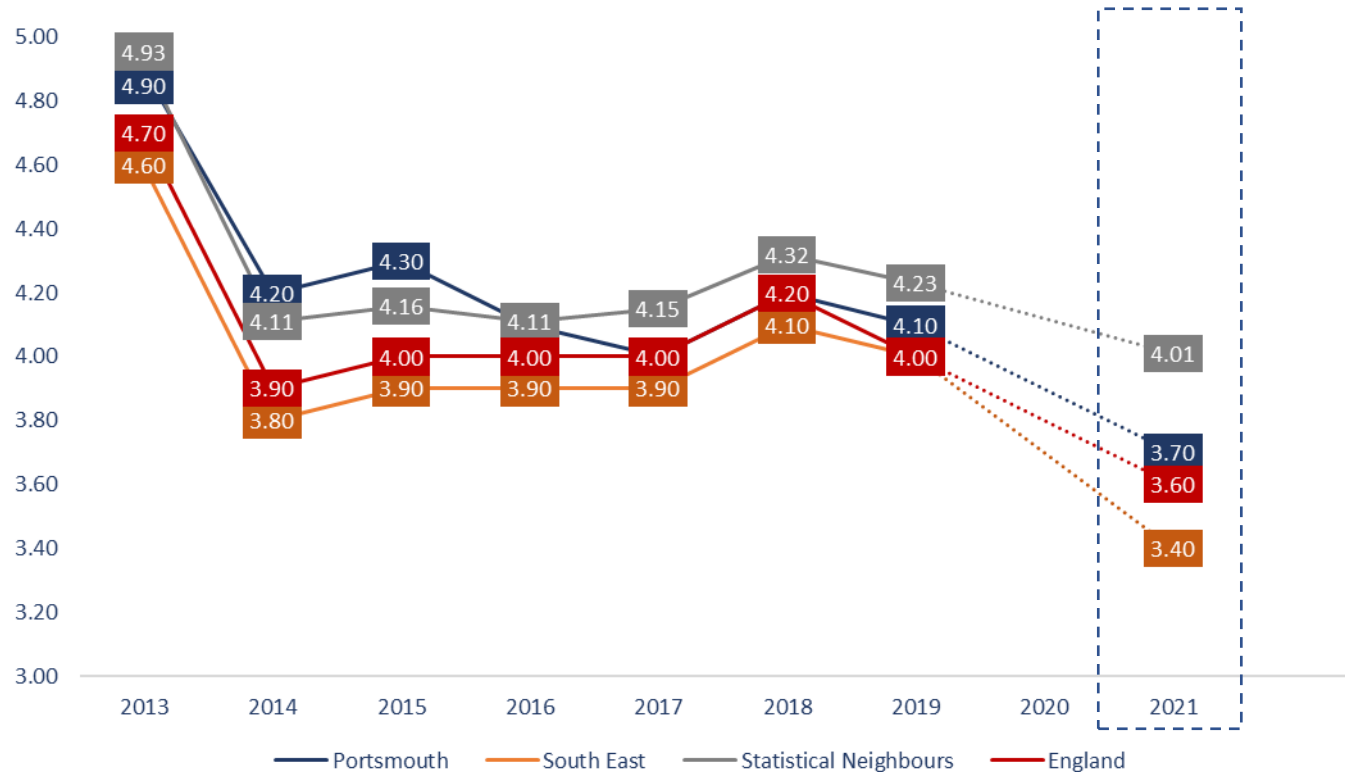


Total primary absence

Dropdown Description	Indicator description	Last Updated	Next Updated	PCC Score	South East	SN Ave	England Ave	Ranking	Quartile	Distance from SE	Distance from SN	Distance from Nat	Change from last read
Total Primary Absence	Total absence from Primary Schools - authorised and unauthorised - (inc State funded Schools only from 2011)	2021	Mar-23	3.70	3.40	4.01	3.60	80	C	0.3	-0.31	0.1	Improved

