

Secondary School health profile:	Avon Valley College
Click text with a cursor for map	Background information
1) Population	The number of pupils who attended Avon Valley College in October 2012 was 623. This is lower than the Wiltshire average school size of 1022. There were 327 pupils in the year groups 7 to 9, 217 in years 10 and 11 and 79 in years 12 to 14.
2) Child poverty	In Amesbury community area 9.4% of children live in poverty. This is lower than the Wiltshire figure of 11.6%.
3) Eligibility for free school meals	In Avon Valley College, 7.4% of pupils are eligible for free school meals. This is similar to the Wiltshire figure of 6.4%.
4) English as an additional language	The percentage of pupils who do not speak English as their first language in Avon Valley College is 3.4%. This is similar to the Wiltshire figure of 3.4%. Within the Amesbury community area there are at least 4 different languages spoken by pupils whose first language is not English. In Wiltshire there are at least 35 different languages spoken by pupils with English as an additional language.
5) Special educational needs	There are 33.5% of pupils in Avon Valley College with special educational needs. This is significantly higher than the Wiltshire figure of 15.9%.
6) Risk of NEET Index score (RONI)	Avon Valley College mean RONI score of 8.74 is higher than the Wiltshire mean of 6.32. After ranking these scores, Avon Valley College came 17 out of 29 (1 indicates the most positive mean RONI score).
7) Service families	There are 343 children between year 9 and 11 from service families per 1000 pupils in Avon Valley College. This is significantly higher than the Wiltshire figure of 58 per 1000 children.
8) Youth offending	Avon Valley College has 31 youth offenders per 1000 pupils in the school years 9 to 11. This is not significantly higher than the Wiltshire figure of 23 per 1000 pupils.
9) Mode of transport	In Avon Valley College 38.9% of the pupils walked to school and a further 7.9% cycled between 2009 and 2011. This is significantly lower than the Wiltshire percentage of students who walk to school; 42.1%. It is also significantly higher than the Wiltshire percentage of students who cycle to school; 2.8%.
10) Common assessment framework (CAF)	For the Amesbury community area between the ages 0 and 19 there were 14 CAFs open per 1000. This is similar to the Wiltshire figure of 11 per 1000.

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11) Teenage conceptions	From 2009 to 2011 there have been 32 teenage conceptions per 1000 15-17 year olds in the Amesbury community area. This is not significantly higher than the Wiltshire figure of 27 per 1000.
12) Physical activity	At Avon Valley College it is estimated that 395 pupils (63.4%) participate in 3 hours of sports education each week.
13) Obese and Overweight Year 6 pupils	Approximately 31.9% of year 6 children in Amesbury community area are obese or overweight. This is not significantly higher than the Wiltshire figure of 30%.
14) Smoking prevalence	At Avon Valley College it is estimated that 31 pupils (5%) smoke.

Admissions to hospital

15) Alcohol admissions	There were 82 annual alcohol admissions to hospital per 100,000 under 18 year olds in Amesbury community area. This is not significantly higher than the Wiltshire figure of 66 per 100,000.
16) Drug admissions	There were 148 annual drug admissions to hospital per 100,000 under 18 year olds in Amesbury community area. This is similar to the Wiltshire figure of 161 per 100,000.
17) Accident & Emergency attendances (A&E)	In Amesbury community area there were 198 per 1000 A&E Attendances between the ages 10 to 18. This is significantly lower than the Wiltshire figure of 244 per 1000.
18) Accidents (non-intentional)	Annually, between the ages 10 to 17 there were 1279 accidents that led to a hospital admission per 100,000 in the Amesbury community area. This is significantly higher than the Wiltshire figure of 888 per 100,000.
19) Self-harm	Annually, between the ages 10 to 17 there were 338 hospital admissions for intentional self harm incidents per 100,000 in the Amesbury community area. This is not significantly higher than the Wiltshire figure of 276 per 100,000.

Notes and Metadata

Notes: Community areas have been allocated to a school based on the location of the school.

METADATA: 1) School census October 2012 2) Children in households below the average income 2010/11 3)-5) School census October 2012 6)-8) Risk of Neet Indicator Tool 9) School census data 2009-2011 10) CAF report December 2011 11) Annual teenage conception rate per 1,000 15-17 year olds between 2009-20011 12) Estimation from school sports survey 2009/2010 13) National Child Measurement Programme 2009-2012 14) Estimation from Smoking, Drinking and Drug Use Among Young People in England - 2010 15) Annual alcohol hospital admissions for under 18 year olds between 2008-2011 16) Annual drug hospital admissions for under 18 year olds 2008-2011 17) A&E attendances for 10-18 year olds between 2011-2012 18) Non-intentional accident hospital admissions for 10-17 year olds between 2008-2012 19) Self-harm hospital admissions for 10-17 year olds between 2008-2012

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