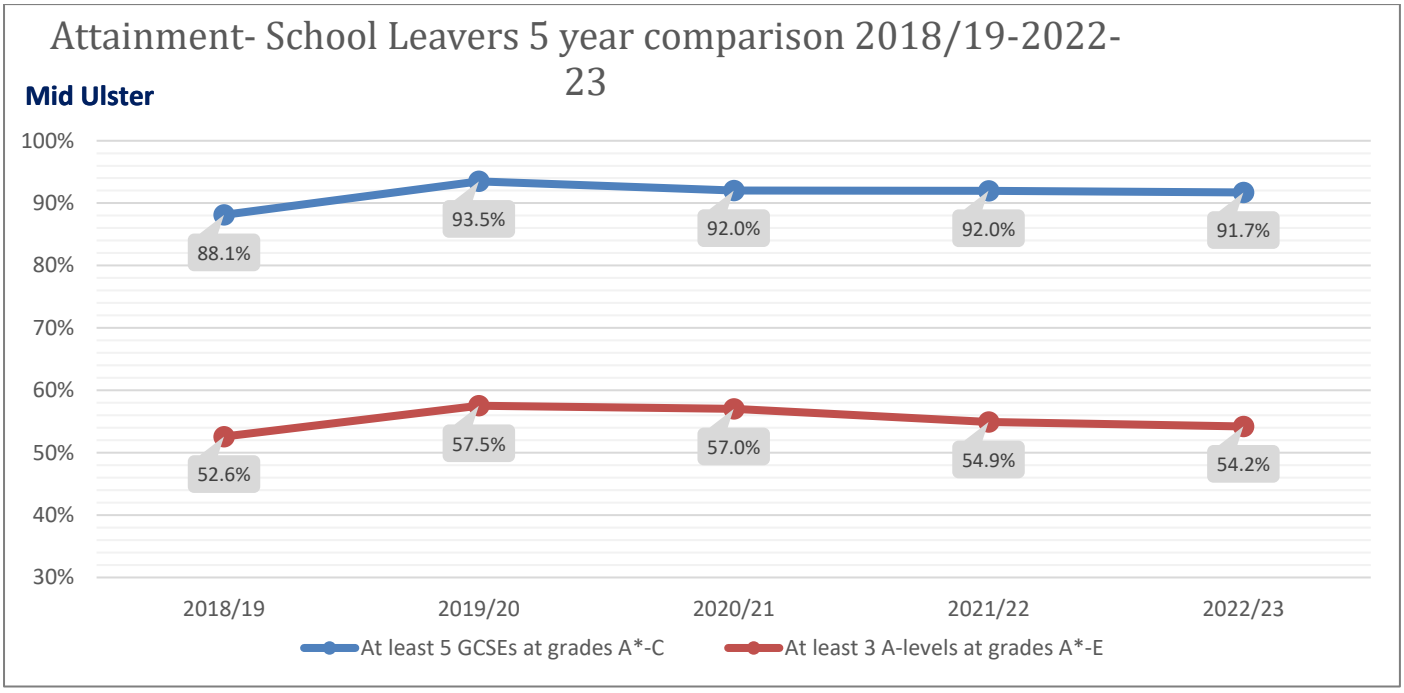


Source: DE- (pupil address)

3.4.2 School leavers' Educational attainment 5 year comparison 2018/19-2022/23

Chart 55: Percentage attainment rates at GCSE and A- Level over 5 years, Mid Ulster)

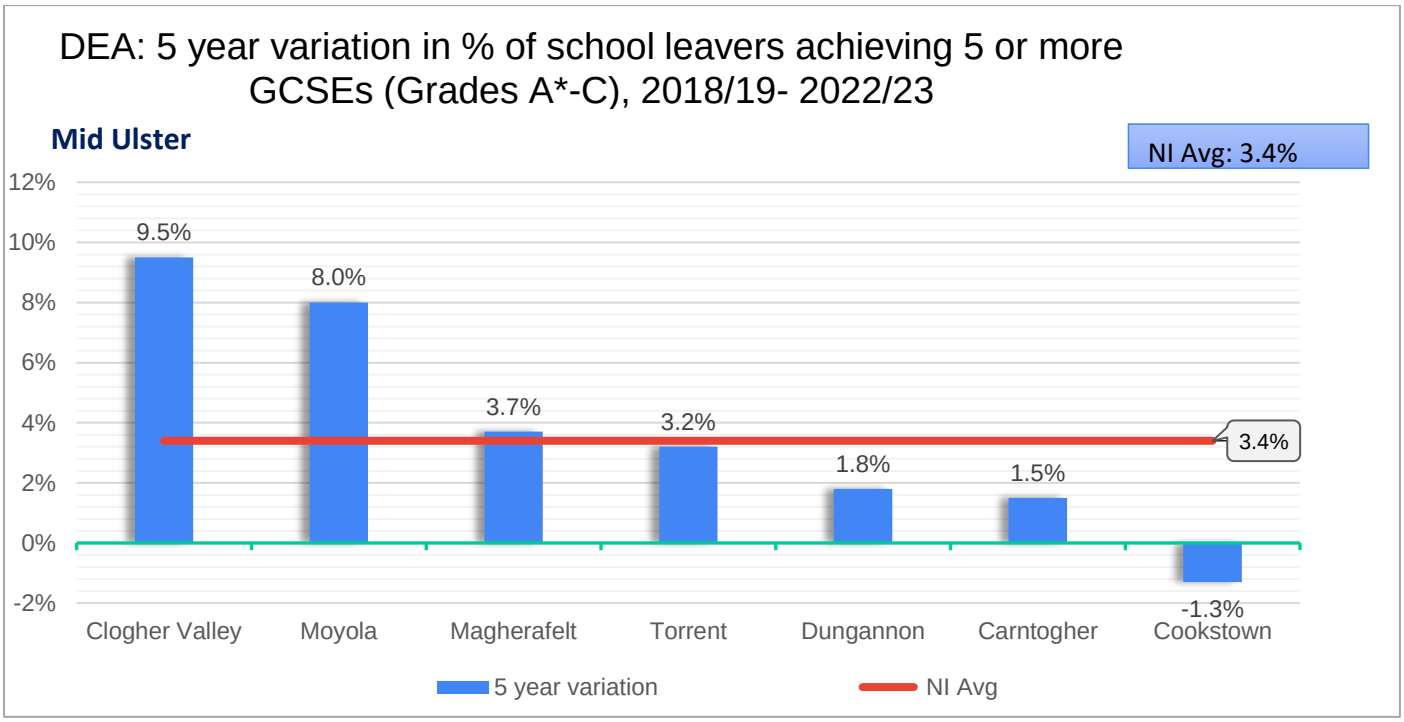
[Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



3.4.3 School leavers' Educational attainment 5 year comparison 2018-19-2022-23, by DEA

Chart 56: Percentage variation over 5 years of school leavers attaining 5 or more GCSEs, By DEAs in Mid Ulster

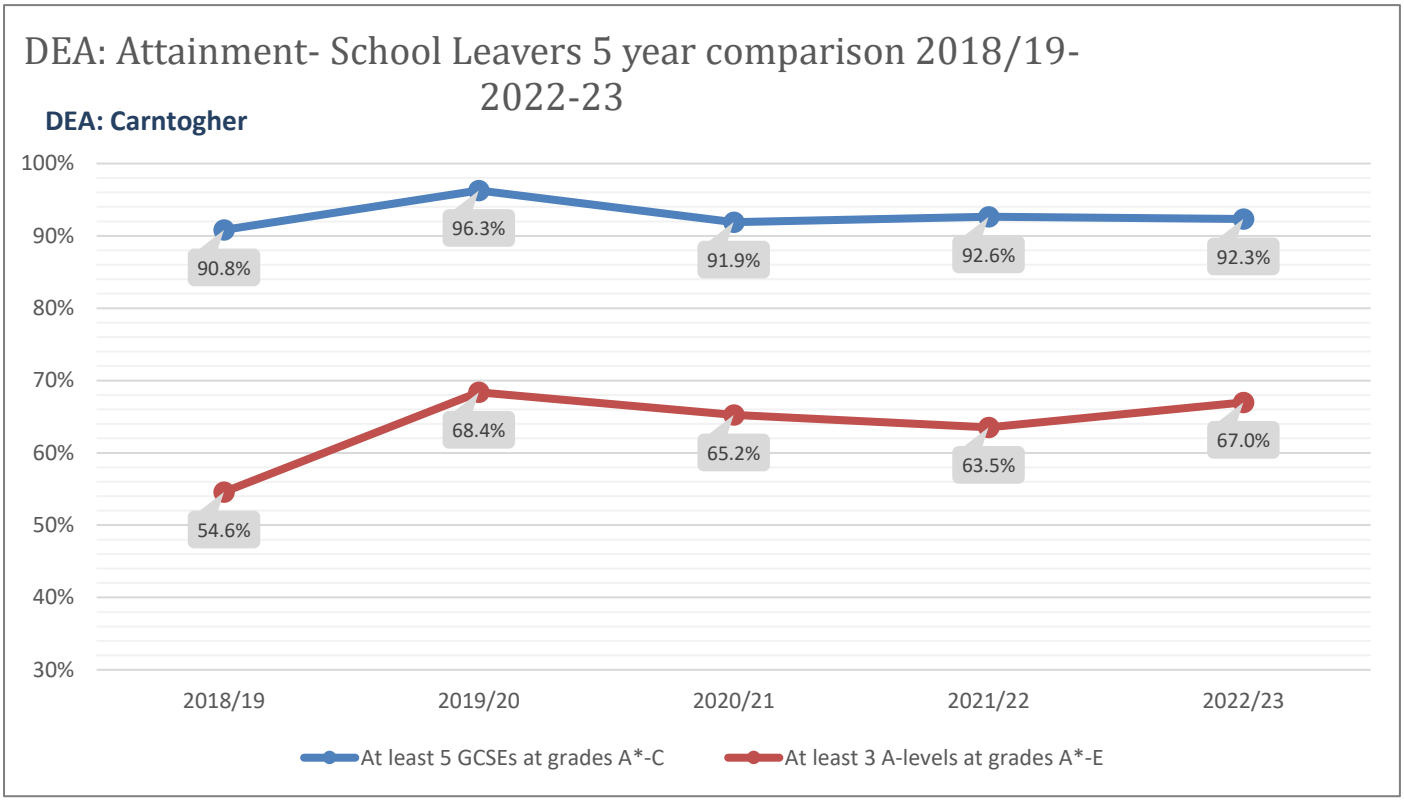
[Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



Carntogher DEA

Chart 57: Percentage variation over 5 years of school leavers attaining 5 or more GCSEs and at least 3 A-levels.

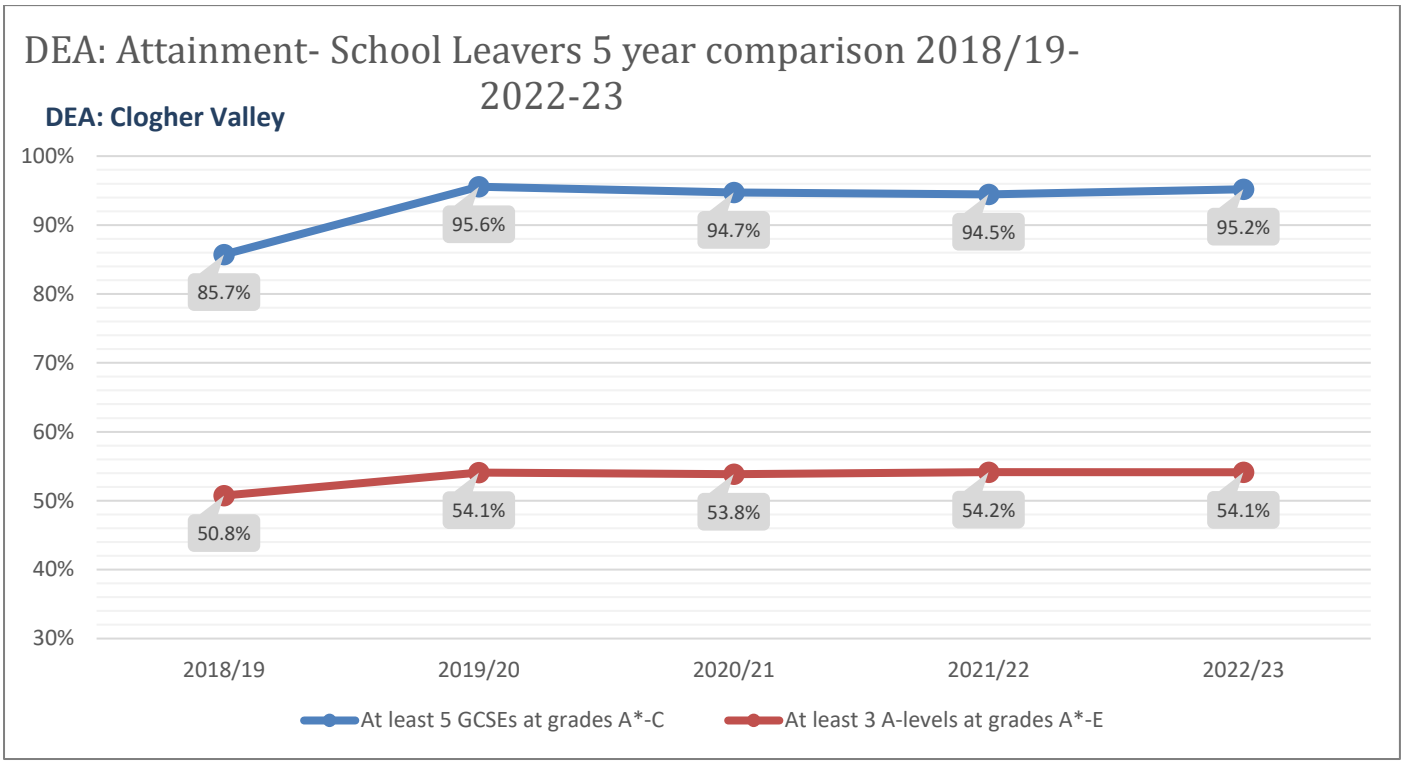
[Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



Clogher Valley DEA

Chart 58: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

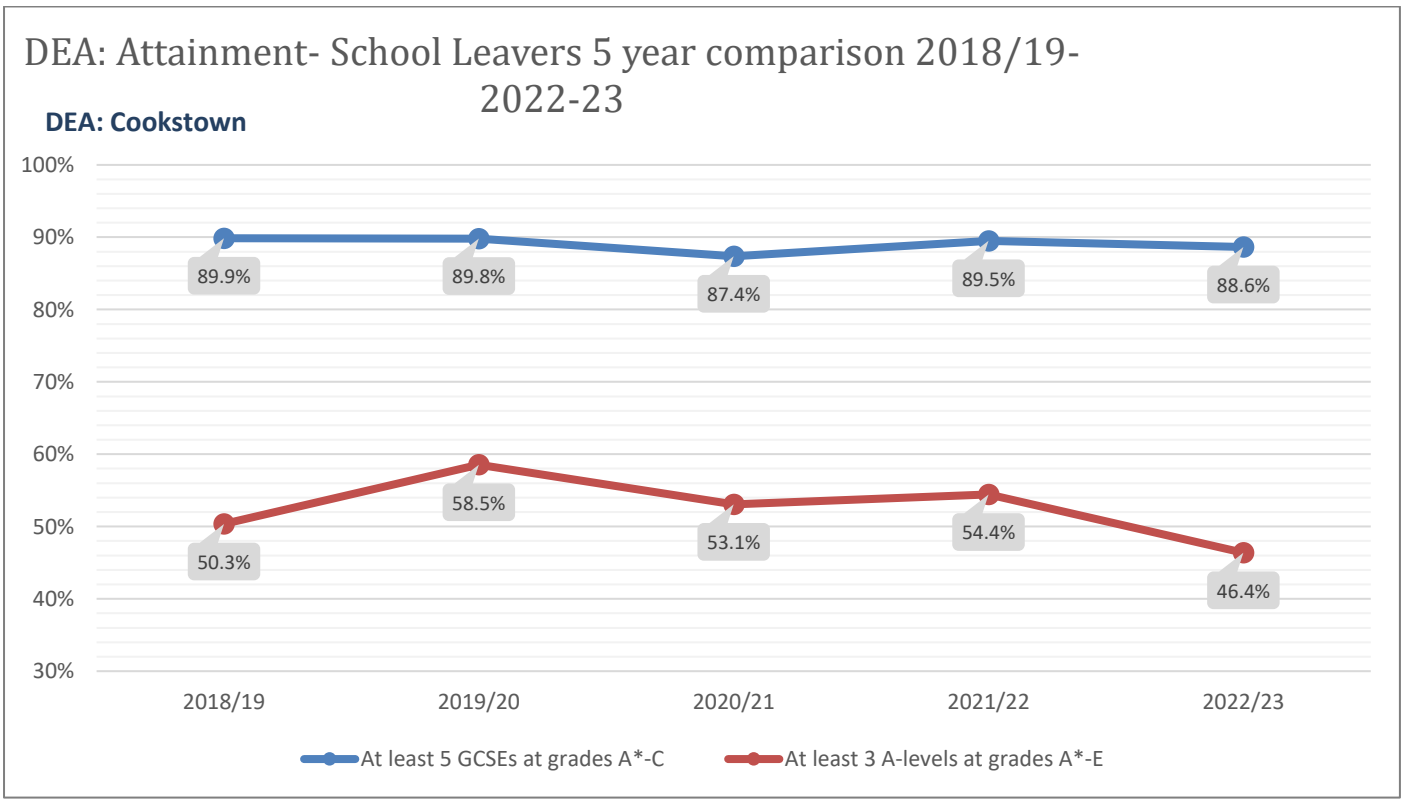
[Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



Cookstown DEA

Chart 59: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

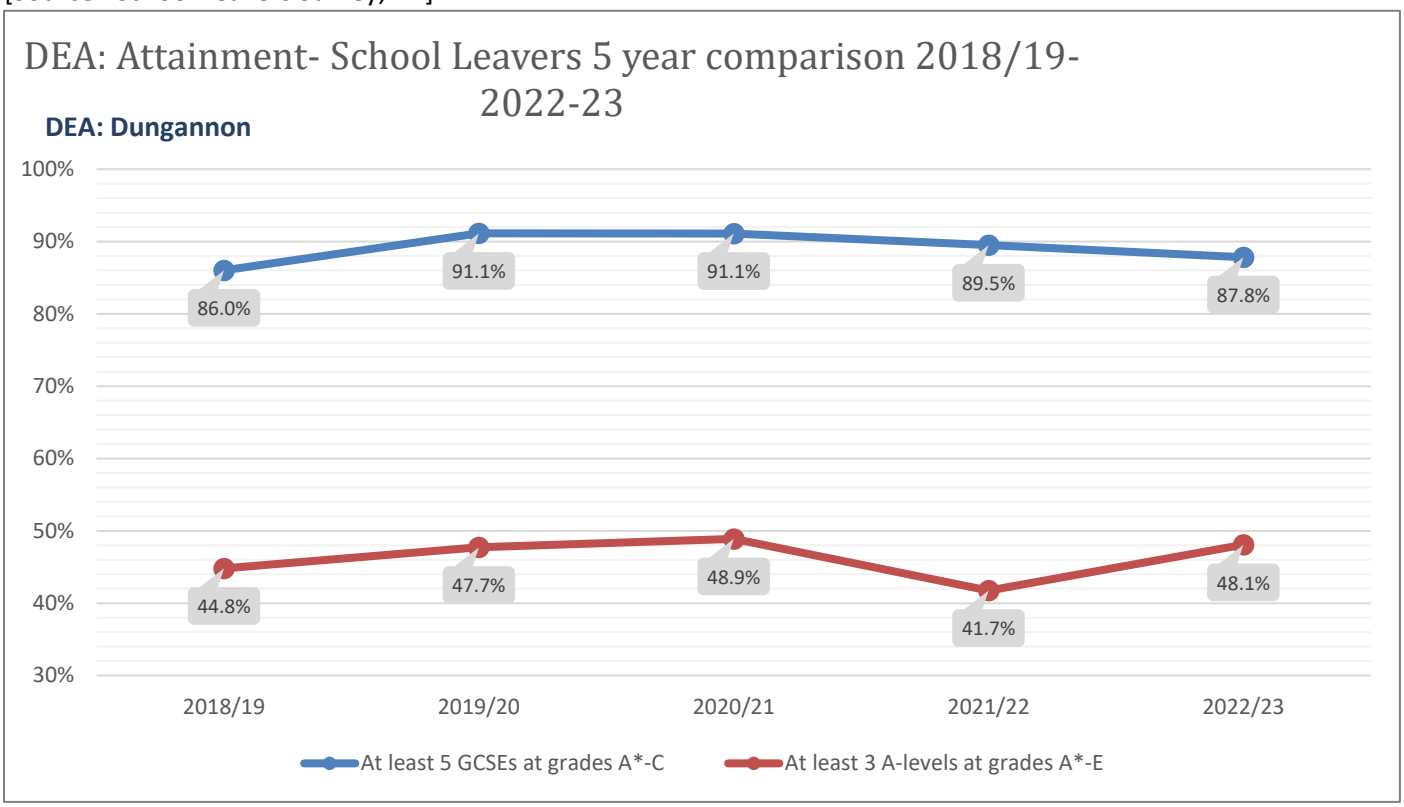
[Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



