

1) The number of reports which contain both the word 'blade or point on school premises' where the suspect was under 18. Please provide figures for the 2019/2020 and 2020/21 academic years (1 September to 31 July), broken down by age of suspect, local authority area and the name of the school (unless the name of the school is exempt from release).

2) For each of these incidents, if possible, please could you provide the outcome data (as used in the police.uk statistics)?

**Clarification received 29/03/2022:**

I am happy to clarify my request to ask for the 'offences' of the details as mentioned below.

*'having an article with a blade or point on school premises' and 'threaten with a blade or pointed article on school premises'*

Offence Title:

Offence Title	Sep 19-Jul 20	Sep 20-Jul 21	Grand Total
Having an article with a blade or point on school premises	100	166	266
Threaten with a blade or sharply pointed article on school premises	9	18	27
Grand Total	109	184	293

Age:

Age	Sep 19-Jul 20	Sep 20-Jul 21	Grand Total
4	1	-	1
5	1	-	1
8	2	3	5
9	3	6	9
10	7	10	17
11	9	25	34
12	10	36	46
13	24	32	56
14	21	26	47
15	20	34	54
16	7	9	16
17	4	3	7
Grand Total	109	184	293

Local Authority Area:

Neighbourhood Policing Unit	Sep 19-Jul 20	Sep 20-Jul 21	Grand Total
Birmingham East	28	42	70
Birmingham West	24	44	68

Coventry	14	18	32
Dudley	7	2	9
Sandwell	17	35	52
Solihull	4	12	16
Walsall	11	17	28
Wolverhampton	4	14	18
Grand Total	109	184	293

Outcome:

Outcome	Sep 19-Jul 20	Sep 20-Jul 21	Grand Total
Not recorded	1	25	26
Caution - Youth (Inc Conditional Caution)	44	35	79
Charge or Summons	10	6	16
Community Resolution	1	18	19
Diversionsary, educational or intervention activity, resulting from the crime report, has been undertaken and it is not in the public interest to take any further action	-	6	6
Evidential Difficulties - Victim Based - Named suspect not identified	-	2	2
Formal action against the offender is not in the public interest (Police)	6	4	10
Further action will be taken by another body	5	6	11
Investigation Complete: No suspect identified	-	6	6
Named Suspect identified: evidential difficulties prevent further action (no victim support)	8	30	38
Named Suspect identified: evidential difficulties prevent further action (victim support)	25	43	68
Postal Charge With Alternative Offence	1	-	1
Prosecution not in the public interest (CPS) (all offences)	1	-	1
Prosecution prevented – Named suspect identified but is below the age of criminal responsibility	6	3	9
Prosecution prevented – Named suspect identified but is too ill (physical or mental health) to prosecute	1	-	1
Grand Total	109	184	293