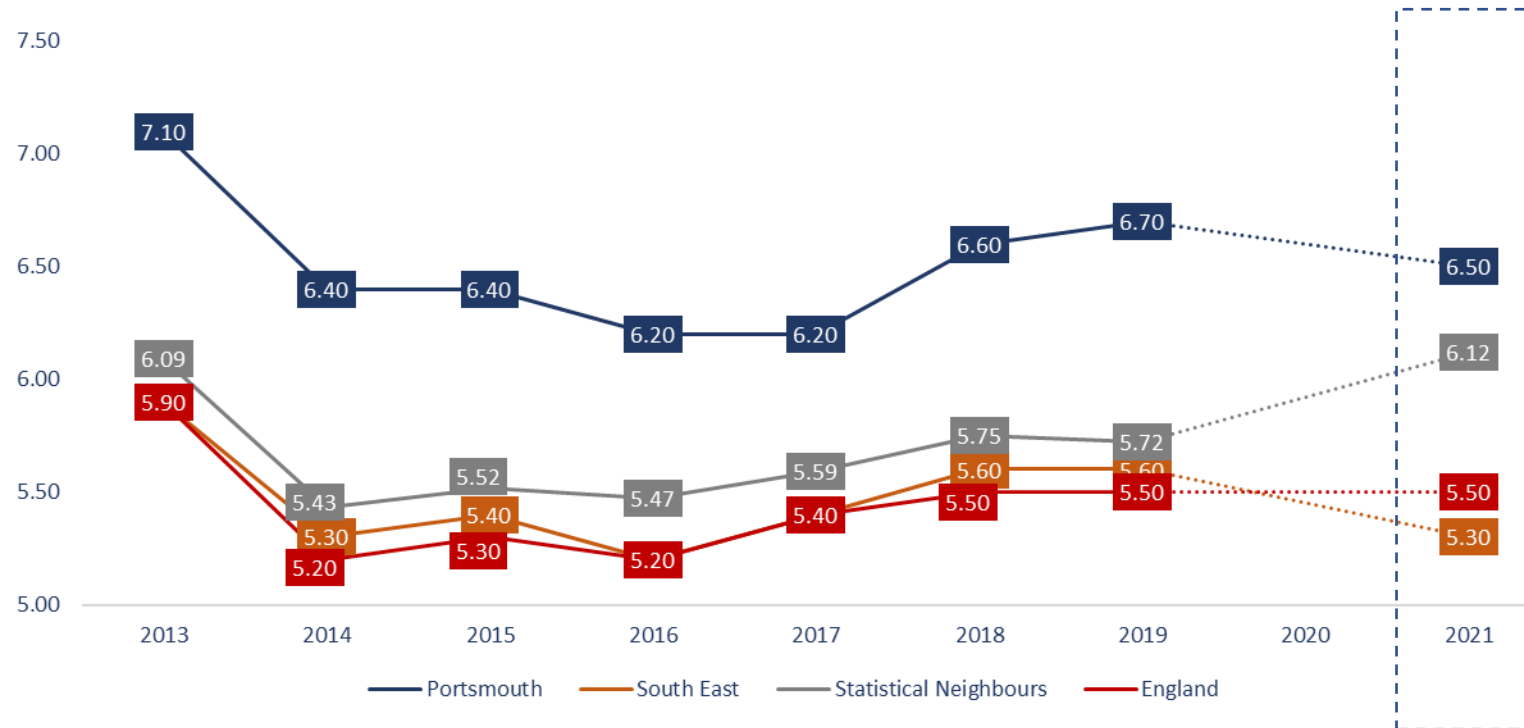


PCC is registering **lower primary absence rates than the SN average**. Despite improvements registered since the last read, primary absence rates for PCC remain higher than the national picture and that of the South east.

Total secondary absence

Dropdown Description	Indicator description	Last Updated	Next Updated	PCC Score	South East	SN Ave	England Ave	Ranking
Total Secondary Absence	Total absence from Secondary Schools - authorised and unauthorised (inc. State Funded Schools only from 2010)	2021	Mar-23	6.50	5.30	6.12	5.50	132

Quartile	Distance from SE	Distance from SN	Distance from Nat	Change from last read
D	1.2	0.38	1	Improved