Dungannon DEA

Chart 60: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

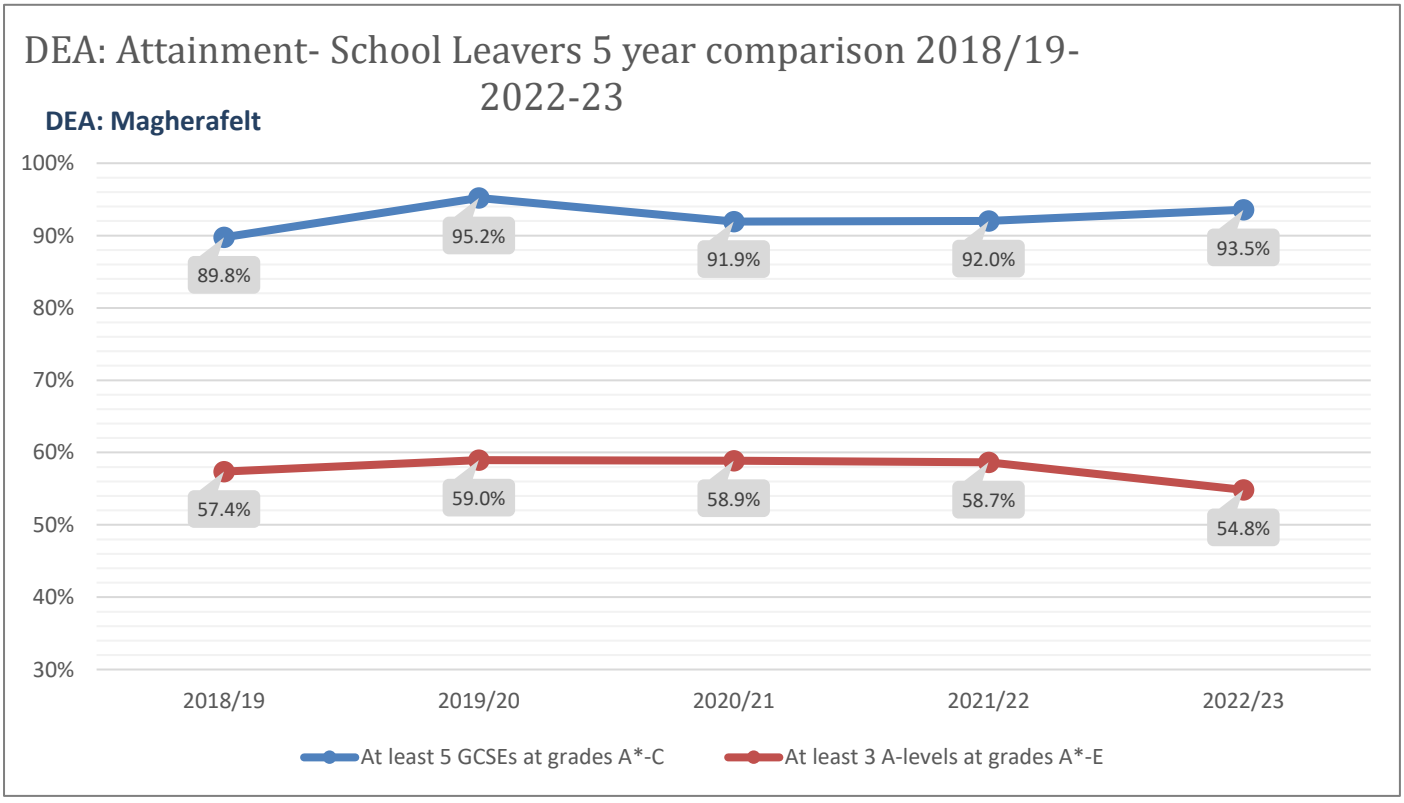
[Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



Magherafelt DEA

Chart 61: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

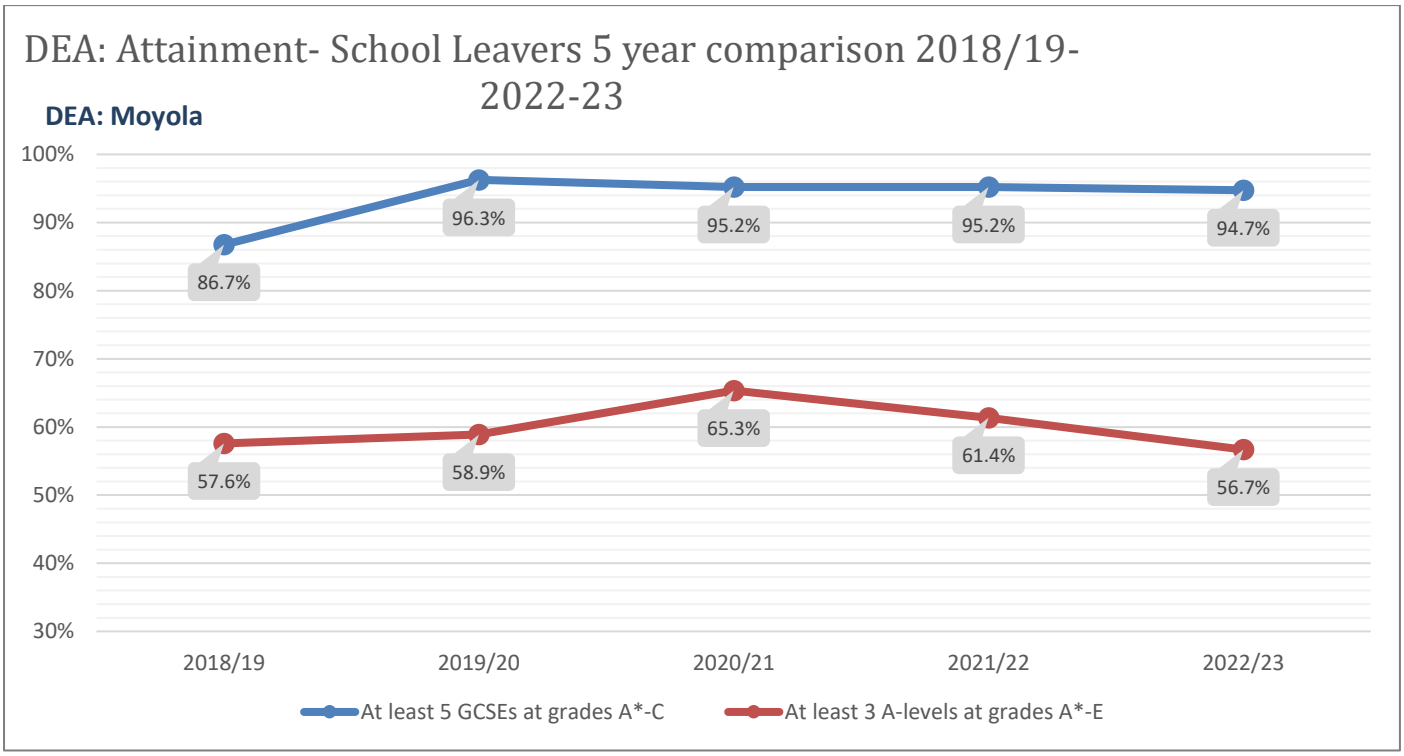
[Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



Moyola DEA

Chart 62: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

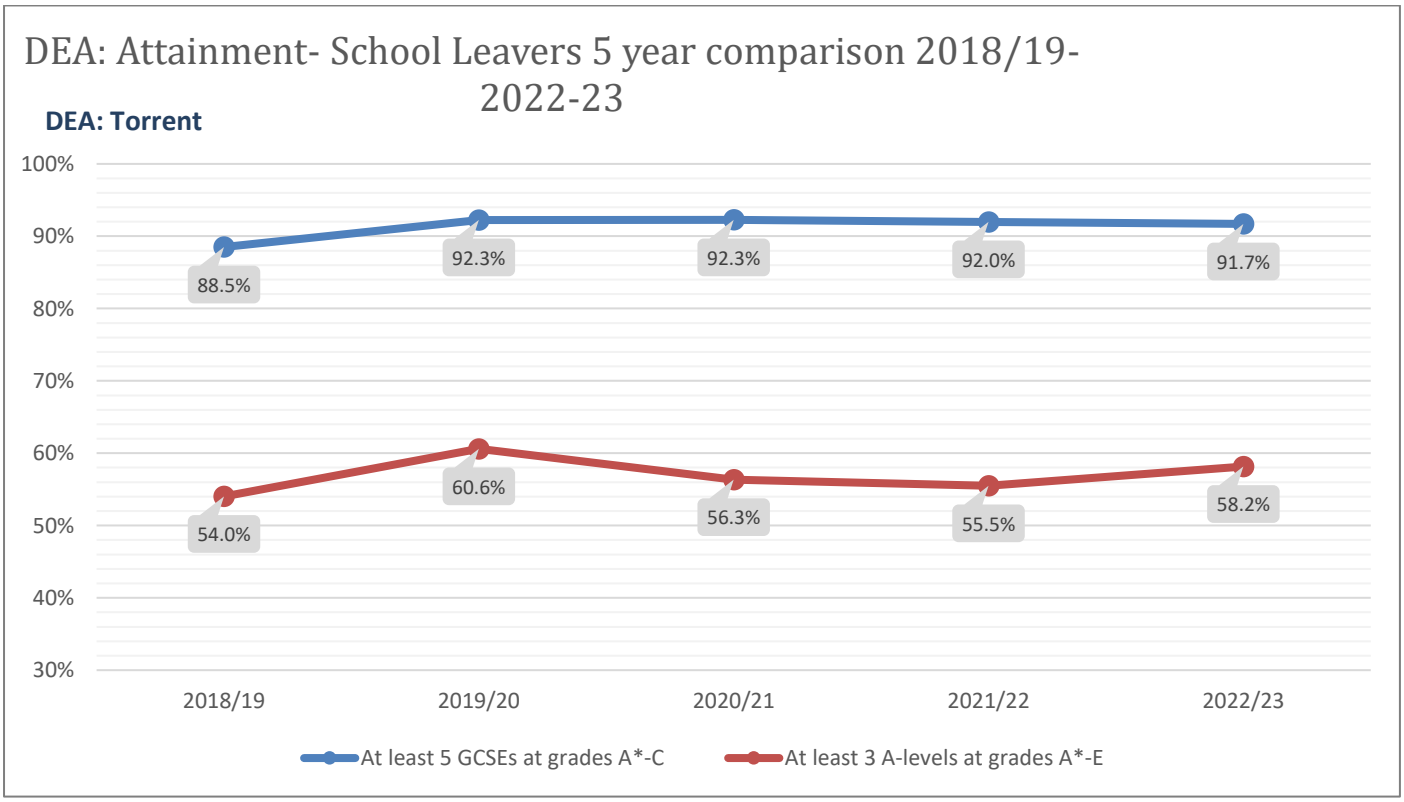
[Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



Torrent DEA

Chart 63: Percentage progression rates of school leavers to Further and Higher Education over 5 years

[Source: School Leavers Survey, DE]



3.5 DEA Primary School Education Data 2023/24 – (Enrolment, FSME, SEN, Newcomers)

School census data averages

Northern Ireland school census data averages	
NI Average FSME %	28%
Newcomers	5%
% Pupils with a Statement of SEN (all school types)	7%
% Pupils with a Statement of SEN in primary schools	5%
% Pupils SEN Stage (1-2)	12%
% Pupils SEN Stage (1-3)	19%

Carntogher DEA

Table 16: Carntogher DEA Primary Schools data (Enrolment, FSME, SEN, Newcomers)

School name	Total Enrolment	Free School Meals Entitled %	Pupils with statement of SEN %	Pupils at Stage 1 - 2 of SEN %	Pupils with SEN Stage 1-3 %	% of Pupils Newcomers
Maghera Primary School	67	31.3%	16.4%	11.9%	28.4%	0.0%
St Mary's Primary School, Glenview	274	30.7%	14.2%	5.5%	19.7%	11.7%
Crossroads Primary School, Kilrea	108	18.5%	4.6%	17.6%	22.2%	0.9%
Ampertaine Primary School, Maghera	120	15.0%	3.3%	10.0%	13.3%	0.0%
St Brigid's Primary School, Tirkane	263	13.7%	1.9%	4.6%	6.5%	0.0%
St Mary's Primary School, Greenlough	160	12.5%	0.6%	1.9%	2.5%	7.5%
St Brigid's Primary School, Knockloughrim	263	12.2%	10.6%	11.4%	22.1%	0.0%
St Eoghan's Primary School, Magherafelt	131	11.5%	3.8%	6.9%	10.7%	0.0%
St John's Primary School, Swatragh	225	9.3%	4.0%	15.1%	19.1%	0.0%
St Patrick's Primary School, Maghera	171	4.7%	4.1%	10.5%	14.6%	0.0%

Source: DE school censes 2023/24

Clogher Valley DEA

Table 17: Clogher Valley DEA Primary Schools data (Enrolment, FSME, SEN, Newcomers)

School name	Total Enrolment	Free School Meals Entitled %	Pupils with statement of SEN %	Pupils at Stage 1 - 2 of SEN %	Pupils with SEN Stage 1-3 %	% of Pupils Newcomers
St Mary's Primary School, Fivemiletown	49	26.5%	0.0%	8.2%	8.2%	8.2%
St Joseph's Primary School, Caledon	29	24.1%	6.9%	17.2%	24.1%	10.3%
Churchill Primary School, Caledon	102	20.6%	3.9%	6.9%	10.8%	0.0%
Blessed Patrick O'Loughran Primary School, Dungannon	109	19.3%	2.8%	19.3%	22.0%	7.3%
Derrylatinee Primary School, Dungannon	101	18.8%	4.0%	3.0%	6.9%	3.0%
St MacCartan's Convent Primary School	124	18.5%	3.2%	12.9%	16.1%	4.8%
Augher Central Primary School	74	17.6%	8.1%	17.6%	25.7%	1.4%
St Mary's Primary School, Cabragh	216	16.7%	3.2%	4.6%	7.9%	4.6%
Aughnacloy Primary School	163	16.0%	3.1%	10.4%	13.5%	0.0%
Walker Memorial Primary School, Dungannon	63	15.9%	1.6%	6.3%	7.9%	6.3%
St Mary's Primary School, Aughnacloy	112	14.3%	8.0%	10.7%	18.8%	26.8%
Fivemiletown Primary School	213	13.1%	6.6%	11.7%	18.3%	9.4%
Carntall Primary School, Clogher	92	13.0%	3.3%	13.0%	16.3%	0.0%
St Mary's Primary School, Ballygawley	138	11.6%	2.9%	4.3%	7.2%	6.5%
St Patrick's Primary School, Aughadarragh	86	7.0%	9.3%	4.7%	14.0%	0.0%
Richmond Primary School	115	6.1%	2.6%	7.8%	10.4%	0.0%
Roan St Patrick's Primary School, Eglish	179	5.6%	4.5%	4.5%	8.9%	4.5%
St Malachy's Primary School, Glencull	110	0.0%	4.5%	6.4%	10.9%	0.0%

Source: DE school censes 2023/24

Cookstown DEA

Table 18: Cookstown DEA Primary Schools data (Enrolment, FSME, SEN, Newcomers)

School name	Total Enrolment	Free School Meals Entitled %	Pupils with statement of SEN %	Pupils at Stage 1 - 2 of SEN %	Pupils with SEN Stage 1-3 %	% of Pupils Newcomers
Phoenix Integrated Primary School NU, Cookstown	221	35.3%	4.1%	17.2%	21.3%	10.0%
St Malachy's Primary School, Drummullan	51	29.4%	7.8%	17.6%	25.5%	0.0%
St Mary's Primary School, Pomeroy	189	28.6%	10.1%	15.3%	25.4%	9.5%
Gaelscoil Eoghain	134	28.4%	1.5%	19.4%	20.9%	2.2%
Cookstown Primary School	474	28.1%	11.2%	15.6%	26.8%	25.5%
Holy Trinity Primary School, Cookstown	694	27.2%	10.4%	8.8%	19.2%	30.8%
St Joseph's Primary School, Killeenan	88	26.1%	2.3%	11.4%	13.6%	0.0%
St Mary's Primary School, Dunamore	180	23.9%	2.2%	10.0%	12.2%	0.0%
Derrychrin Primary School, Cookstown	164	17.7%	4.9%	4.3%	9.1%	0.0%
Sacred Heart Primary School, Dungannon	121	16.5%	2.5%	9.9%	12.4%	0.0%
Coagh Primary School	118	15.3%	3.4%	14.4%	17.8%	5.9%
Orritor Primary School, Cookstown	222	9.5%	5.0%	6.3%	11.3%	0.0%
Queen Elizabeth II Primary School, Pomeroy	45	4.4%	4.4%	8.9%	13.3%	0.0%

Source: DE school censes 2023/24

Dungannon DEA

Table 19: Dungannon DEA Primary Schools data (Enrolment, FSME, SEN, Newcomers)

School name	Total Enrolment	Free School Meals Entitled %	Pupils with statement of SEN %	Pupils at Stage 1 - 2 of SEN %	Pupils with SEN Stage 1-3 %	% of Pupils Newcomers
Windmill Integrated Primary School, Dungannon	245	37.1%	4.9%	20.8%	25.7%	26.1%
Dungannon Primary School	320	30.0%	15.9%	6.6%	22.5%	73.1%
Howard Primary School, Dungannon	323	24.5%	2.8%	9.9%	12.7%	27.9%

Gaelscoil Aodha Rua, Dungannon	135	23.0%	0.0%	11.1%	11.1%	0.0%
St Patrick's Primary School, Annaghmore	196	21.4%	11.2%	15.3%	26.5%	5.6%
St Patrick's Primary School, Dungannon	888	19.9%	7.0%	17.7%	24.7%	87.0%
Laghey Primary School, Dungannon	91	19.8%	4.4%	16.5%	20.9%	29.7%
Bush Primary School, Dungannon	205	11.7%	3.4%	6.8%	10.2%	24.9%
Moy Regional Primary School	69	10.1%	1.4%	13.0%	14.5%	31.9%
Killyman Primary School, Dungannon	185	8.6%	1.1%	14.1%	15.1%	2.7%
St John's Primary School, Moy	205	8.3%	2.4%	2.9%	5.4%	13.7%

Source: DE school censes 2023/24

Magherafelt DEA

Table 20: Magherafelt DEA Primary Schools data (Enrolment, FSME, SEN, Newcomers)

School name	Total Enrolment	Free School Meals Entitled %	Pupils with statement of SEN %	Pupils at Stage 1 - 2 of SEN %	Pupils with SEN Stage 1-3 %	% of Pupils Newcomers
Magherafelt Primary School	240	26.3%	4.6%	7.5%	12.1%	12.1%
St Patrick's Primary School, Moneymore	97	22.7%	5.2%	13.4%	18.6%	24.7%
Lissan Primary School, Cookstown	130	21.5%	6.2%	7.7%	13.8%	0.0%
Gaelscoil an tSeanchai, Magherafelt	128	20.3%	1.6%	17.2%	18.8%	3.9%
Holy Family Primary School, Magherafelt	568	19.4%	3.3%	11.3%	14.6%	24.8%
Spires Integrated Primary School, Magherafelt	210	18.1%	4.8%	15.2%	20.0%	1.0%
Churchtown Primary School, Killybasky	50	16.0%	6.0%	18.0%	24.0%	0.0%
Moneymore Primary School	241	14.5%	5.4%	9.1%	14.5%	3.7%
Ballylifford Primary School, Coagh	77	14.3%	2.6%	6.5%	9.1%	0.0%
Woods Primary School, Magherafelt	182	12.1%	4.4%	5.5%	9.9%	1.1%
St Columb's Primary School, Desertmartin	77	11.7%	3.9%	10.4%	14.3%	0.0%
St Patrick's Primary School, Loup	158	11.4%	0.6%	11.4%	12.0%	0.0%

Source: DE school censes 2023/24

Moyola DEA

Table 21: Moyola DEA Primary Schools data (Enrolment, FSME, SEN, Newcomers)