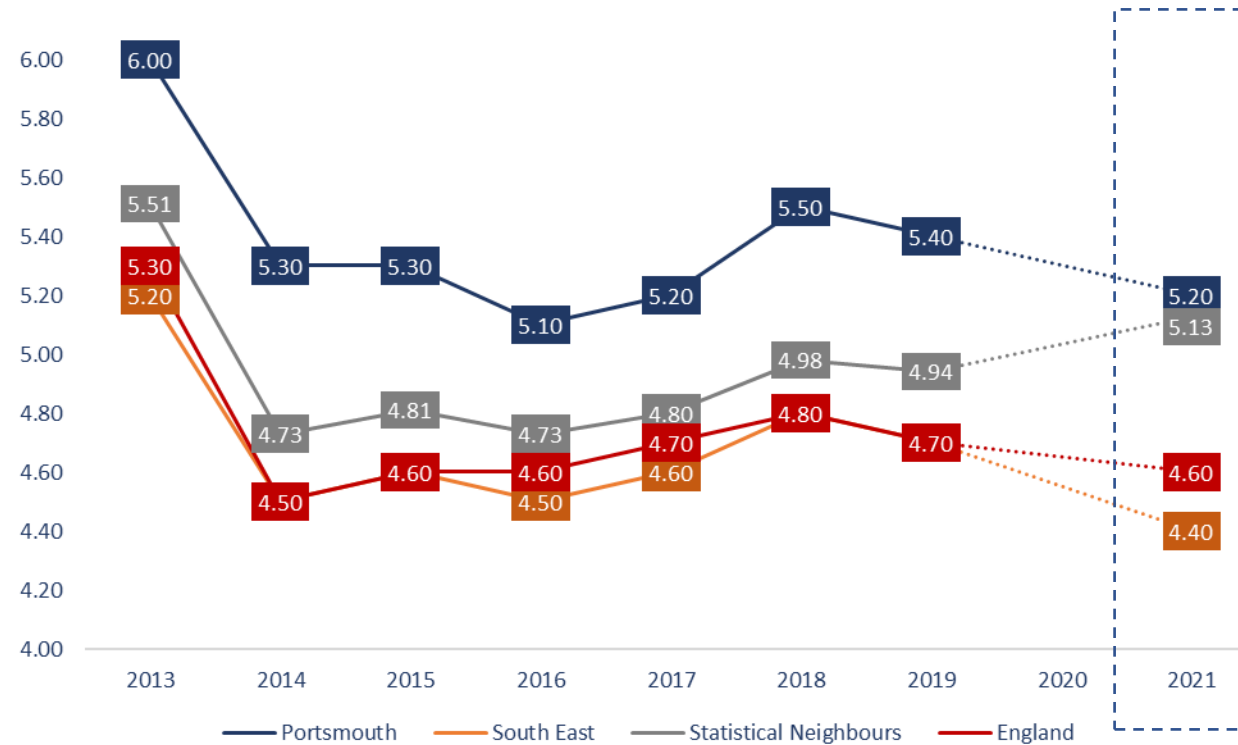


Although the absence rate has dropped since last read, PCC still have higher rates than national, South East and SN averages – placing PCC in the bottom quartile of all LAs.

Total absence

Dropdown Description	Indicator description	Last Updated	Next Updated	PCC Score	South East	SN Ave	England Ave	Ranking
Total School Absence	Total School Absence - authorised and unauthorised	2021	Mar-23	5.20	4.40	5.13	4.60	127

Quartile	Distance from SE	Distance from SN	Distance from Nat	Change from last read
D	0.8	0.07	0.6	Improved

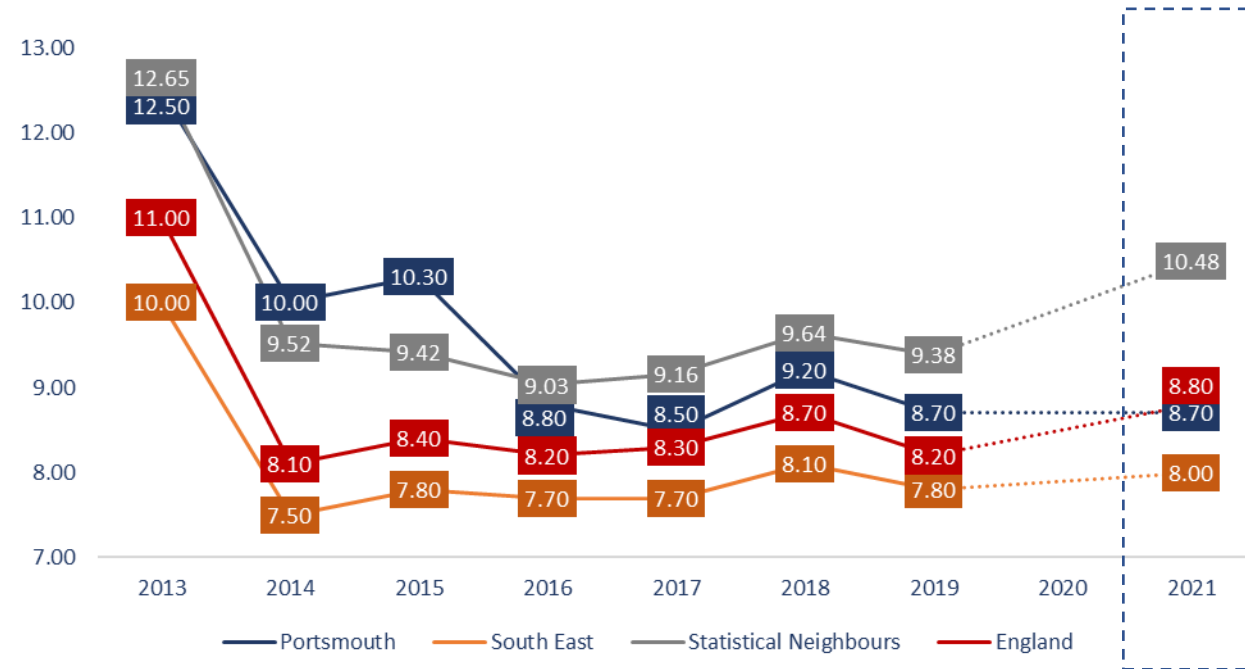


Total absence rates have improved since last read but remain higher than national, South east and SN averages. PCC are in the bottom quartile out of all LAs.

Primary Persistent absence

Dropdown Description	Indicator description	Last Updated	Next Updated	PCC Score	South East	SN Ave	England Ave	Ranking
Primary Persistent Absence (new definition)	State Funded Primary persistent absence rates (New definition)	2021	Mar-23	8.70	8.00	10.48	8.80	79

Quartile	Distance from SE	Distance from SN	Distance from Nat	Change from last read
C	0.7	-1.78	-0.1	No significant change

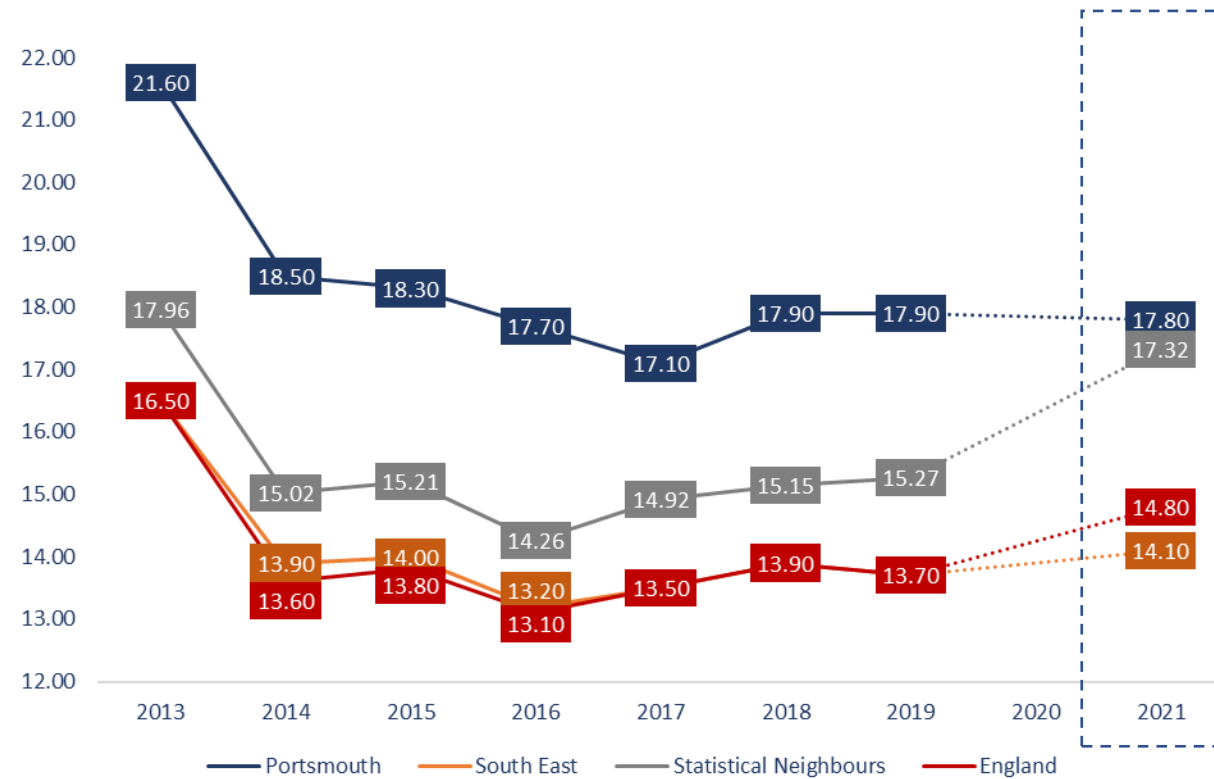


Primary persistent absence rates remain unchanged for PCC since the last read, despite other comparators recording an increase. Below the national figure and SN average, they remain higher than that of the South East. **Currently PCC are ranked 79th out of all LAs.**

Secondary Persistent absence

Indicator description	Last Updated	Next Updated	PCC Score	South East	SN Ave	England Ave	Ranking
State Funded Secondary persistent absence rates (New definition)	2021	Mar-23	17.80	14.10	17.32	14.80	124

Quartile	Distance from SE	Distance from SN	Distance from Nat	Change from last read
D	3.7	0.48	3	Improved