School name	Total Enrolment	Free School Meals Entitled %	Pupils with statement of SEN %	Pupils at Stage 1 - 2 of SEN %	Pupils with SEN Stage 1-3 %	% of Pupils Newcomers
St Mary's Primary School, Draperstown	177	22.6%	5.6%	18.6%	24.3%	11.9%
Castledawson Primary School	139	22.3%	3.6%	19.4%	23.0%	0.7%
St Mary's Primary School, Bellaghy	208	20.2%	2.4%	19.2%	21.6%	0.0%
St Trea's Primary School, Magherafelt	106	19.8%	5.7%	19.8%	25.5%	5.7%
Gaelscoil Na Speirini, Draperstown	79	19.0%	7.6%	8.9%	16.5%	0.0%
Knocknagin Primary School, Dessertmartin	74	18.9%	8.1%	4.1%	12.2%	0.0%
Bellaghy Primary School	48	18.8%	2.1%	14.6%	16.7%	0.0%
New Row Primary School, Castledawson	198	16.7%	6.1%	12.6%	18.7%	6.1%
Tobermore Primary School, Tobermore	79	13.9%	7.6%	7.6%	15.2%	0.0%
Knockloughrim Primary School, Magherafelt	126	13.5%	7.9%	23.8%	31.7%	0.0%
Anahorish Primary School, Toomebridge	186	11.3%	5.9%	7.0%	12.9%	0.0%
St Columba's Primary School, Straw	145	10.3%	3.4%	6.2%	9.7%	0.0%
St John Bosco Primary School, Ballynease	107	10.3%	2.8%	7.5%	10.3%	1.9%
St Mary's Primary School, Draperstown	177	22.6%	5.6%	18.6%	24.3%	11.9%

Source: DE school censes 2023/24

Torrent DEA

Table 22: Torrent DEA Primary Schools data (Enrolment, FSME, SEN, Newcomers)

School name	Total Enrolment	Free School Meals Entitled %	Pupils with statement of SEN %	Pupils at Stage 1 - 2 of SEN %	Pupils with SEN Stage 1-3 %	% of Pupils Newcomers
Gaelscoil Ui Neill , Dungannon	130	43.8%	1.5%	12.3%	13.8%	3.8%
Primate Dixon Primary School	596	38.6%	10.9%	15.1%	26.0%	23.7%
St Mary's Primary School, Lisbuoy	77	35.1%	6.5%	10.4%	16.9%	9.1%
St Mary's Primary School, Stewartstown	92	34.8%	5.4%	7.6%	13.0%	2.2%
St Peter's Primary School, Moortown	162	30.2%	6.8%	6.8%	13.6%	0.0%
Holy Family Primary School, Aughamullan	66	25.8%	9.1%	15.2%	24.2%	6.1%
St Brigid's Primary School, Mountjoy	121	24.0%	5.8%	20.7%	26.4%	3.3%
Edendork Primary School, Dungannon	284	20.4%	2.1%	12.0%	14.1%	9.2%
Stewartstown Primary School	57	17.5%	1.8%	7.0%	8.8%	3.5%
St Patrick's Primary School, Donaghmore	219	17.4%	4.1%	5.0%	9.1%	5.5%
Ballytrea Primary School, Stewartstown	52	17.3%	0.0%	15.4%	15.4%	0.0%
St John's Primary School, Kingsisland	221	17.2%	2.7%	14.5%	17.2%	3.6%
St Patrick's Primary School, Mullinahoe	229	16.2%	3.9%	11.4%	15.3%	3.1%
Donaghey Primary School, Dungannon	105	13.3%	1.0%	5.7%	6.7%	0.0%
Newmills Primary School	108	10.2%	1.9%	3.7%	5.6%	2.8%
St Joseph's Primary School, Galbally	216	9.3%	2.8%	3.2%	6.0%	1.4%
Donaghmore Primary School, Dungannon	75	2.7%	4.0%	5.3%	9.3%	2.7%

Source: DE school censes 2023/24

3.6 DEA Post Primary School Education Data 2023/24 – (Enrolment, FSME, SEN, Newcomers)

Table 23: Mid Ulster Post Primary schools' data (Enrolment, FSME, SEN, Newcomers)

School name	DEA	Total pupils	Free School Meals Entitled %	Pupils with Statement of SEN %	Pupils at Stage 1 - 2 of SEN %	Pupils with SEN Stage 1-3 %	% of Pupils Newcomers
St Joseph's College, Coalisland	Torrent	477	34.0%	21.0%	17.6%	38.6%	11.5%
Holy Trinity College, Cookstown	Cookstown	969	31.1%	5.5%	16.4%	21.9%	11.7%
Integrated College Dungannon	Dungannon	732	26.8%	7.8%	19.9%	27.7%	25.5%
Magherafelt High School	Magherafelt	632	26.3%	8.9%	15.7%	24.5%	2.5%
St Patrick's College, Dungannon	Dungannon	815	26.0%	4.7%	25.2%	29.8%	52.5%
Fivemiletown College	Clogher Valley	422	25.4%	11.4%	5.0%	16.4%	1.2%
Sperrin Integrated College, Magherafelt	Moyola	667	25.2%	5.1%	13.2%	18.3%	2.8%
St Conor's College, Kilrea-Clady	Carntogher	565	25.1%	6.5%	9.4%	15.9%	1.8%
Cookstown High School	Cookstown	885	23.4%	6.4%	10.1%	16.5%	4.4%
St Pius X College, Magherafelt	Magherafelt	1,096	23.1%	6.9%	13.3%	20.3%	3.5%
Drumglass High School, Dungannon	Dungannon	368	21.2%	11.1%	18.2%	29.3%	13.0%
Aughnacloy College	Clogher Valley	208	20.2%	7.7%	11.5%	19.2%	0.0%
St Ciaran's College	Clogher Valley	857	19.1%	5.8%	7.1%	13.0%	4.1%
St Colm's High School, Draperstown	Moyola	475	16.4%	8.0%	12.6%	20.6%	3.6%
St Joseph's Grammar School	Torrent	914	16.1%	2.1%	9.8%	11.9%	2.7%
St Patrick's College, Maghera	Carntogher	1,383	14.3%	6.0%	6.7%	12.7%	0.0%
Rainey Endowed Grammar	Magherafelt	767	9.1%	2.6%	4.8%	7.4%	1.7%
St Patrick's Academy, Dungannon	Dungannon	1,443	8.0%	1.0%	2.2%	3.2%	0.1%
The Royal School, Dungannon	Dungannon	674	7.7%	1.3%	5.8%	7.1%	1.8%

St Mary's Grammar, Magherafelt	Magherafelt	1,116	6.9%	1.3%	3.3%	4.7%	0.0%

Source: DE school censes 2023/24

3.7 Highest level of qualification

Level 1: 1 to 4 GCSEs, O levels, CSEs (any grades); 1 AS Level; NVQ level 1; or equivalent
Level 2: 5 or more GCSEs (A*-C or 9-4), O levels (passes) CSEs (grade 1); 1 A level, 2-3 AS Levels; NVQ level 2, BTEC General, City and Guilds Craft; or equivalent
Level 3: 2 or more A Levels, 4 or more AS Levels; NVQ Level 3, BTEC National, OND, ONC, City and Guilds Advanced Craft; or equivalent
Level 4 and above: Degree (BA, BSc), foundation degree, NVQ Level 4 and above, HND, HNC, professional qualifications (teaching or nursing, for example), or equivalent
Other: Apprenticeships; other qualifications, equivalent unknown

Chart 64: Counts and percentages of the population age 16-24 in Mid Ulster by their highest level of qualification.

[Source: Census 2021]

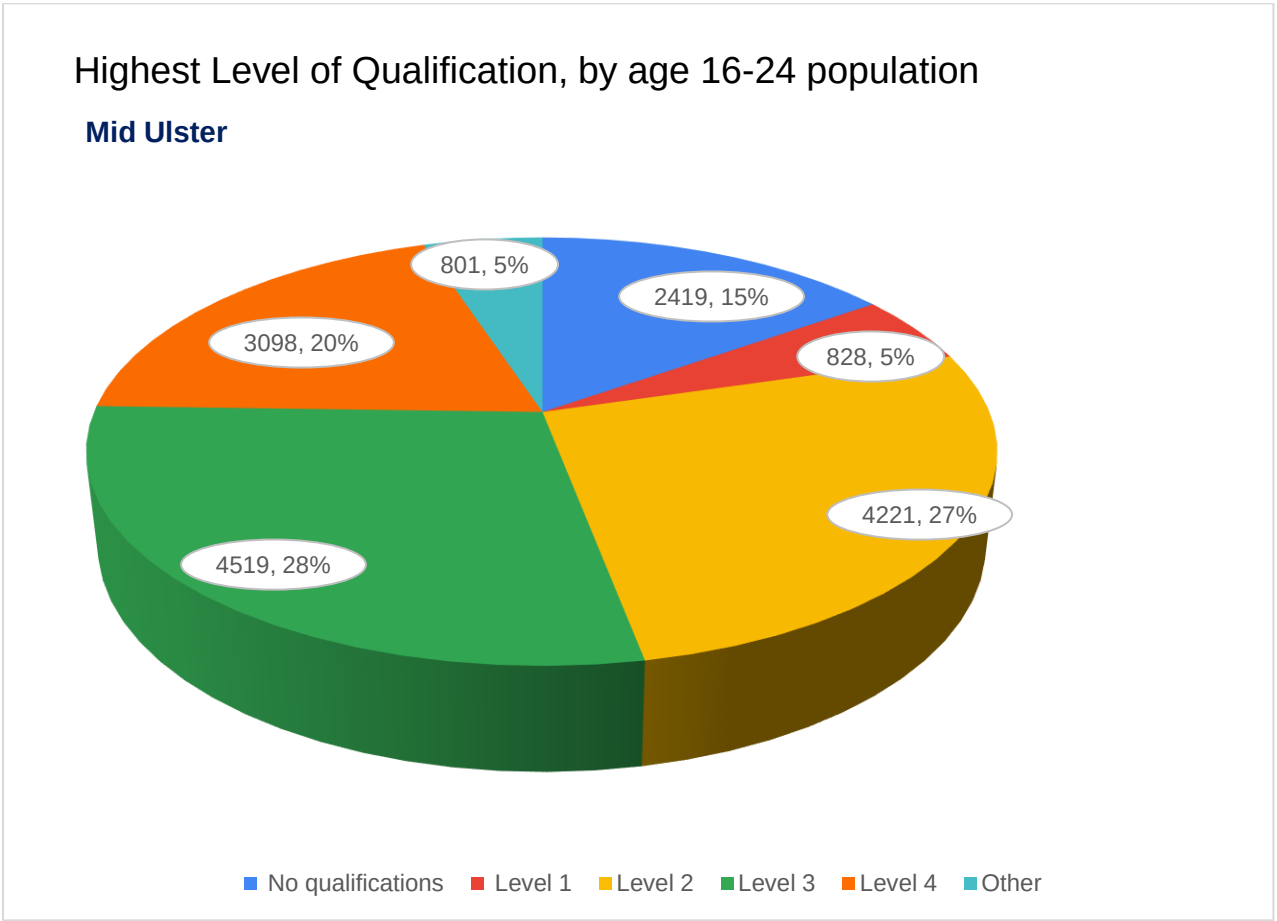


Chart 65: Counts (and percentage representation) of the population age 16-24 in Mid Ulster by highest level of qualification, by DEA.

[Source: Census 2021]

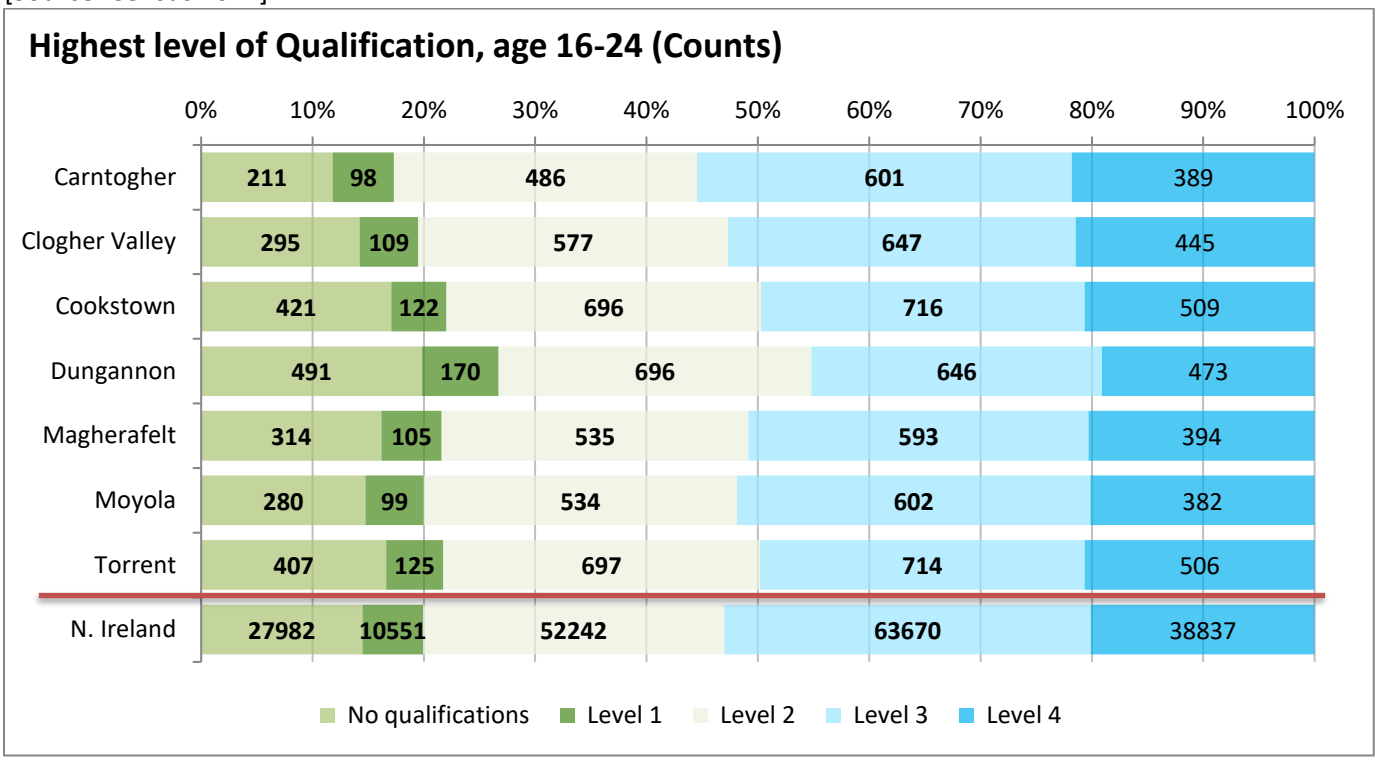
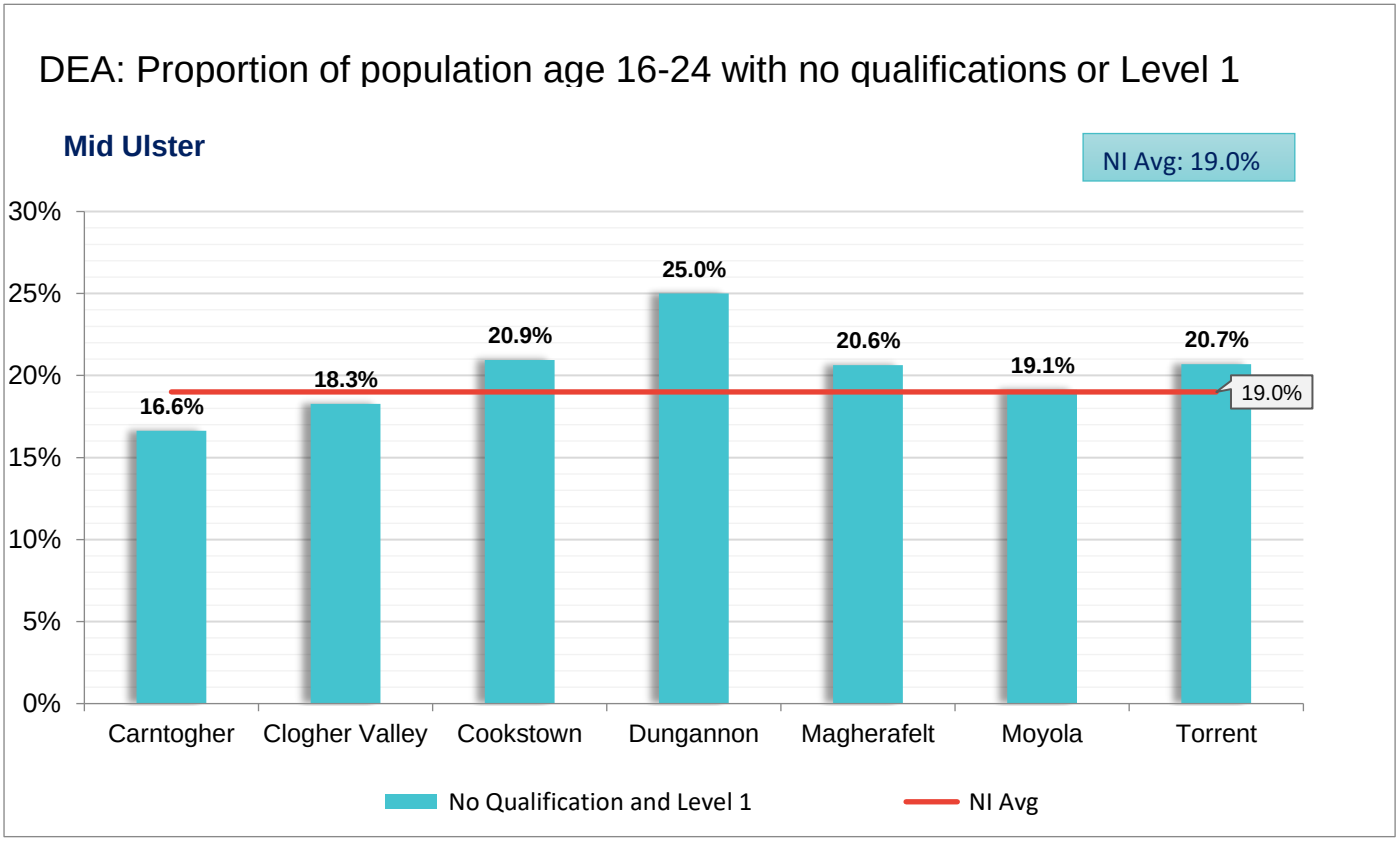


Chart 66: Low levels of qualification showing percentages of the population age 16-24 who have either no qualifications or a maximum of level 1, by DEA.

[Source: Census 2021]



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Table 24: Population counts and percentages of the population age 16-24 in Mid Ulster who are educational qualifications levels as their highest level, by DEA. Red text indicated a value among the top 20% in Northern Ireland.

[Source: Census 2021]

Age 16-24 by Qualifications (Highest Level), DEAs in Mid Ulster							
District Electoral Area	**Population age 16-24**	**No qualifications**	**Level 1: Percent**	**Level 2: percent**	**Level 3: Percent**	**Level 4 and above: Percent**	**Other: Percent**
Carntogher	1,858	11.4%	5.3%	26.2%	32.3%	20.9%	3.9%
Clogher Valley	2,210	13.3%	4.9%	26.1%	29.3%	20.1%	6.2%
Cookstown	2,592	16.2%	4.7%	26.9%	27.6%	19.6%	4.9%
Dungannon	2,643	18.6%	6.4%	26.3%	24.4%	17.9%	6.3%
Magherafelt	2,030	15.5%	5.2%	26.4%	29.2%	19.4%	4.4%
Moyola	1,982	14.1%	5.0%	26.9%	30.4%	19.3%	4.3%
Torrent	2,571	15.8%	4.9%	27.1%	27.8%	19.7%	4.7%
NI Average	**201,365**	**13.9%**	**5.2%**	**25.9%**	**31.6%**	**19.3%**	**4.0%**

3.8 Young people not in employment and with no qualifications aged 20-24years old

Table 25: Young people aged 20-24 years old in employment with and without qualifications and the number of young people aged 20-24 years old not in employment with or without qualifications by DEA.