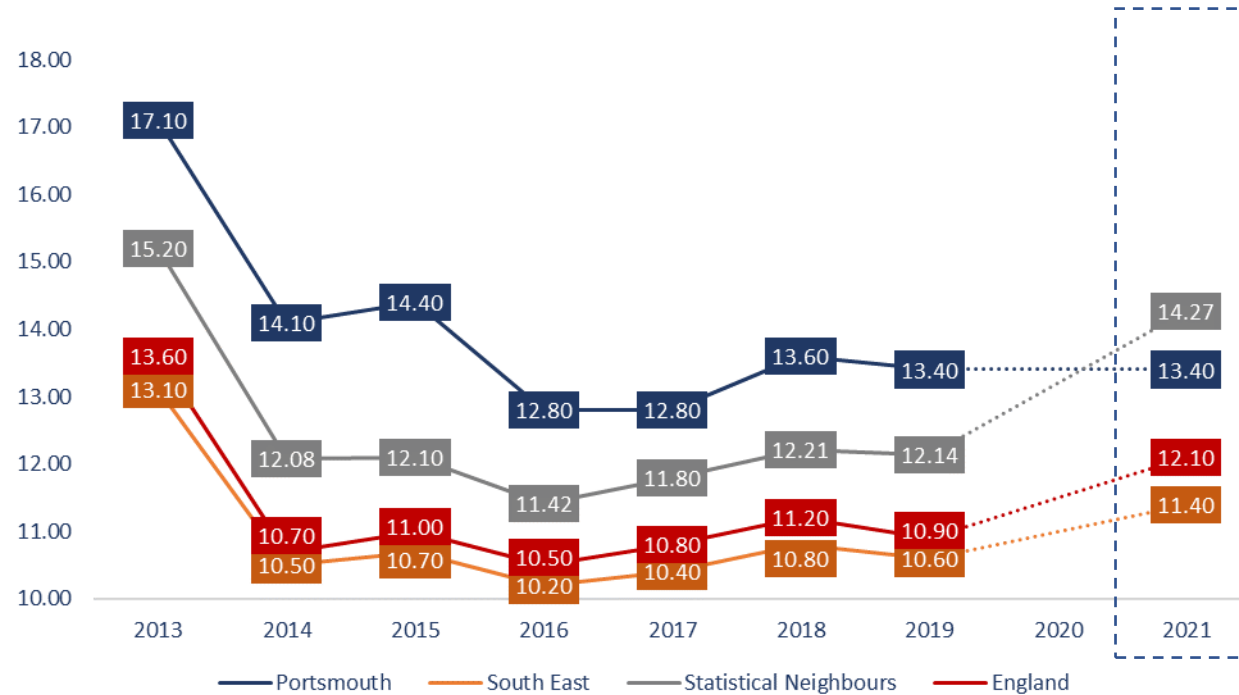


PCC has recorded a slight decrease in the secondary persistent absence rate but still remains higher than comparators as is **currently in lowest quartile and ranked 124th out of all LAs.**

Total Persistent absence

Dropdown Description	Indicator description	Last Updated	Next Updated	PCC Score	South East	SN Ave	England Ave	Ranking
Total Persistent Absence (new definition)	State Funded Total persistent absence rates (New definition)	2021	Mar-23	13.40	11.40	14.27	12.10	144

Quartile	Distance from SE	Distance from SN	Distance from Nat	Change from last read
D	2	-0.87	1.3	No significant change