District Electoral Area	% In employment (including full-time students) with No qualifications	% In employment (including full-time students) Has qualifications	% Not in employment No qualifications	% Not in employment Has qualifications	% Total In employment (including full-time students) qualifications and No qualifications	% Total Not in Employment qualifications and No qualifications
Clogher Valley	3.2%	72.2%	3.0%	21.7%	75.3%	24.7%
Torrent	3.3%	69.6%	5.5%	21.6%	72.9%	27.1%
Dungannon	8.0%	64.8%	5.5%	21.7%	72.8%	27.2%
Moyola	3.1%	68.7%	3.4%	24.9%	71.8%	28.2%
Cookstown	5.3%	66.1%	4.6%	24.0%	71.4%	28.6%
Carntogher	3.0%	67.4%	2.7%	26.9%	70.4%	29.6%
Magherafelt	3.7%	62.8%	4.5%	29.0%	66.5%	33.5%

Source: Census 2021

Chart 67: Percentage of young people aged 20-24 years old not in employment and with no qualifications

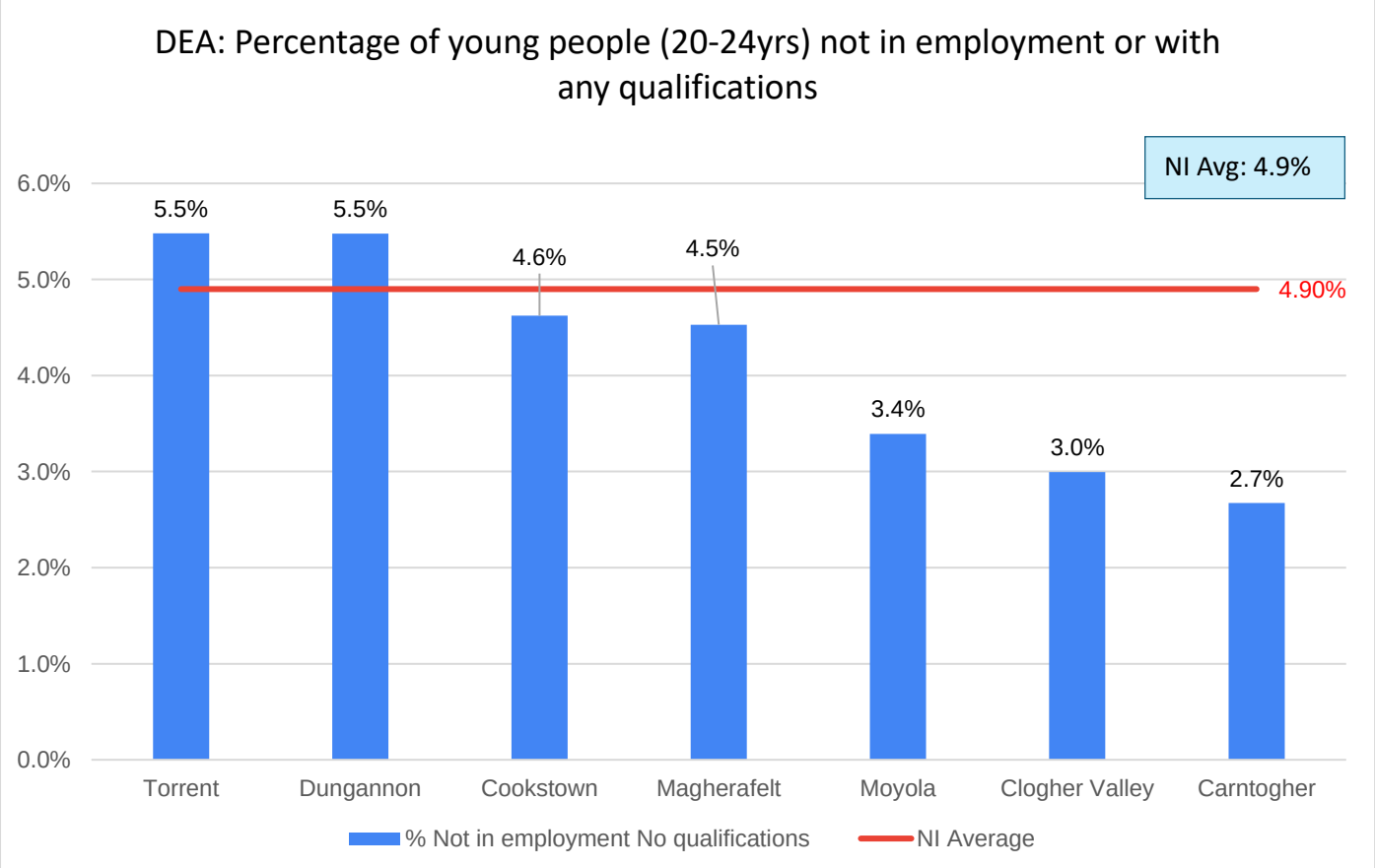
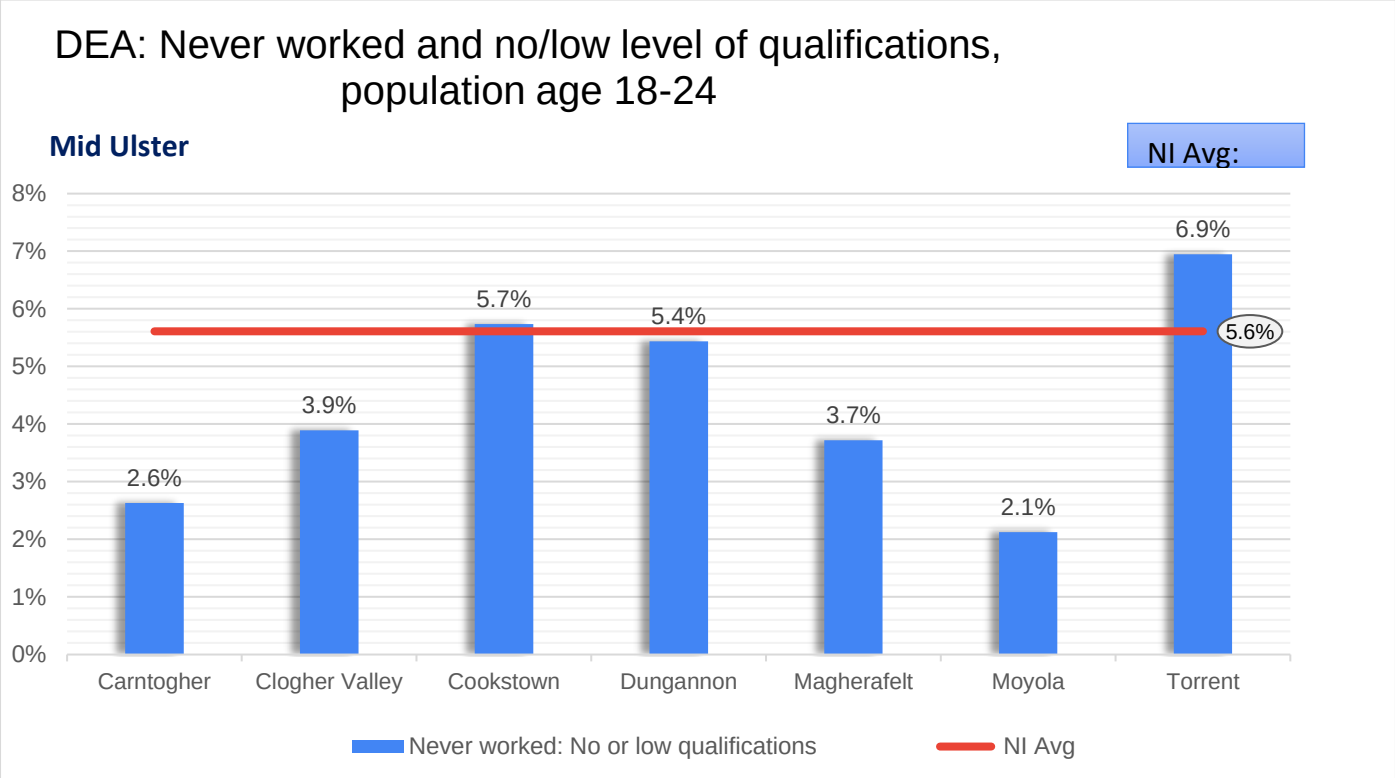


Chart 68: Percentage of the population age 18-24 who have never worked and have no qualifications or a low level of qualifications (Level 1 only).

Level 1: 1 to 4 GCSEs, O levels, CSEs (any grades); 1 AS Level; NVQ level 1; or equivalent

[Source: Census 2021]



3.9 Special Education Needs (SEN) LGD and DEA

Table 26: Special Education Needs (SEN) Mid Ulster

LGD	All pupils			Statemented pupils			SEN (stages 1-2)		
	Total	Female	Male	Total	Female	Male	Total	Female	Male
Mid Ulster	29,631	14,707	14,924	1,725	468	1,257	3,390	1,323	2,067
NI Total	342,317	168,591	173,726	24,020	6,655	17,365	40,666	16,248	24,418

Source: School census data 22/23 – (pupils address)

Table 27: Special Education Needs (SEN) statemented pupil's gender

	Statemented pupils			NI Average Statemented pupils%
LGD	% Statemented	*Female %*	*Male %*	
Mid Ulster	5.8%	27.1%	72.9%	7%
NI Total	7.0%	27.7%	72.3%	7%

Source: School census data 22/23 – (pupils address)

Table 28: Special Education Needs (SEN) Mid Ulster DEA's

DEA (pupil address)	All pupils			Statemented pupils			SEN (stages 1-2)		
	Total	Female	Male	Total	Female	Male	Total	Female	Male
Carntogher	3,438	1,716	1,722	192	50	142	316	112	204
Clogher Valley	4,291	2,110	2,181	227	61	166	363	132	231
Cookstown	4,753	2,310	2,443	308	70	238	559	214	345
Dungannon	5,078	2,555	2,523	271	74	197	731	287	444
Magherafelt	3,671	1,809	1,862	225	68	157	405	156	249
Moyola	3,789	1,893	1,896	245	65	180	433	187	246
Torrent	4,611	2,314	2,297	257	80	177	583	235	348

Source: School census data 22/23 – (pupils address)

Table 29: Mid Ulster DEA, percentage of pupils with a SEN Statement

DEA	% of pupils statemented	NI Average Statemented pupils
Cookstown	6.5%	7%
Moyola	6.5%	7%
Magherafelt	6.1%	7%
Carntogher	5.6%	7%
Torrent	5.6%	7%
Dungannon	5.3%	7%
Clogher Valley	5.3%	7%

Source: School census data 22/23 – (pupils address)

Table 30: Mid Ulster DEA SEN Percentages all levels (all pupils residence)

DEA (pupil address)	% pupils SEN 1-3	NI Average % pupils SEN 1-3	% pupils SEN 1-2	NI Average %	% pupils Sen 3 Statement	NI Average %
Carntogher	14.8%	19.0%	9.2%	12.0%	5.6%	7%
Clogher Valley	13.7%	19.0%	8.5%	12.0%	5.3%	7%
Cookstown	18.2%	19.0%	11.8%	12.0%	6.5%	7%
Dungannon	19.7%	19.0%	14.4%	12.0%	5.3%	7%
Magherafelt	17.2%	19.0%	11.0%	12.0%	6.1%	7%
Moyola	17.9%	19.0%	11.4%	12.0%	6.5%	7%
Torrent	18.2%	19.0%	12.6%	12.0%	5.6%	7%

Source: School census data 22/23 – (pupils address)

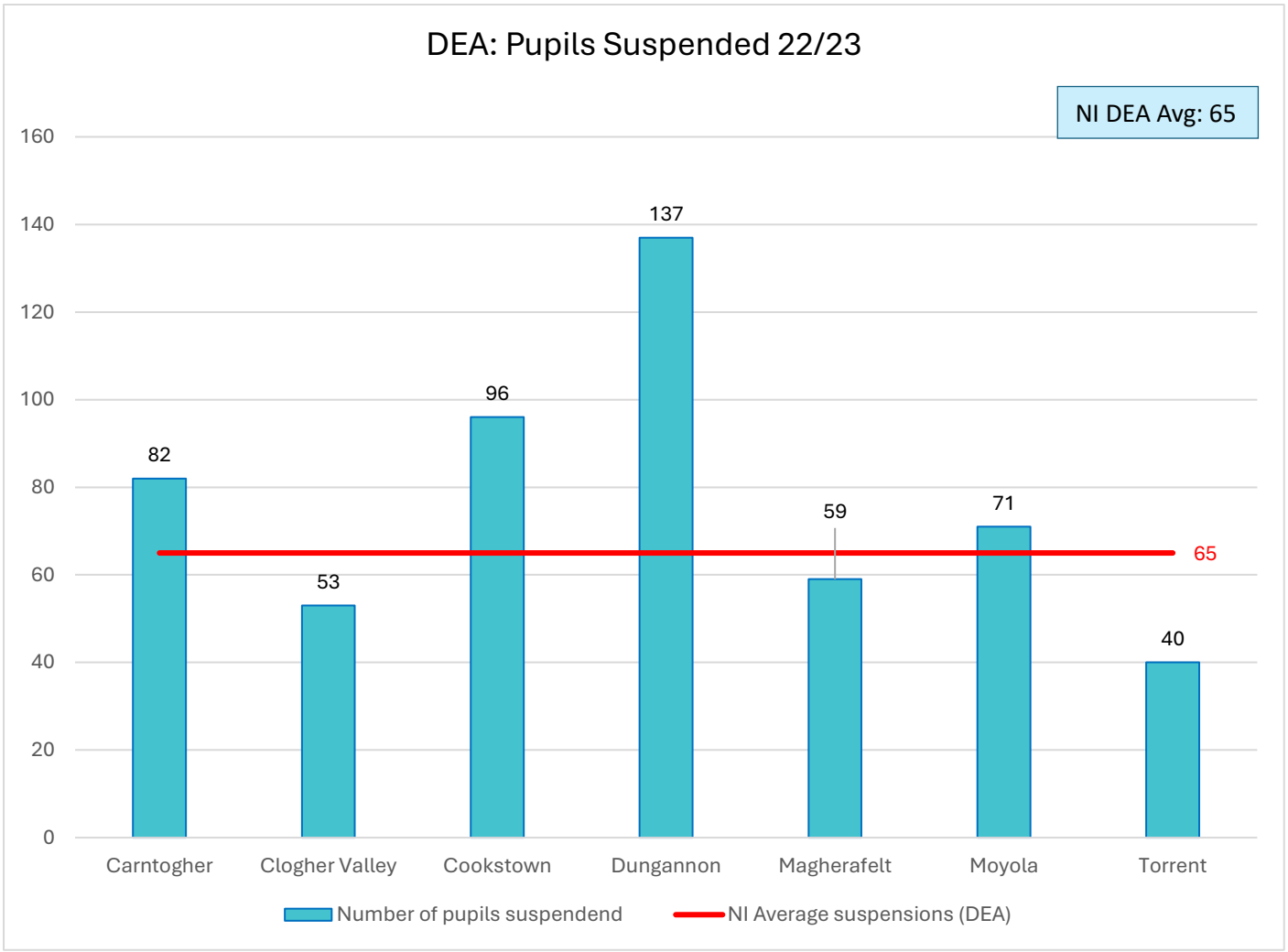
3.10 Pupils Suspended in Mid Ulster District Electoral Areas (DEA's)

Table 31: Pupils Suspended in 2022/2023 by DEA

DEA Name	Number of pupils suspended	NI Average suspensions (DEA)
Carntogher	82	65
Clogher Valley	53	65
Cookstown	96	65
Dungannon	137	65
Magherafelt	59	65
Moyola	71	65
Torrent	40	65

Source: School census data 22/23

Chart 69: Pupils Suspended by DEA (includes ps and pp)



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3.11 Rates of non-attendance at school (post-primary)

Chart 70: Non-attendance rates in post-primary schools though unauthorised absence over 5 years, Mid Ulster LGD

[Source: School census, DE]

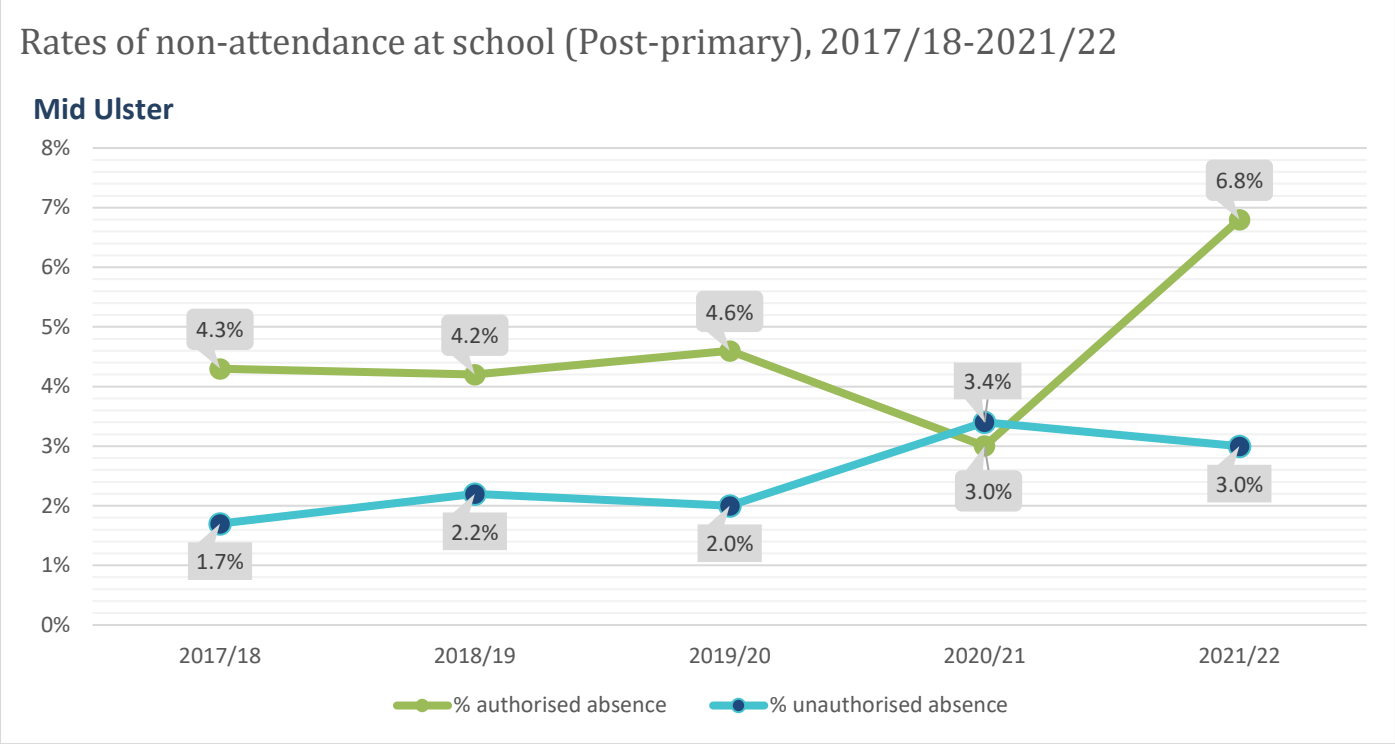
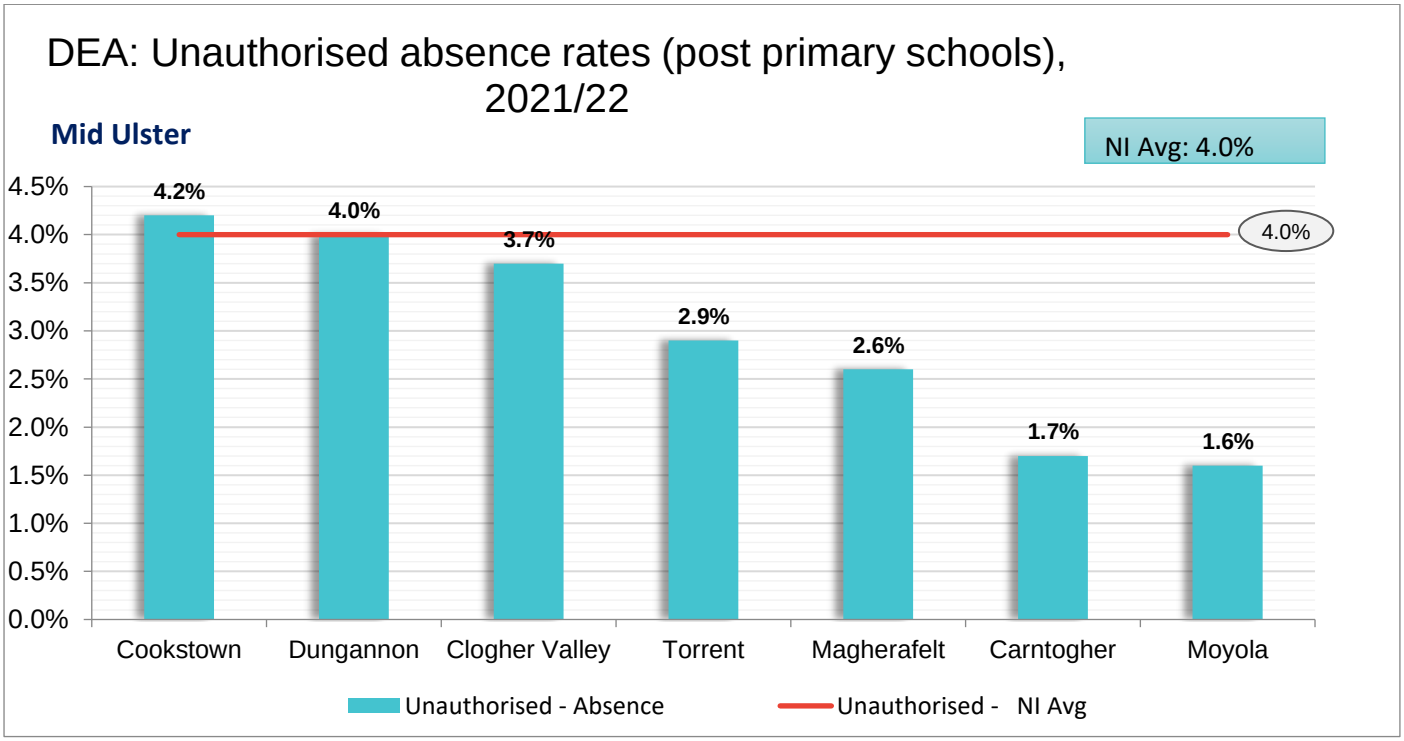


Chart 71: Non-attendance rates in post-primary schools though unauthorised absence, by DEA

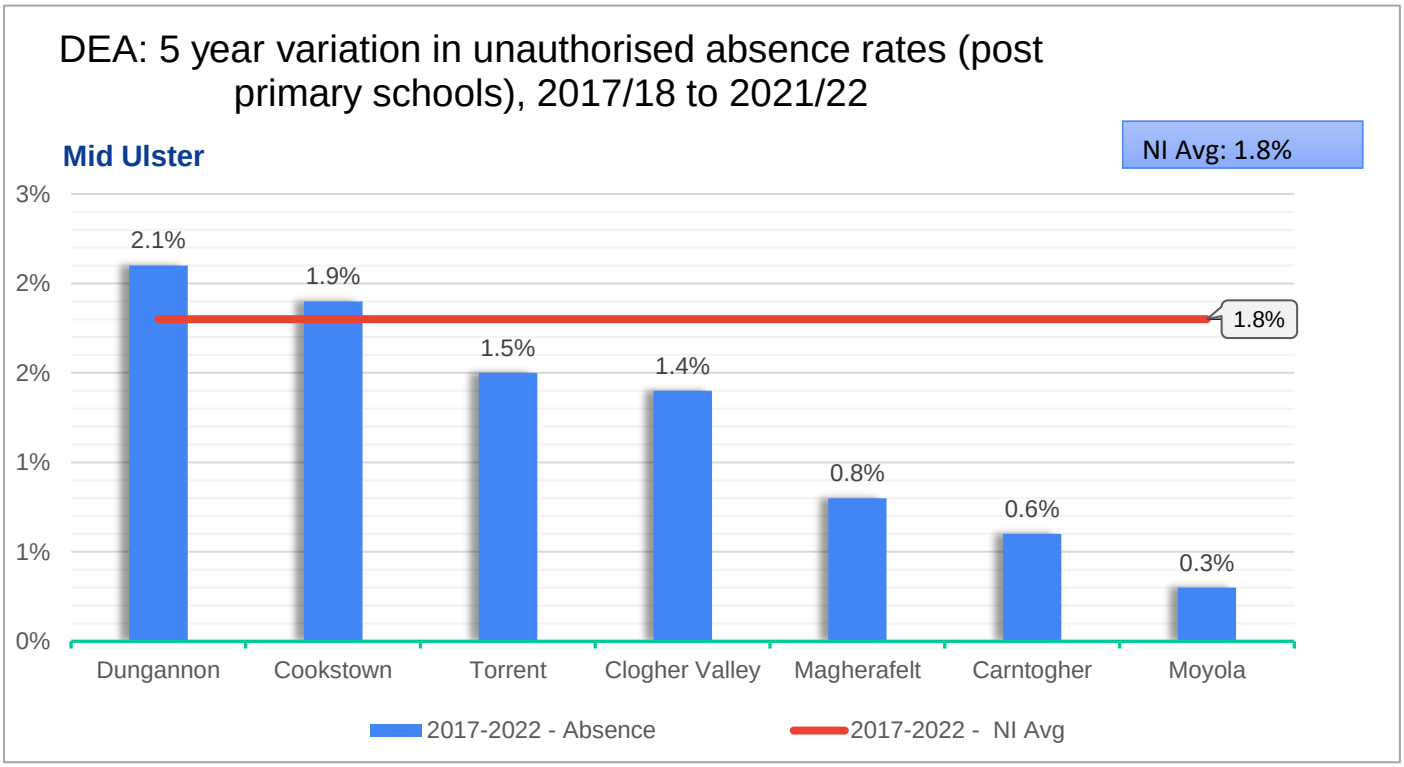
[Source: School census, DE]



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Chart 72: 5-year change in rates of non-attendance rates in post-primary schools though unauthorised absence, by DEA

[Source: School census, DE]



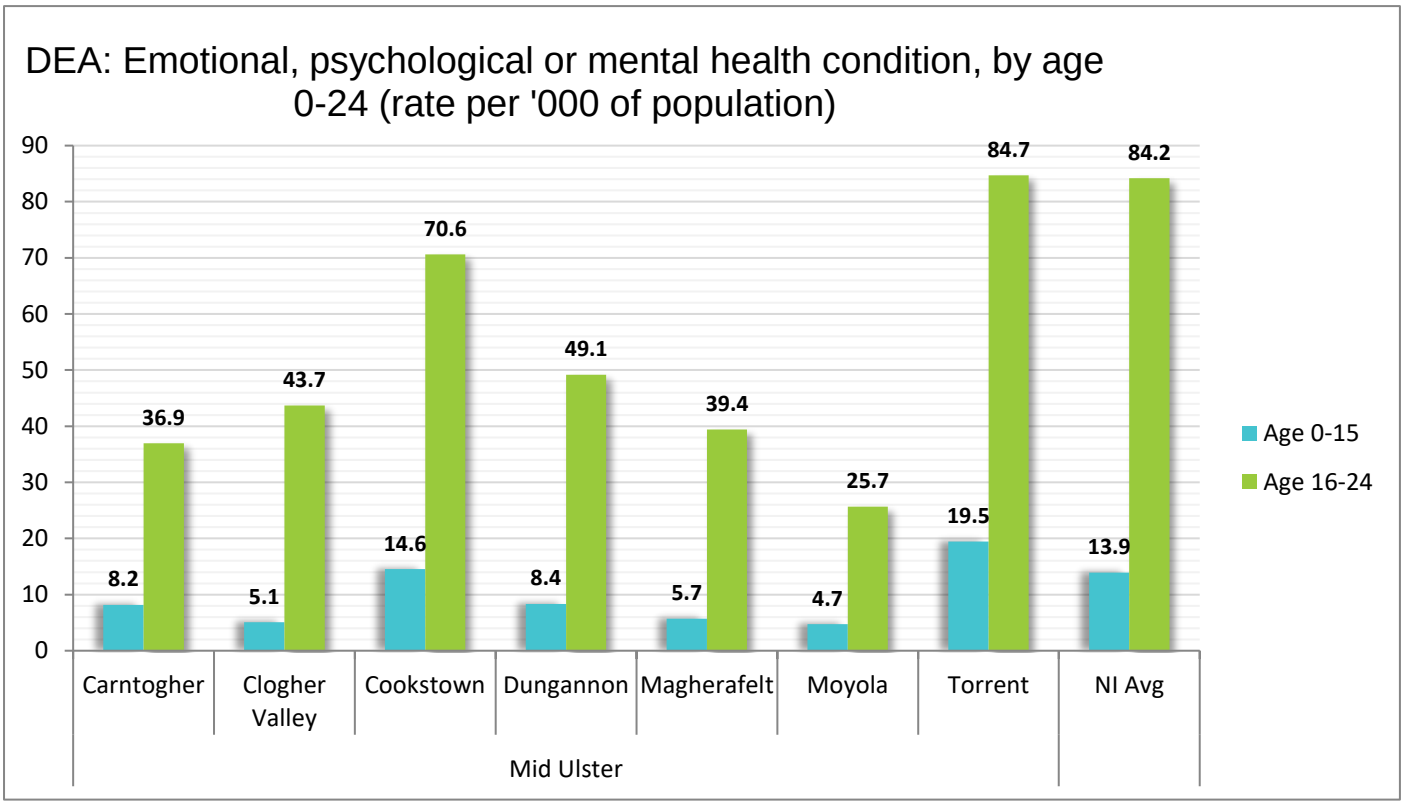
SECTION 4.0 HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

4.1 Mental and Emotional Health

Chart 73: Rates per '000 of the 0-24 population (comparing the 0-15 and 16-24 age categories) resident in Mid Ulster who have an emotional, psychological or mental health condition, by DEA.

This data is derived from a self-assessment of whether a person has a long-term emotional, psychological or mental health condition.

[Source: Census 2021]

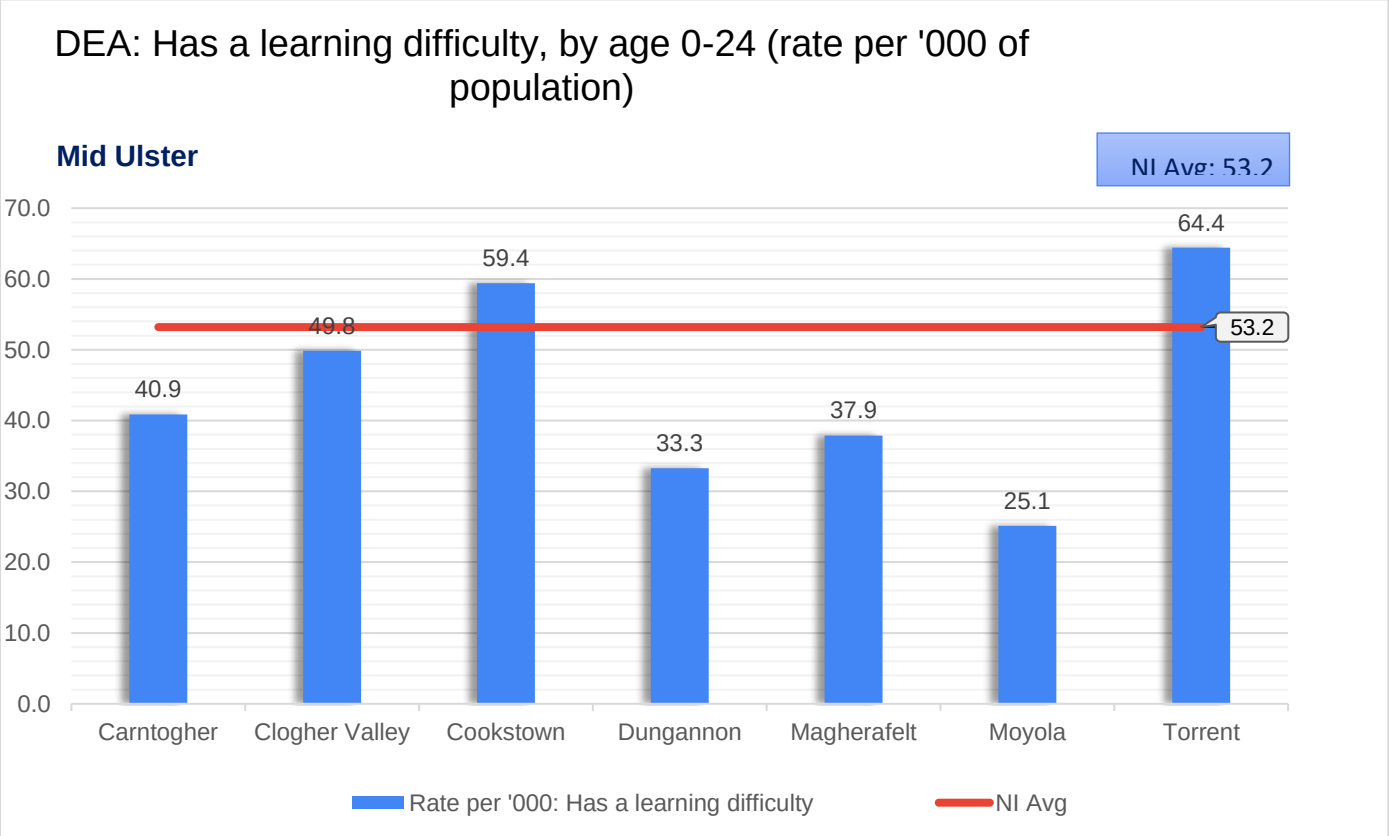


4.2 Learning Difficulty

Chart 74: Rate per'000 of the population age 0-24 resident in Mid Ulster who have a learning difficulty, by DEA.

Information is based on a self-assessment of whether a person has a long-term learning difficulty (for example dyslexia).

[Source: Census 2021]



4.3 Autism or Aspergers syndrome

Chart 75: Rate per'000 of the population age 0-24 resident in Mid Ulster who have Autism or Aspergers syndrome, by DEA.

Information is based on a self-assessment of whether a person has Autism or Aspergers syndrome

[Source: Census 2021]

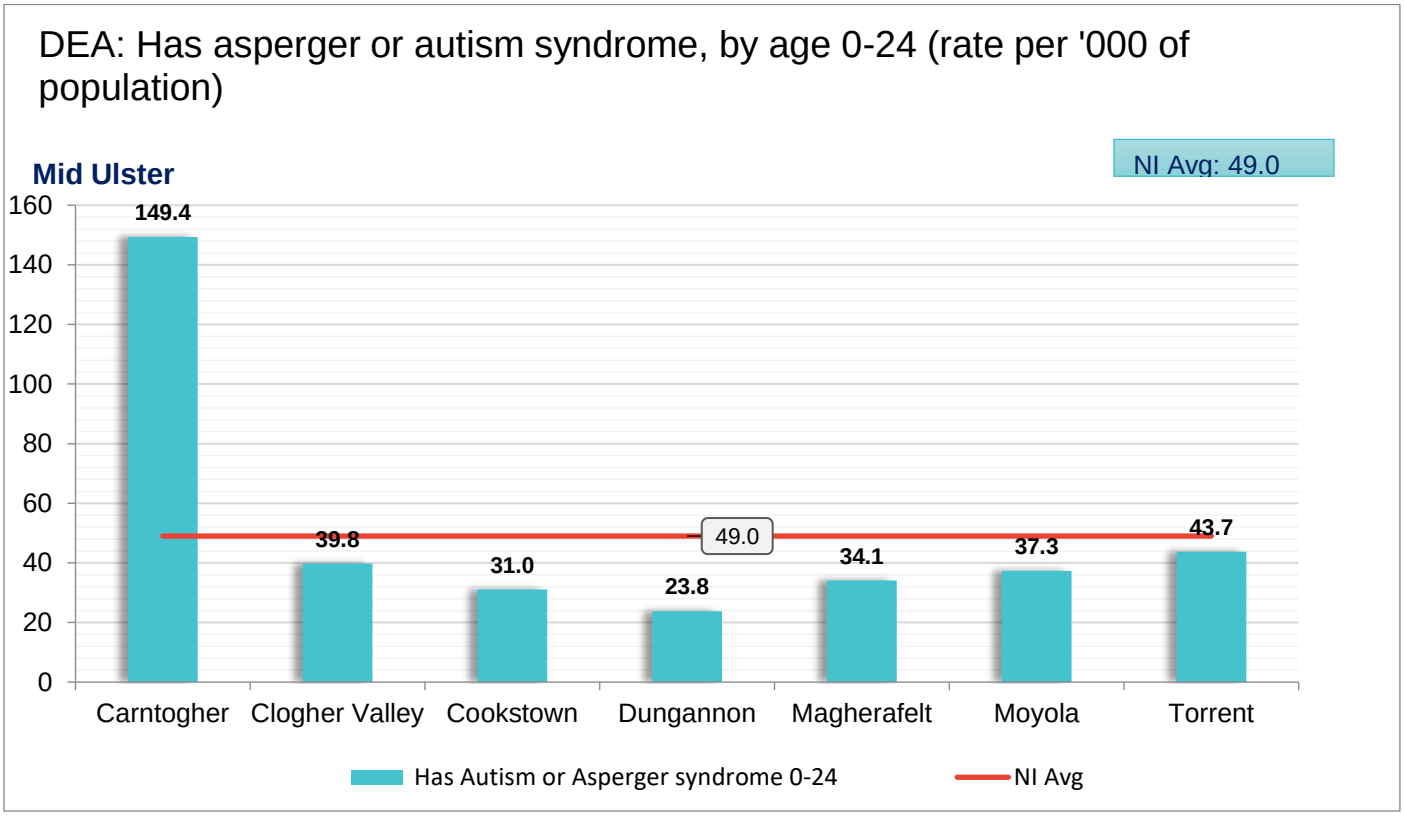


Table 32: Counts of population age 0-24 resident in Mid Ulster who have self-reported mental, emotional and learning conditions, by DEA

[Source: Census 2021]

Health Conditions by age 0-24, population counts 0-24 years, DEAs in Mid Ulster LGD				
District Electoral Area	**Population age 0-24**	**Has an emotional, psychological or mental health condition**	**Has Autism or Asperger syndrome**	**Has a learning difficulty**
Carntogher	6,314	110	229	258
Clogher Valley	6,159	109	59	307
Cookstown	6,379	204	57	379
Dungannon	8,746	190	59	291
Magherafelt	8,339	145	61	316
Moyola	11,869	137	100	298
Torrent	5,326	227	68	343
Mid Ulster LGD	**53,132**	**1,122**	**633**	**2,192**

4.4 Long-term health conditions

Chart 76: Distribution of long-term health conditions reported by the age 0-24 population in Mid Ulster. A long-term health condition is one which has lasted, or is expected to last, at least 12 months. In census, this is a self-assessment question.

[Source: Census 2021]