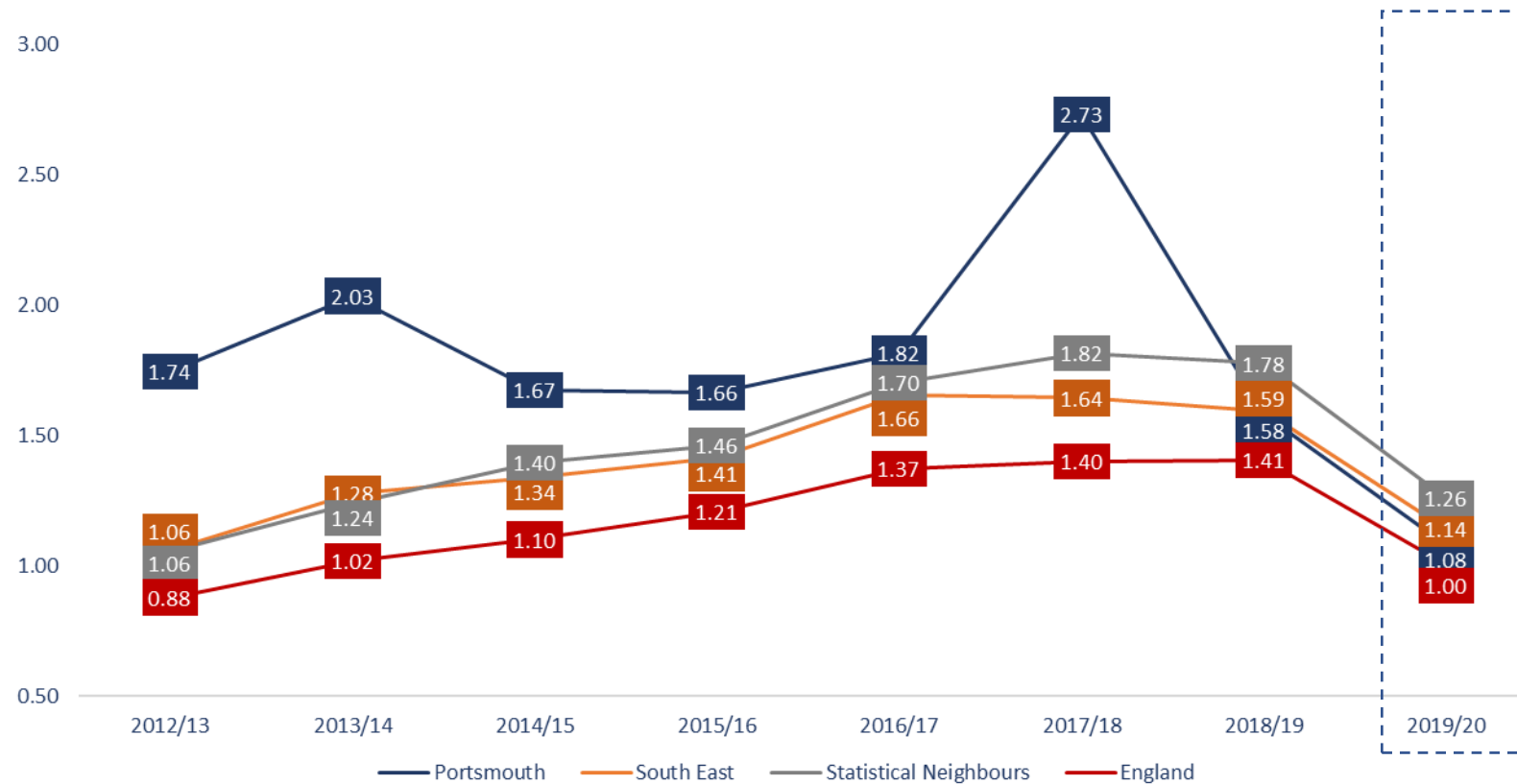


Over all persistent absence rates have remained unchanged for PCC. PCC remain in the bottom quartile and are ranked 144th out of all LAs.

Primary Suspensions

Dropdown Description	Indicator description	Last Updated	Next Updated	PCC Score	South East	SN Ave	England Ave	Ranking
Primary Suspensions	Number of Primary school suspensions expressed as a percentage of the school population.	2020	Jul-22	1.08	1.14	1.26	1.00	99

Quartile	Distance from SE	Distance from SN	Distance from Nat	Change from last read
C	-0.06	-0.18	0.08	Improved

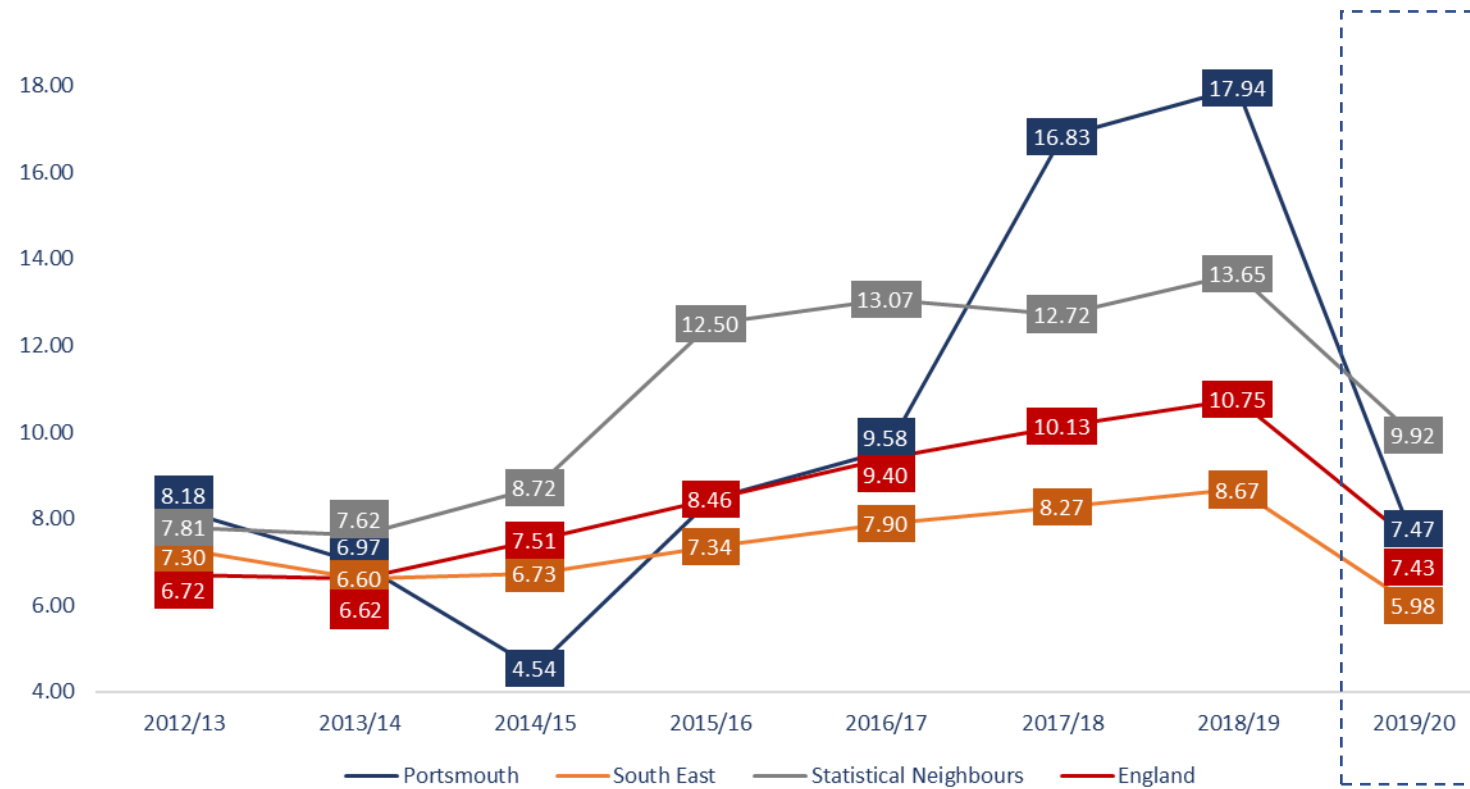


The proportion of primary suspensions has recorded **a decrease in PCC** and is **lower than the SN average**. It is still higher than national and places PCC in the second lowest quartile of all LAs.

Secondary Suspensions

Dropdown Description	Indicator description	Last Updated	Next Updated	PCC Score	South East	SN Ave	England Ave	Ranking
Secondary Suspensions	Number of Secondary school suspensions expressed as a percentage of the school population.	2020	Jul-22	7.47	5.98	9.92	7.43	97

Quartile	Distance from SE	Distance from SN	Distance from Nat	Change from last read
C	1.49	-2.45	0.04	Improved

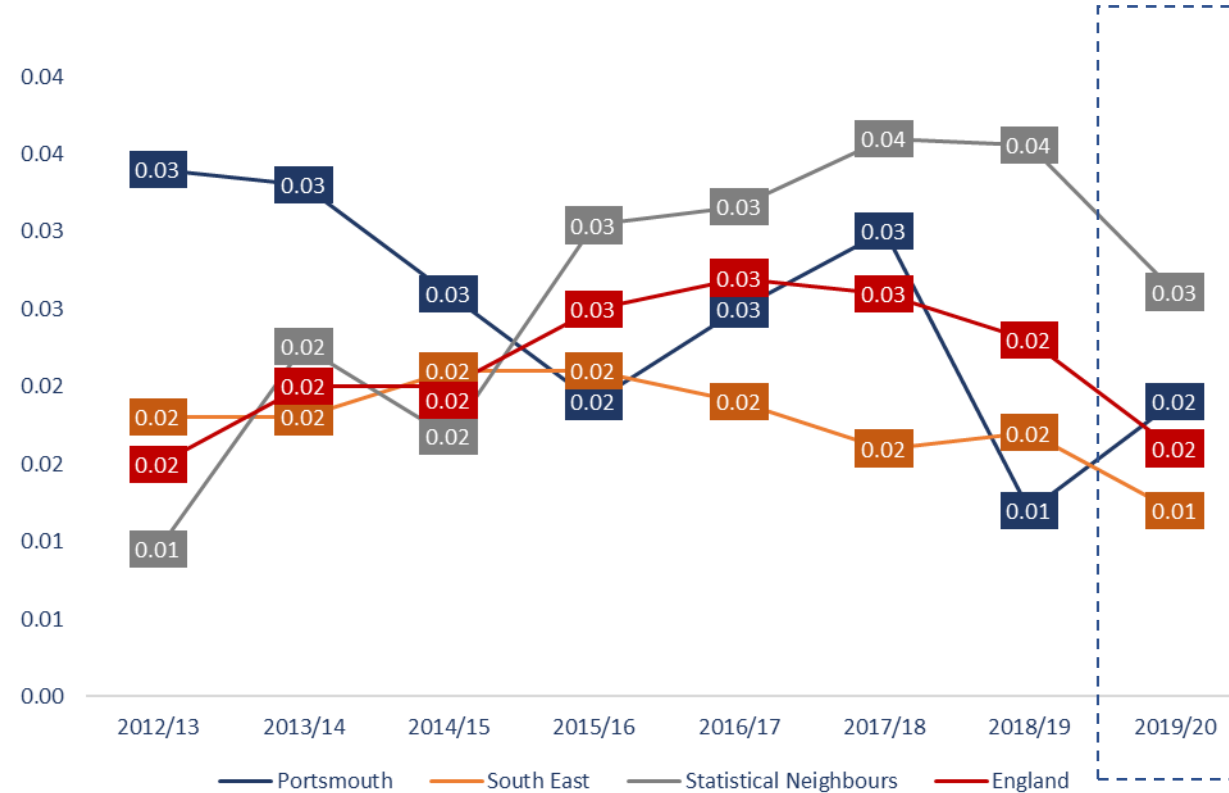


A marked improvement has been recorded for PCC in terms of secondary suspensions. Although higher than national and South East figures the figure is now below that of the SN average.