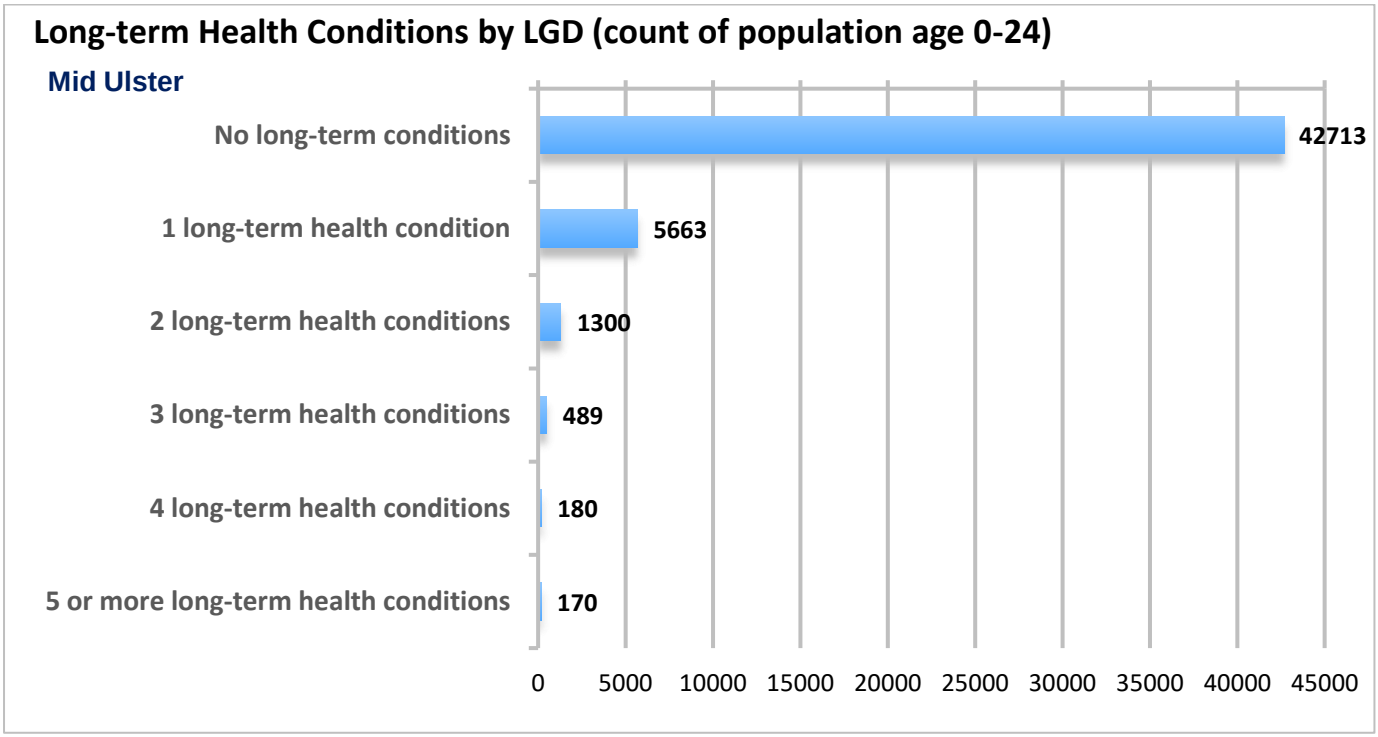
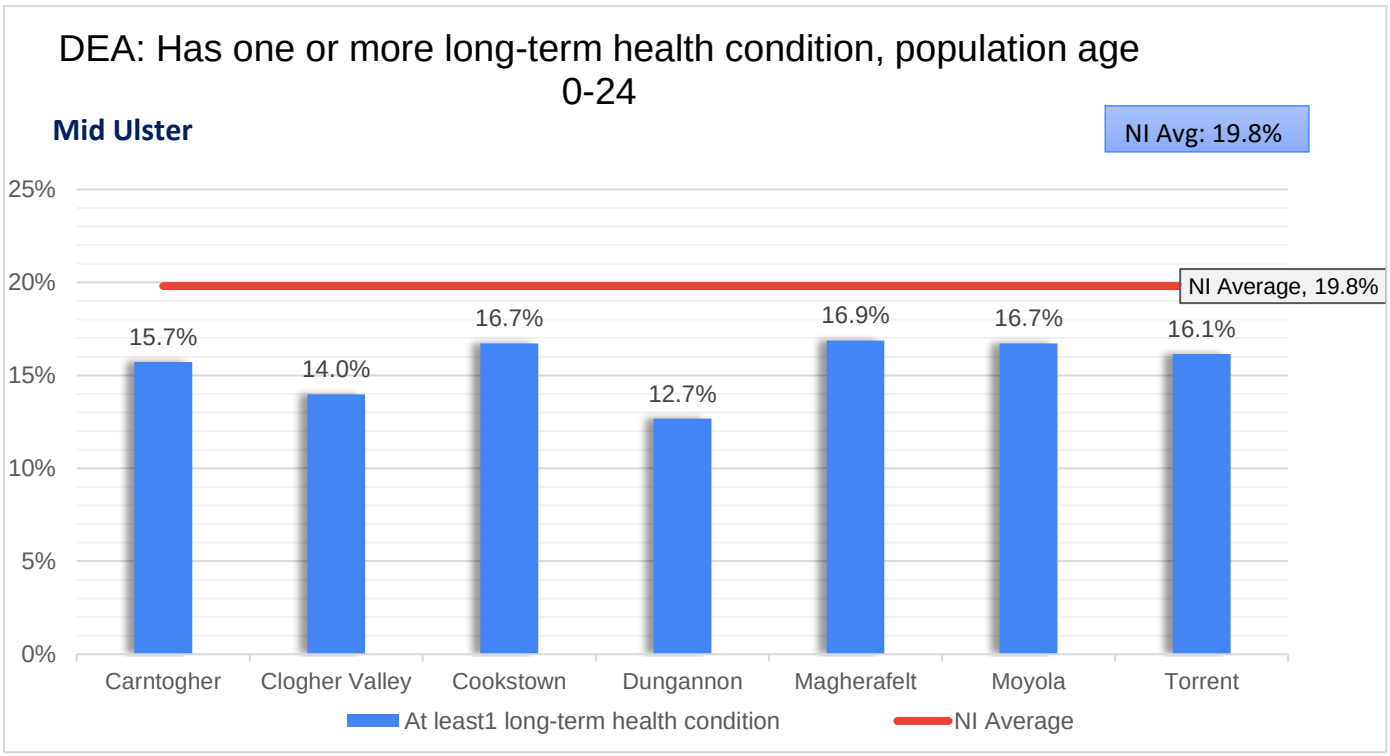


Chart 77: Percentage of the population age 0-24 resident in Mid Ulster who have at least one long-term health condition, by DEA.

[Source: Census 2021]



4.5 Childhood Obesity and Overweight Health

Diet/childhood BMI

Chart 78: The proportion of children who are classified as obese or, overweight or obese, extracted from the Child Health System.

overweight/obese figures and obesity figures are presented by academic year. The information relates to the height and weight information of Primary 1 pupils who were aged between 4 years 2 months and 6 years 2 months and of Year 8 pupils who were aged between 11 years 2 months and 13 years 2 months at the time of measurement. The height and weight information is converted into a Body Mass Index score for each pupil. The BMI has been categorized using International Obesity Task Force growth charts which consider age and gender, allowing those who are either overweight or obese to be identified.

[Source: Childhood BMI, Public Health Information and Research Branch]

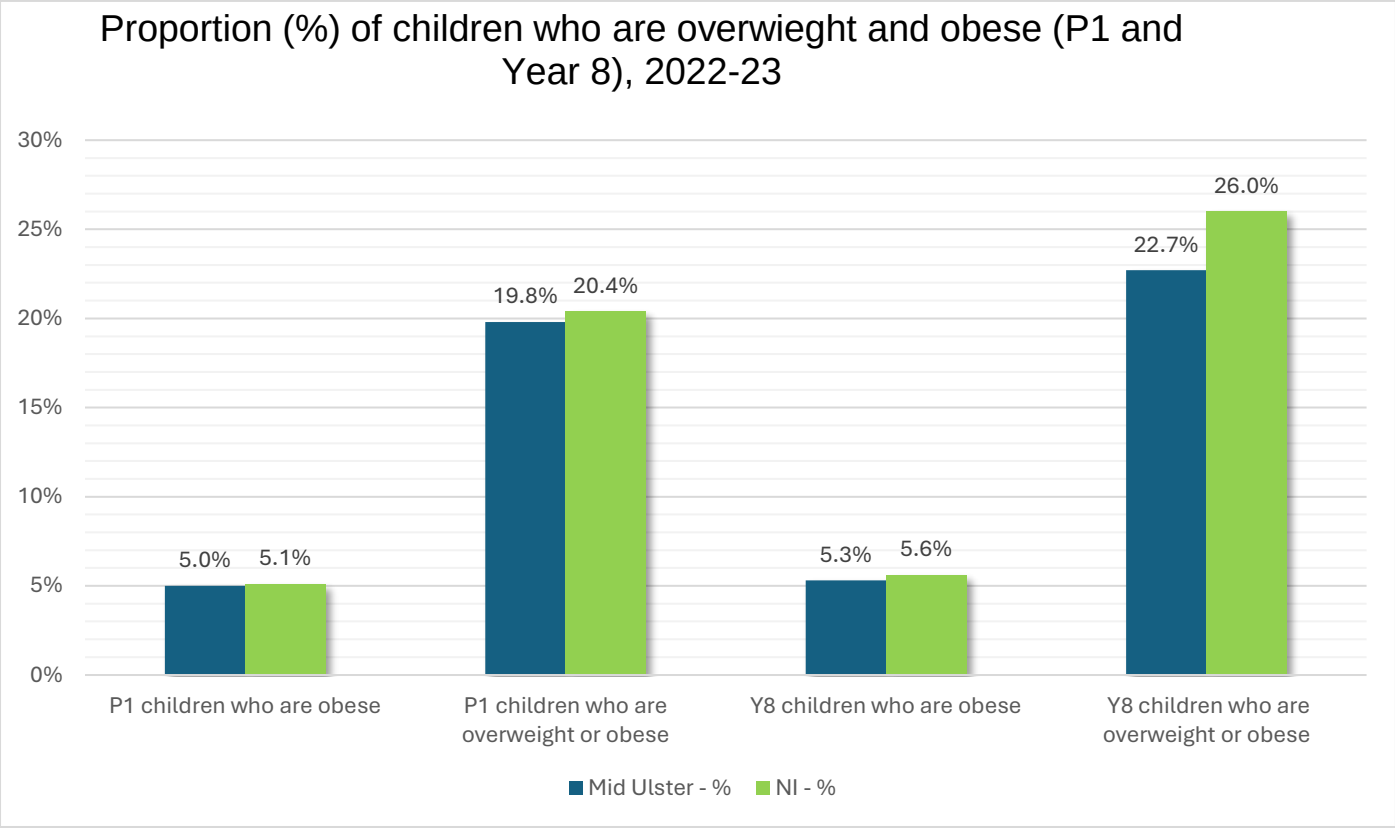


Chart 79: Child BMI by age and gender (2022-23), Mid Ulster

[Source: Childhood BMI, Public Health Information and Research Branch]

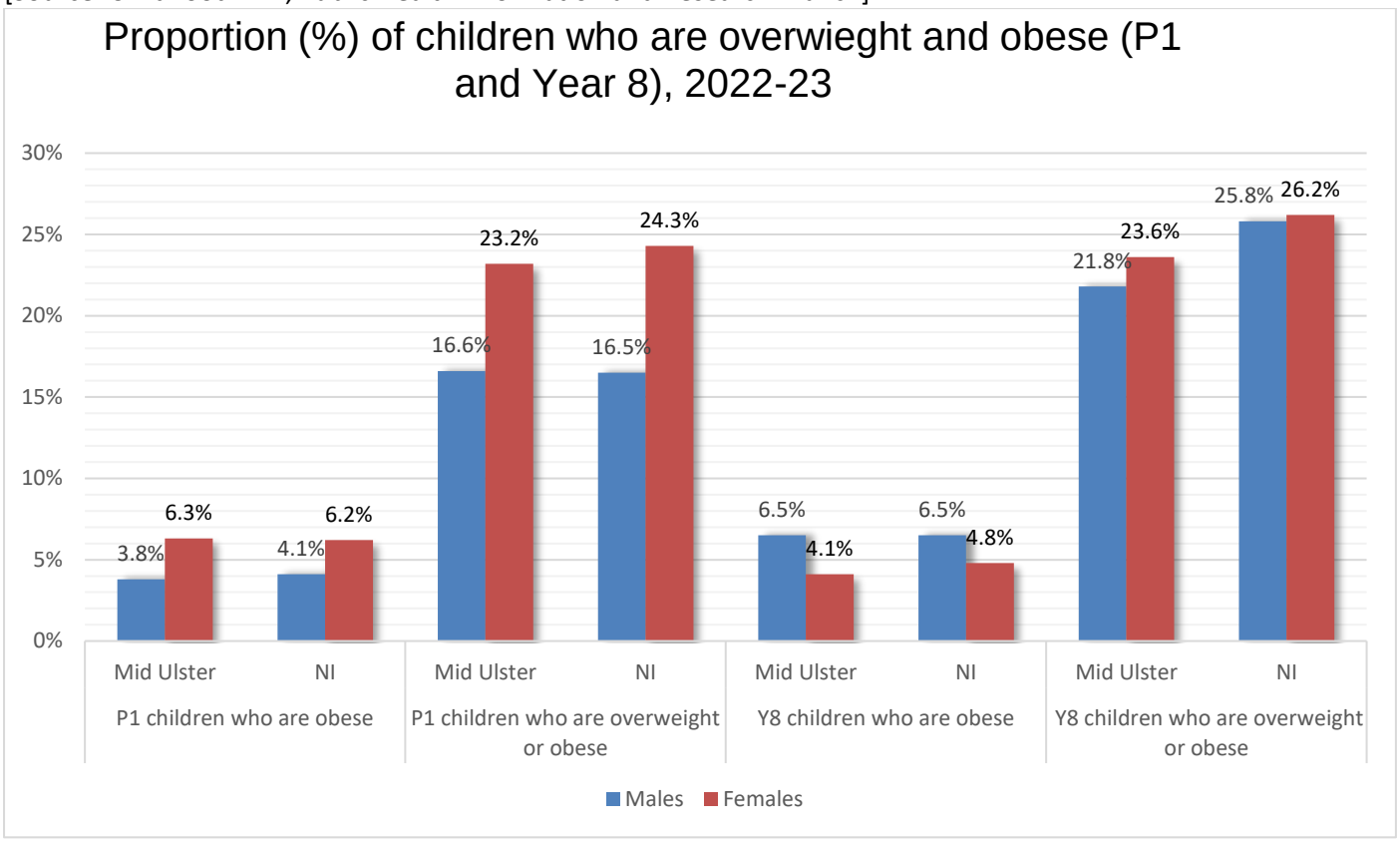
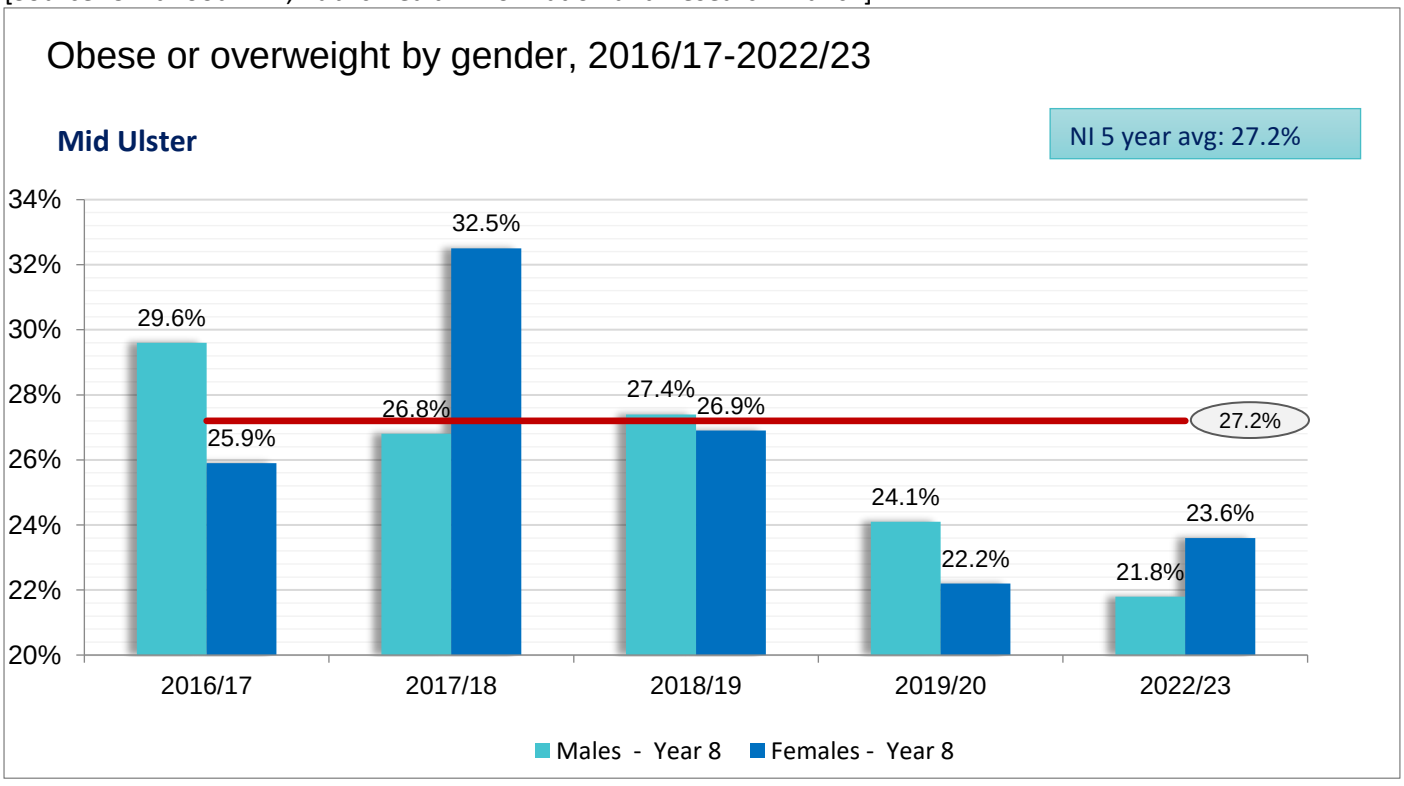


Chart 80: 5-year trend, child BMI at Year 8 by gender, Mid Ulster

Please note that data for the years 2020/21 and 2021/22 are not available.

[Source: Childhood BMI, Public Health Information and Research Branch]

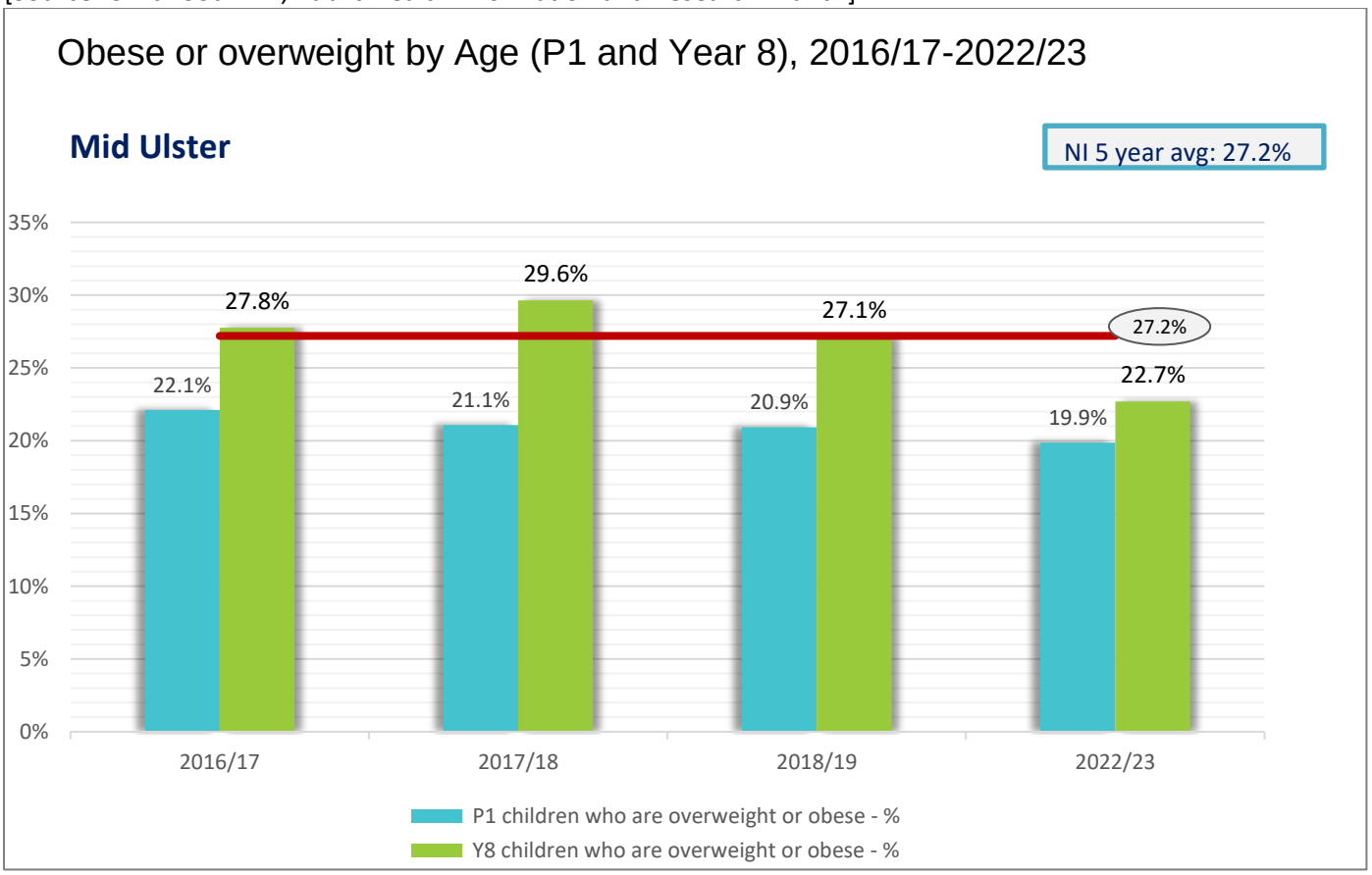


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Chart 81: 5-year trend, child BMI by age, Mid Ulster

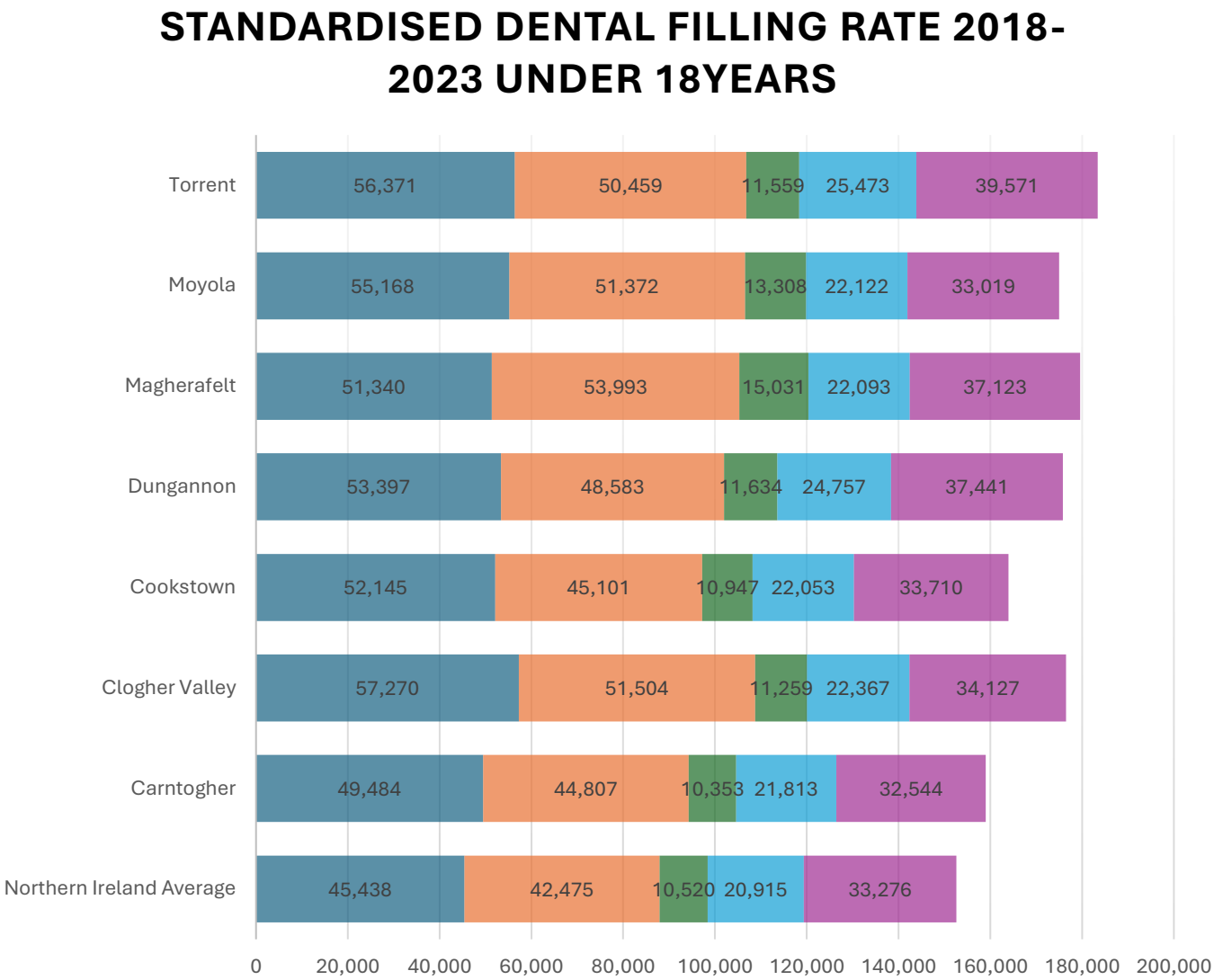
Please note that data for the years 2020/21 and data for P1 children from 2019/20 are not available.

[Source: Childhood BMI, Public Health Information and Research Branch]



4.6 Dental Health for Mid Ulster DEAs 2018 - 2023

Chart 82: Standardised Dental Fillings by DEA

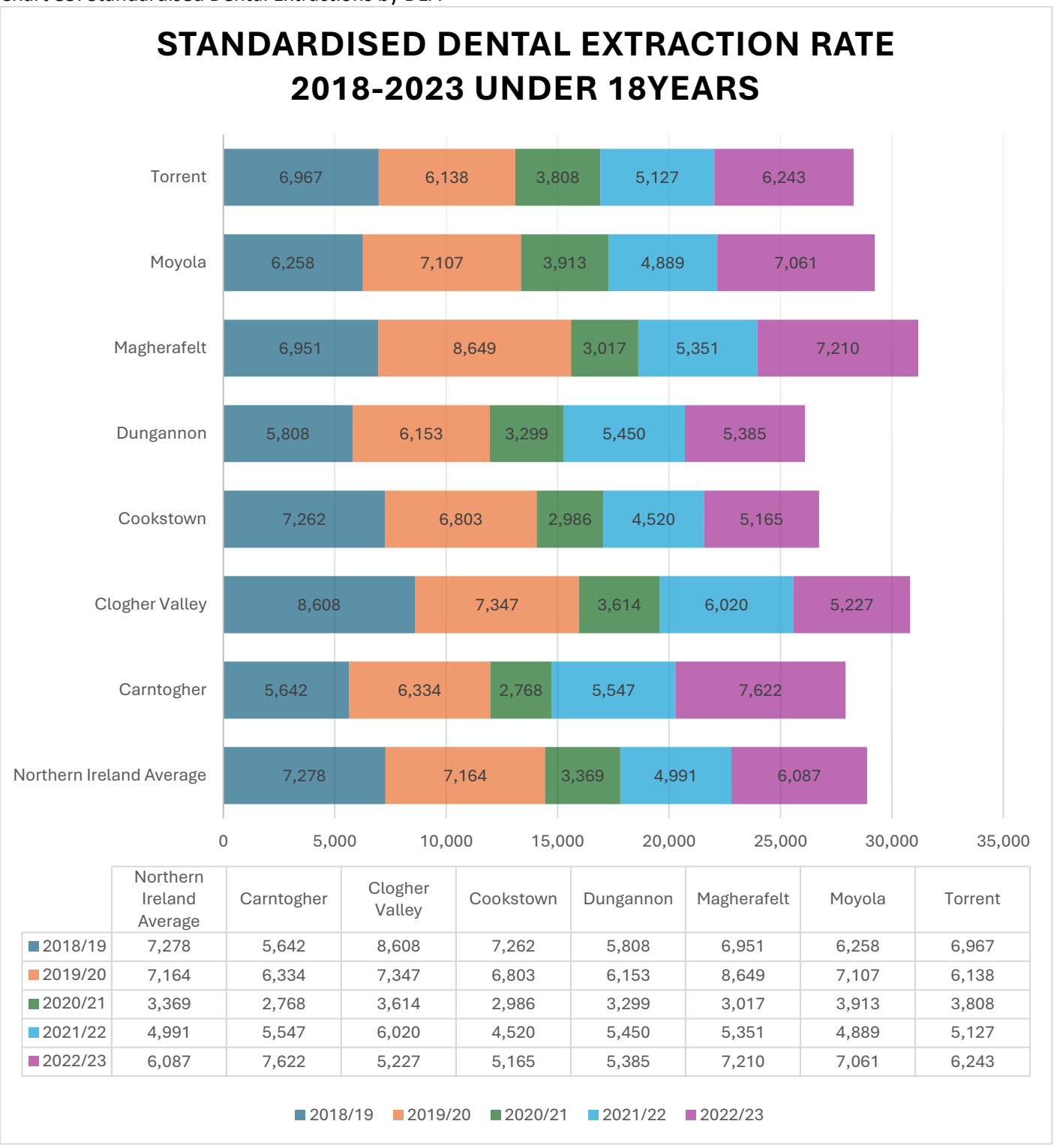


	Northern Ireland Average	Carntogher	Clogher Valley	Cookstown	Dungannon	Magherafelt	Moyola	Torrent
2018/19	45,438	49,484	57,270	52,145	53,397	51,340	55,168	56,371
2019/20	42,475	44,807	51,504	45,101	48,583	53,993	51,372	50,459
2020/21	10,520	10,353	11,259	10,947	11,634	15,031	13,308	11,559
2021/22	20,915	21,813	22,367	22,053	24,757	22,093	22,122	25,473
2022/23	33,276	32,544	34,127	33,710	37,441	37,123	33,019	39,571

Source: NISRA 22/23

4.7 Dental Extractions for Mid Ulster DEAs 2018 - 2023

Chart 83: Standardised Dental Extractions by DEA



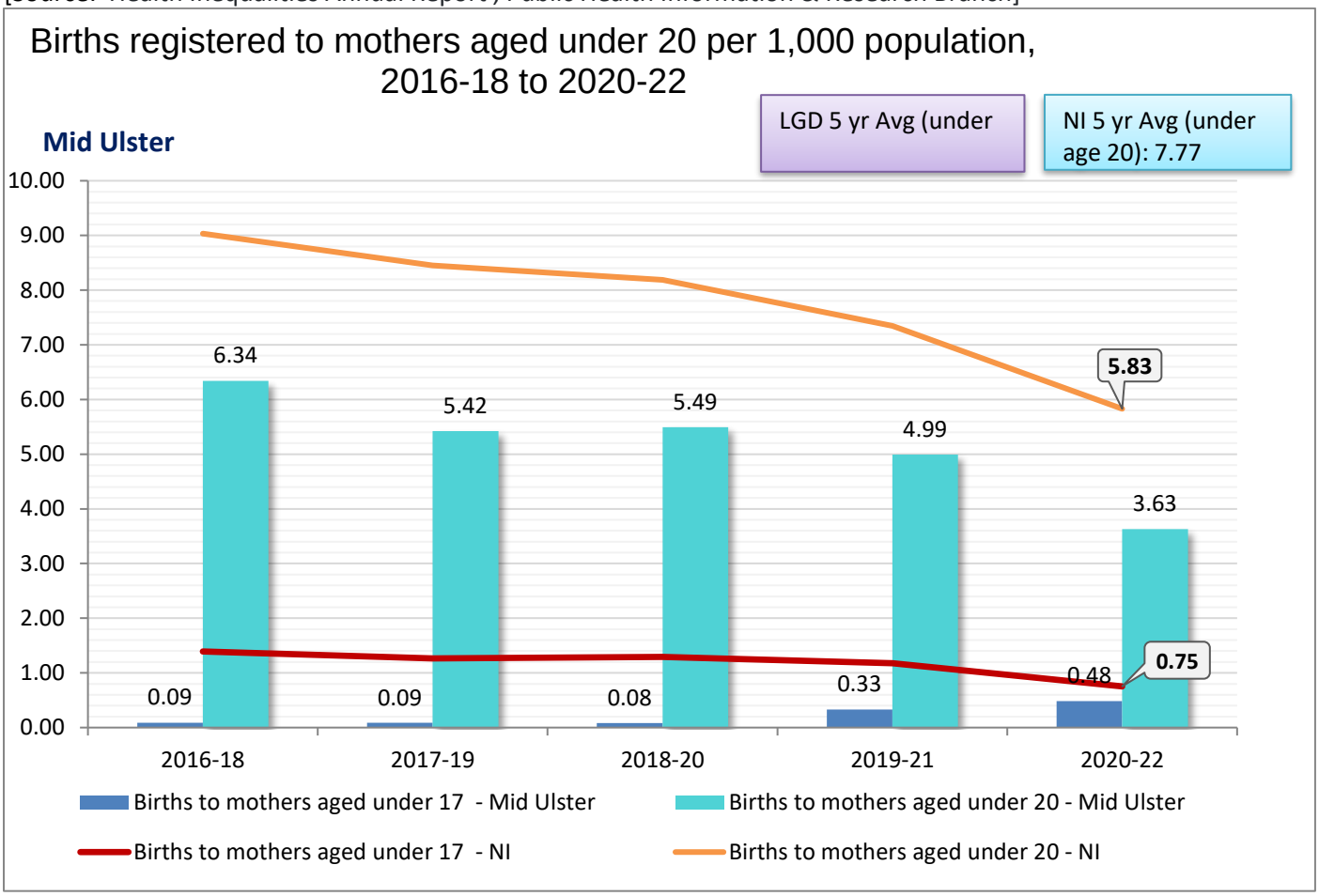
	Northern Ireland Average	Carntogher	Clogher Valley	Cookstown	Dungannon	Magherafelt	Moyola	Torrent
2018/19	7,278	5,642	8,608	7,262	5,808	6,951	6,258	6,967
2019/20	7,164	6,334	7,347	6,803	6,153	8,649	7,107	6,138
2020/21	3,369	2,768	3,614	2,986	3,299	3,017	3,913	3,808
2021/22	4,991	5,547	6,020	4,520	5,450	5,351	4,889	5,127
2022/23	6,087	7,622	5,227	5,165	5,385	7,210	7,061	6,243

Source: NISRA 22/23

4.8 Teenage birth rates

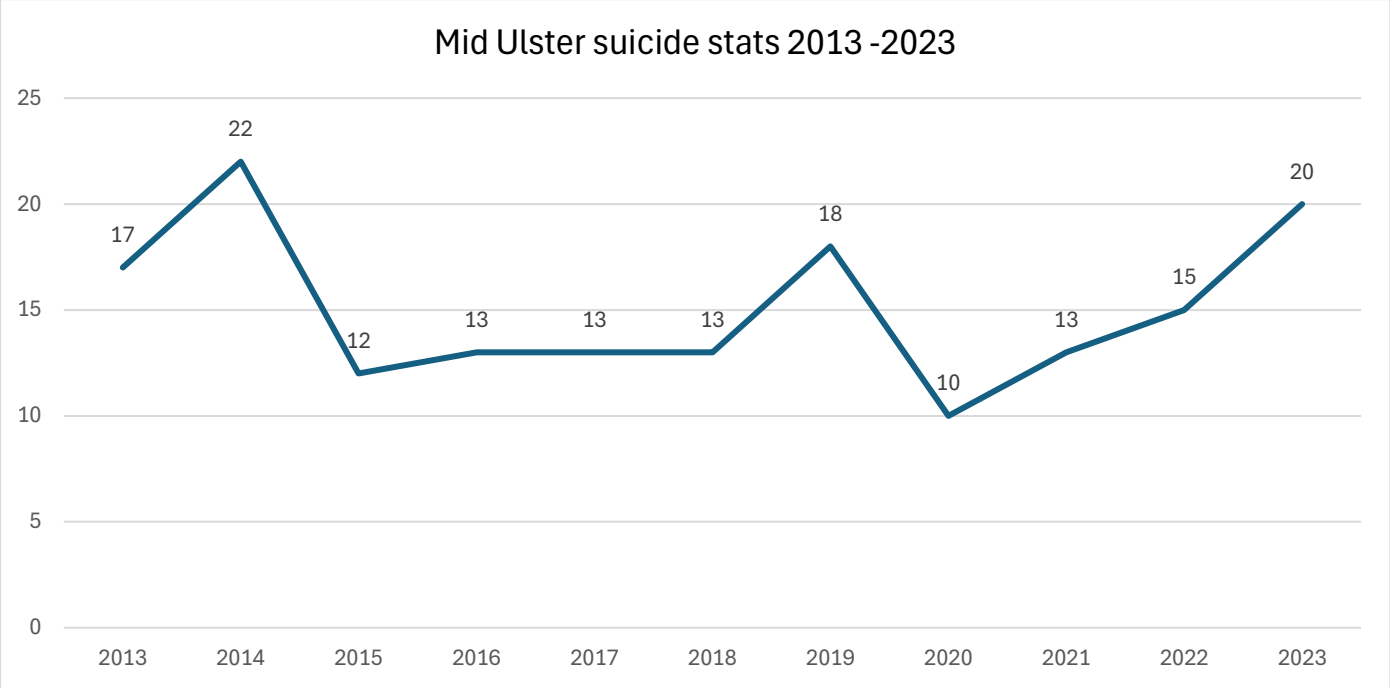
Chart 84: Births registered to mothers under the age of 17 (between 13 and 16 years of age inclusive) and under the age of 20 (between the ages of 13 and 19 inclusive) per 1,000 females since 2016 by two-year cycles.

[Source: 'Health Inequalities Annual Report', Public Health Information & Research Branch]



4.9 Suicide Deaths in Northern Ireland

Chart 85: Mid Ulster suicide stats 2013-2023



Source: NISRA 2025

In 2023, one in every five suicide deaths was someone under the age of 30. This is in line with previous years. Suicide remains the leading cause of death in males under 50. Of the 561 male deaths registered in 2023 where the deceased was under 50 years of age,107 were to suicide (19.1%).

In 2023, suicide deaths were highest for men between the ages of 25 and 29 at 26 deaths, while for women the highest number of suicide deaths were between the ages of 50 and 54.

The suicide rate (age-standardised) in Northern Ireland was 13.3 deaths per 100,000 population in 2023. This rate has fluctuated since the start of the revised series (2015), ranging from 11.9 per 100,000 in 2016 to 14.3 per 100, 000 in both 2018 and 2021.

The percentage of suicides in 2023 within Northern Ireland's most deprived areas (28.5 per cent) was over twice that of the least deprived areas (13.1 per cent).

The Northern Trust had the highest number of suicides in 2023 (56), followed by Belfast Trust (50). The Western Trust had the lowest number of suicides in 2023 (36).

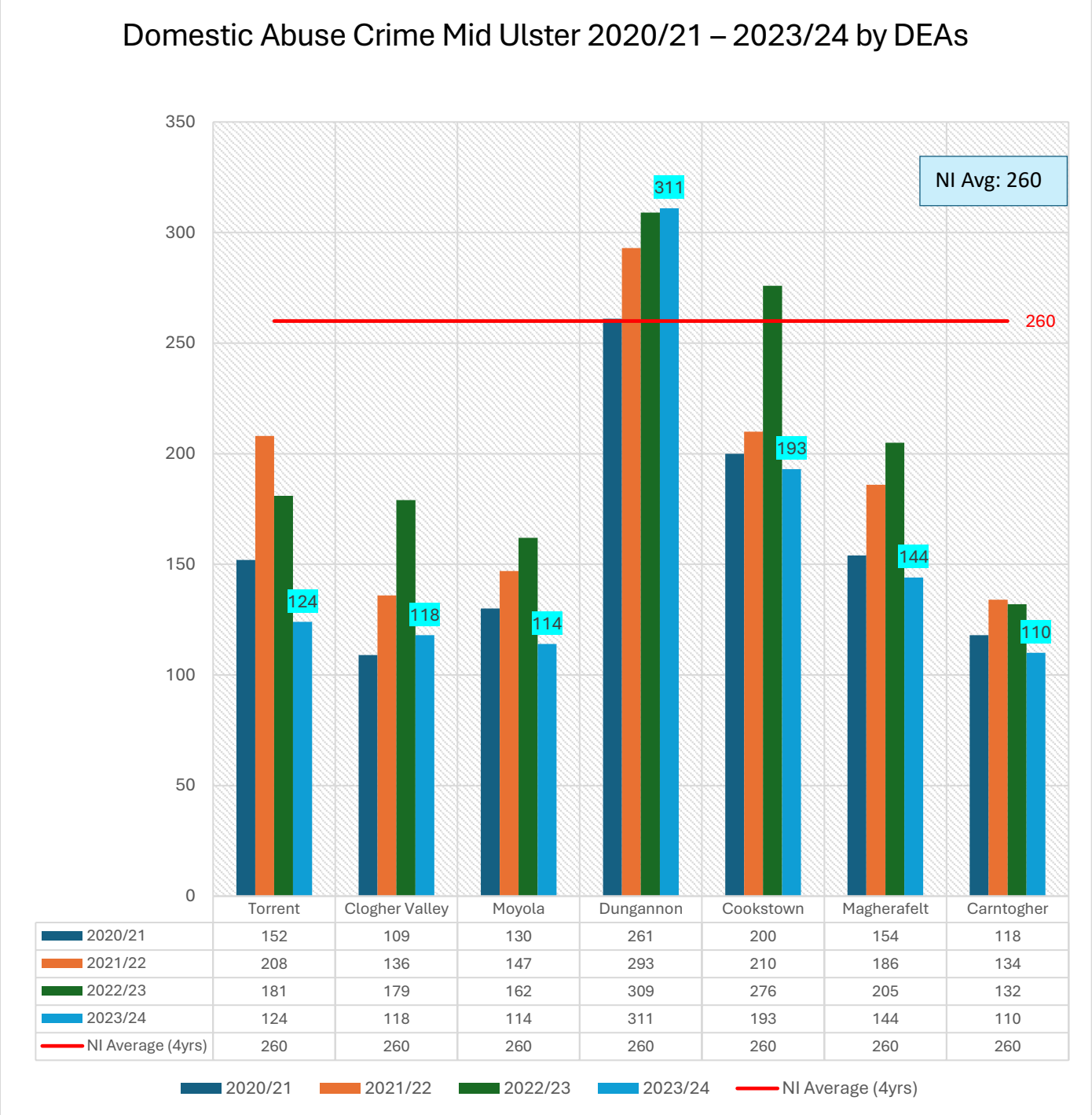
171 (77.4 per cent) of the 221 suicide deaths in 2023 were males and 50 (22.6 per cent) were females. The age-standardised rate for males increased from 19.2 per 100,000 males in 2022 to 20.9 in 2023, while for females, the equivalent rate increased from 5.7 per 100,000 females in 2022 to 5.9 in 2023.