Primary Exclusions

Dropdown Description	Indicator description	Last Updated	Next Updated	PCC Score	South East	SN Ave	England Ave	Ranking
Primary Permanent Exclusions	Primary Permanent Exclusions from school as a percentage of the school population	2020	Jul-22	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.02	104

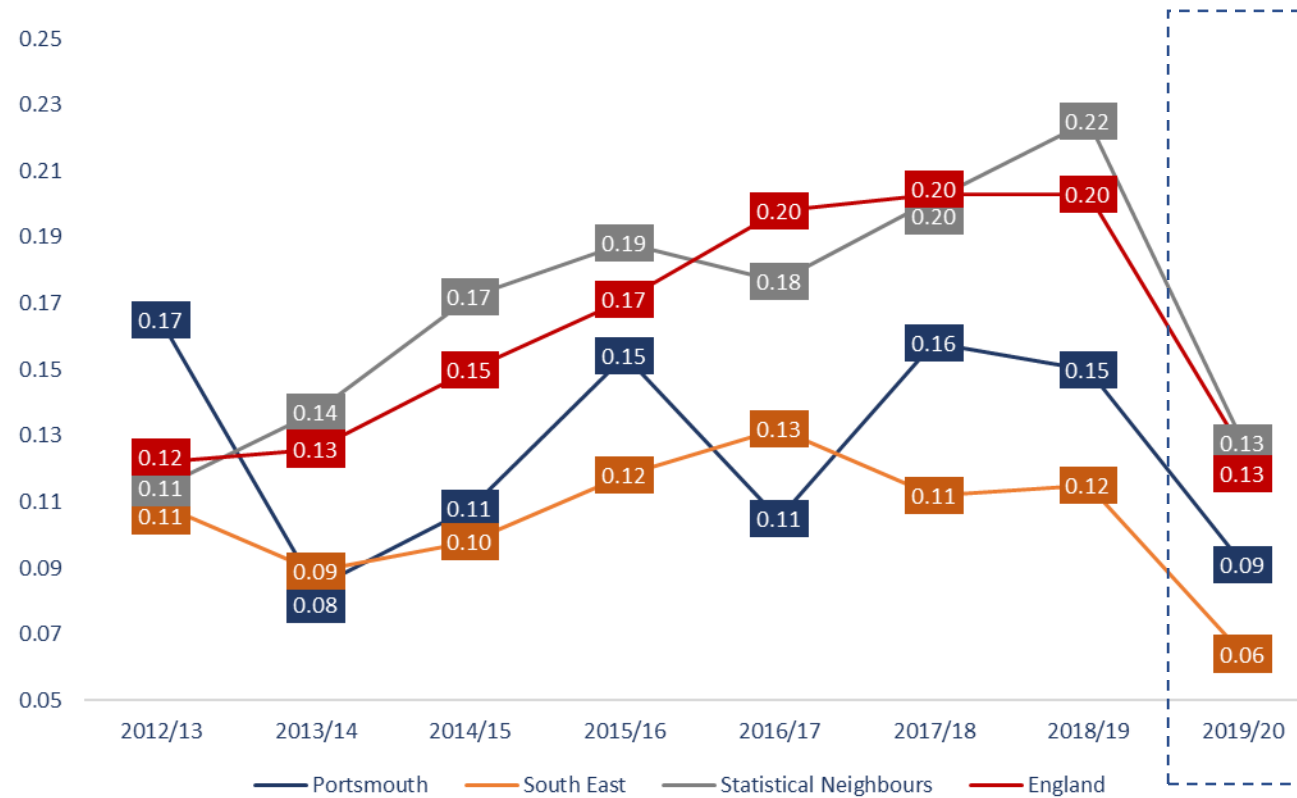
Quartile	Distance from SE	Distance from SN	Distance from Nat	Change from last read
C	0.01	-0.01	0	Worse



PCC has registered a slight increase in the percentage of primary exclusions. The figure is now in line with national figures but **remains lower than the SN average.**

Secondary Exclusions

Dropdown Description	Indicator description	Last Updated	Next Updated	PCC Score	South East	SN Ave	England Ave	Ranking	Quartile	Distance from SE	Distance from SN	Distance from Nat	Change from last read
Secondary Permanent Exclusions	Secondary Permanent Exclusions from school as a % of the school population	2020	Jul-22	0.09	0.06	0.13	0.13	49	B	0.03	-0.04	-0.04	Improved



As have all comparators, PCC has recorded a decrease in the proportion of secondary exclusions. The figure is now below that of the SN average but **remains higher than the South East.**