Source: NISRA 2025

SECTION 5.0 LIVING IN SAFETY AND STABILITY

5.1 Domestic Abuse Crimes Mid Ulster DEAs

Chart 86: Domestic Abuse by DEAs from 2020 – 2024

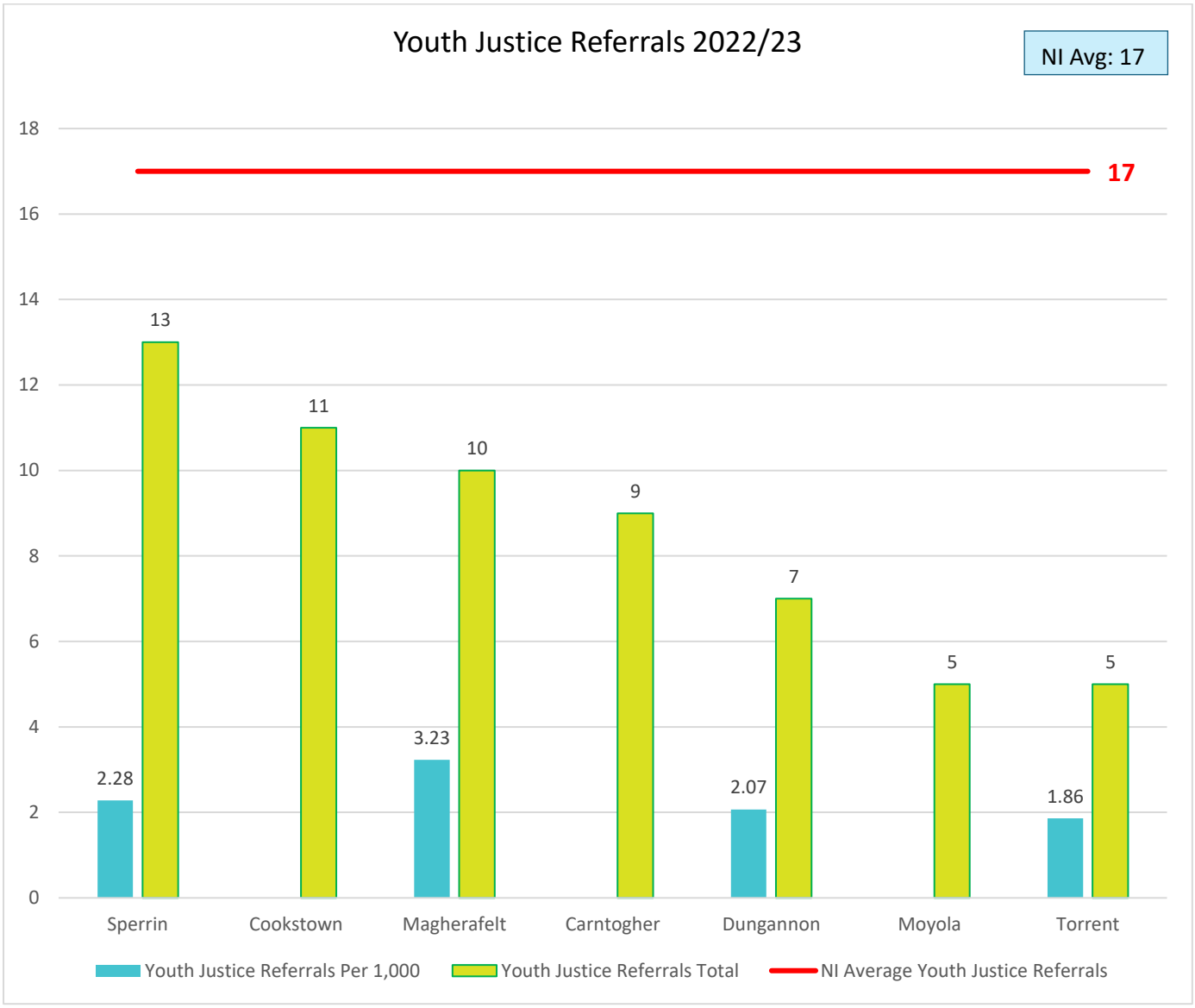


	Torrent	Clogher Valley	Moyola	Dungannon	Cookstown	Magherafelt	Carntogher
2020/21	152	109	130	261	200	154	118
2021/22	208	136	147	293	210	186	134
2022/23	181	179	162	309	276	205	132
2023/24	124	118	114	311	193	144	110
NI Average (4yrs)	260	260	260	260	260	260	260

Source: NISRA 2024

5.2 Youth Justice Referrals Mid Ulster DEAs 2022/2023

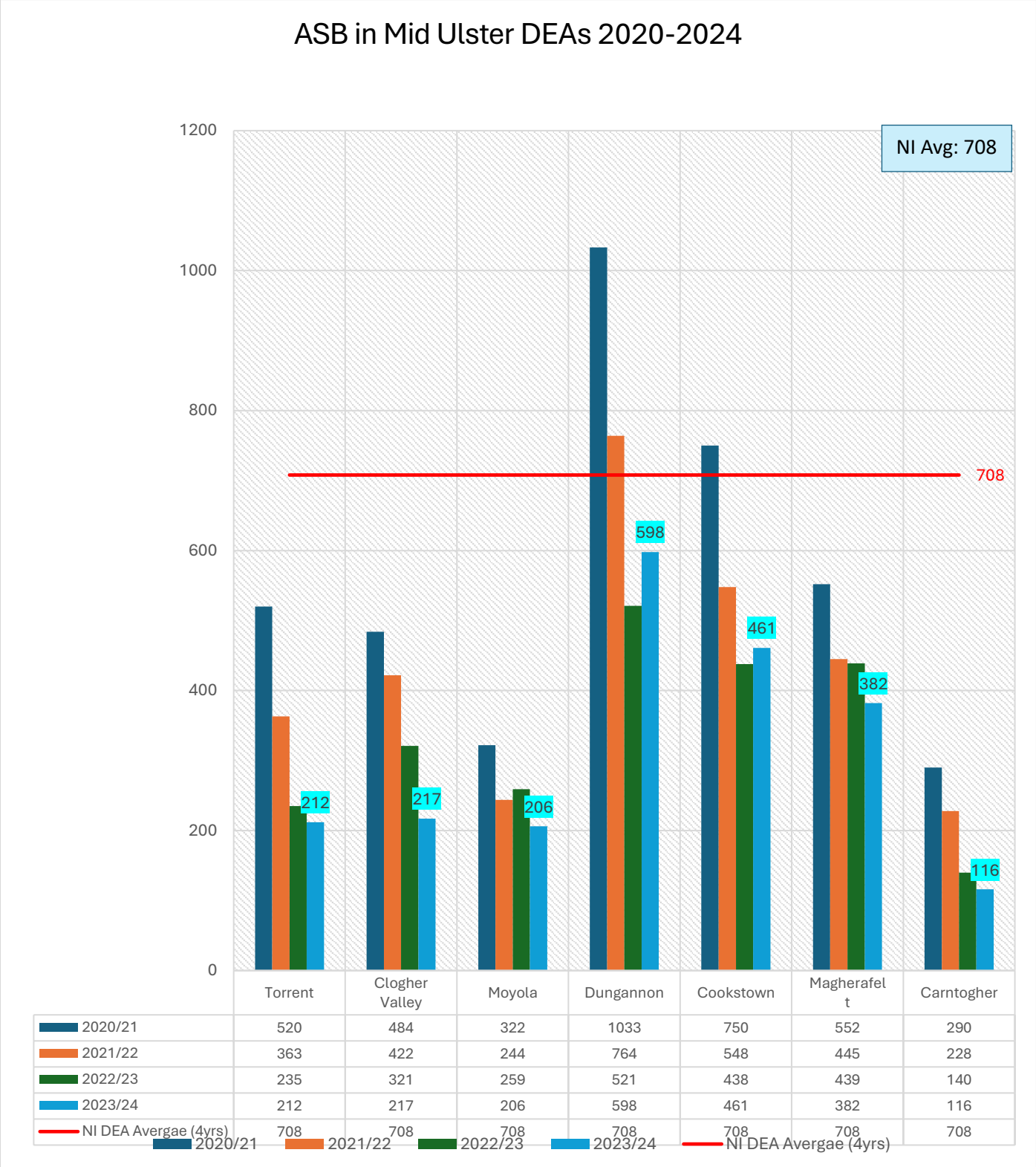
Chart 87: Youth Justice Referrals by DEA



Source: NISRA 2024

5.3 Anti-Social Behaviour Incidents Mid Ulster DEAs & NI 2020 - 2024

Chart 88: Anti-Social Behaviour Incidents by DEA



	Torrent	Clogher Valley	Moyola	Dungannon	Cookstown	Magherafelt	Carntogher
2020/21	520	484	322	1033	750	552	290
2021/22	363	422	244	764	548	445	228
2022/23	235	321	259	521	438	439	140
2023/24	212	217	206	598	461	382	116
NI DEA Avergae (4yrs)	708	708	708	708	708	708	708

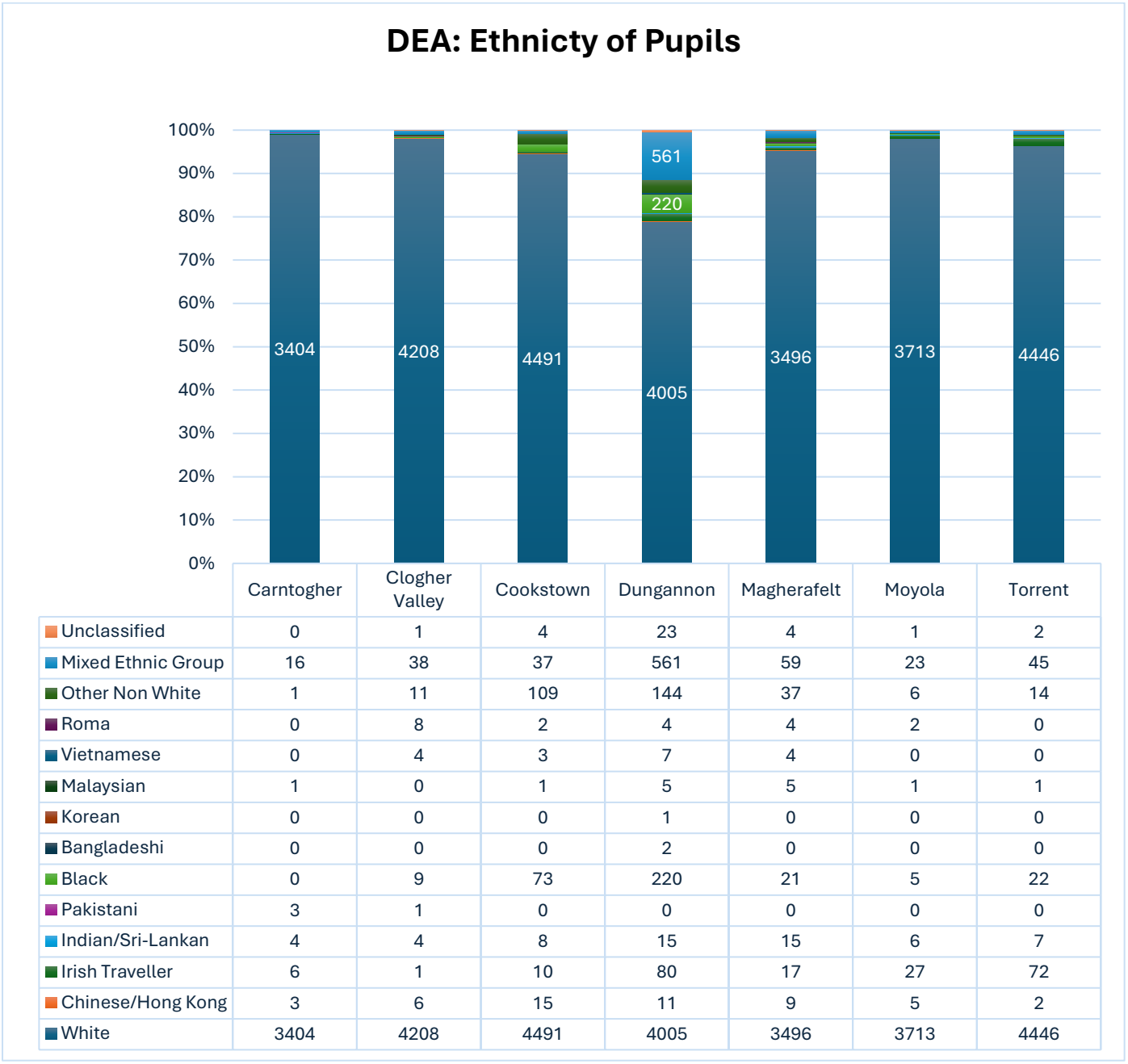
Source: NISRA 2024

SECTION 6.0 INCLUSION, DIVERISTY & EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES

6.1 Ethnicity of pupils in Mid Ulster DEAs

The table below highlights the ethnicity of pupils in nursery, primary, post primary and special schools by District Electoral Area for 2022/23.

Chart 89: Ethnicity of pupils by DEA



	Carntogher	Clogher Valley	Cookstown	Dungannon	Magherafelt	Moyola	Torrent
Unclassified	0	1	4	23	4	1	2
Mixed Ethnic Group	16	38	37	561	59	23	45
Other Non White	1	11	109	144	37	6	14
Roma	0	8	2	4	4	2	0
Vietnamese	0	4	3	7	4	0	0
Malaysian	1	0	1	5	5	1	1
Korean	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Bangladeshi	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Black	0	9	73	220	21	5	22
Pakistani	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Indian/Sri-Lankan	4	4	8	15	15	6	7
Irish Traveller	6	1	10	80	17	27	72
Chinese/Hong Kong	3	6	15	11	9	5	2
White	3404	4208	4491	4005	3496	3713	4446

Source: DE school censes 2022/23 - (pupil address)

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6.2 Main language spoken other than English

Chart 90: Distribution of main languages spoken other than English, by population age 4-24 for Mid Ulster LGD.

A person's main language as stated in the census. Main Language is applicable to people aged 3 and over, thus the age categories are amended to age 4-24.

[Source: Census 2021]

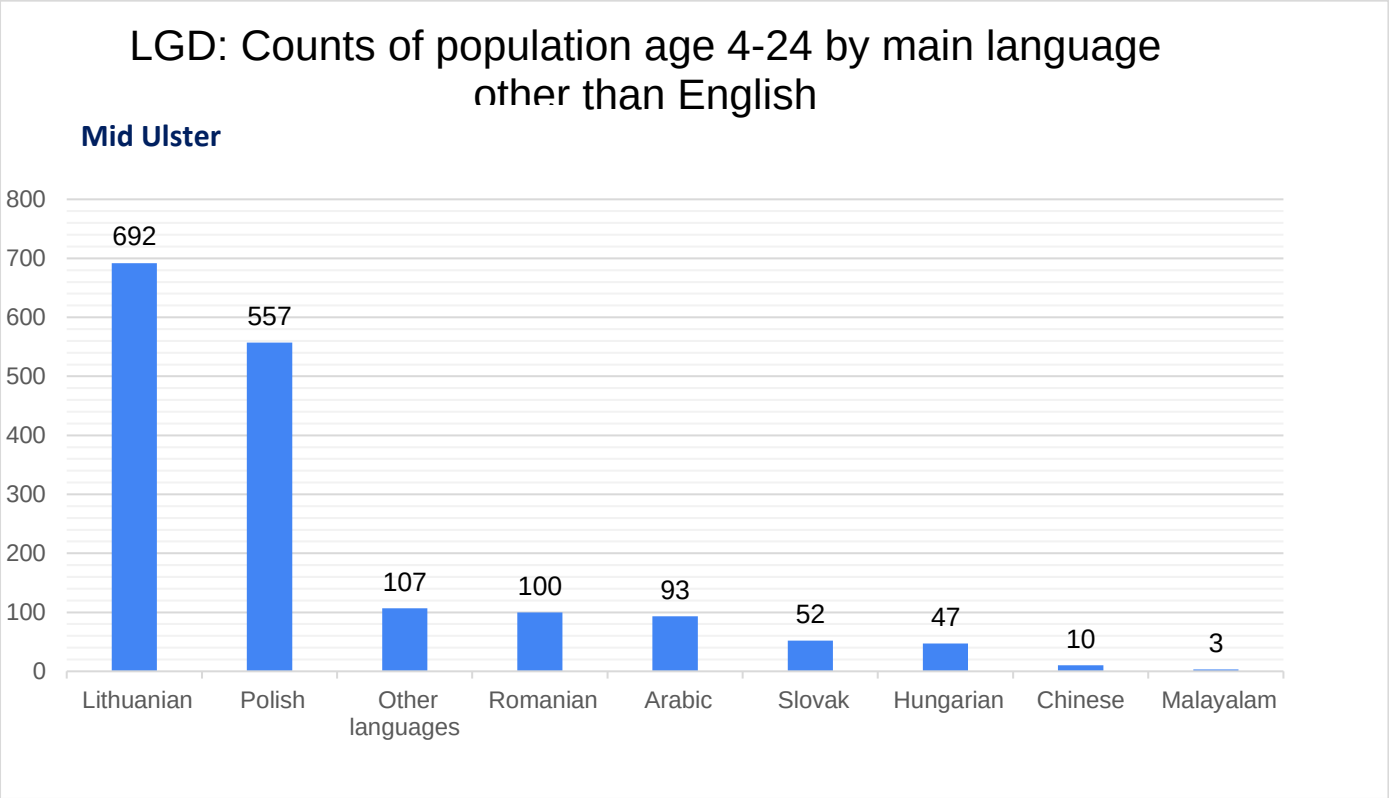
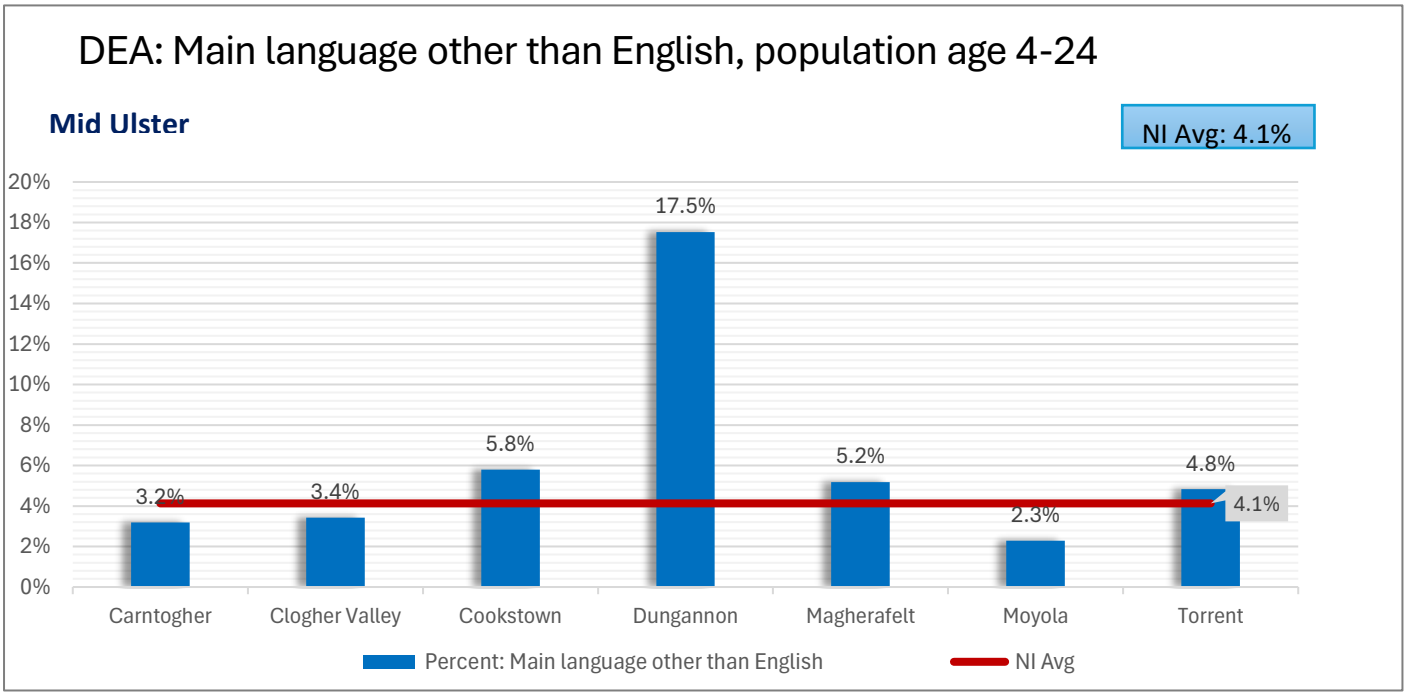


Chart 91: Percentage of population age 4-24 for whose main language is not English, by DEA.

[Source: Census 2021]



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Table 33: Counts of population age 4-24 whose main language is not English, by DEA

[Source: Census 2021]

Main language spoken, age 4-24: Mid Ulster			
District Electoral Area	**Population 4-24**	**Percent: Other languages age 4-24**	**Count: Other languages age 4-24**
Carntogher	5,195	3.2%	166
Clogher Valley	6,292	3.4%	215
Cookstown	7,141	5.8%	414
Dungannon	7,521	17.5%	1,318
Magherafelt	5,538	5.2%	287
Moyola	5,628	2.3%	129
Torrent	6,941	4.8%	335
All Mid Ulster	**44,256**	**6.4%**	**2,864**