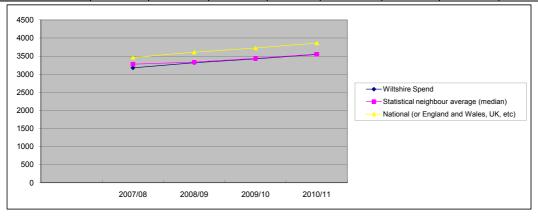
Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11						
Section 251 Line	Individual Schools Budget					
Definition	Line 1.0.1 Individual Schools Budget per pupil					

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend	3176	3320	3426	3549		
Statistical neighbour average (median)	3278	3334	3435	3555		
National (or England and Wales, UK, etc)	3465	3610	3726	3864		



Funding Delegated to schools in Wiltshire is lower than the national average. This would be expected as funding received by the county is lower than more urban authorities, for example. Comparison with statistical neighbours shows Wiltshire moving closer to the levels of similar authorities, this may be partly accounted for by the increase in funding delegated for SEN in secondary schools for Enhanced Learning Provision (ELP). All funding for Practical Learning is also delegated in Wiltshire.

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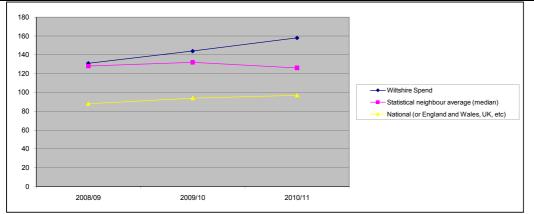
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Section 52/251 Benchmarking - line 1.0.1. includes school budget share comprise	Section 52/251 Benchmarking - line 1.0.1. includes school budget share comprising DSG and LSC allocations							
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# Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11 1.0.9 - Early Years Expenditure on free entitlement in PVI Providers Definition Expenditure on the Free Entitlement in PVI providers (funded by the LA) (1.0.9) £ per pupil

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend		131	144	158		
Statistical neighbour average (median)		128	132	126		
National (or England and Wales, UK, etc)		88	94	97		



# Describe the data to pick out features of performance and trends compared to other Local Authorities and National performance

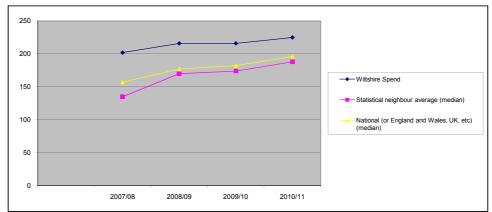
Expenditure on in the PVI Sector is consistently higher in Wiltshire than its statistical neighbours or the national picture. This may reflect that high proportion of PVI settings as part of the free entitlement delivery in the county.

Investment in the implementation of the Early Years Single Funding Formula in Wiltshire in 2010/11 may account for the increase in the relative positon compared with statistical neighbours in 2010/11

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Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11						
Section 251 Line	Lines 1.2.1 to 1.2.8 - Schools Budget SEN					
Definition	Schools Budget SEN (not including PRUs, behaviour support, education out of school) £/pupil (sum of lines 1.2.1 to 1.2.8)					

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend	202	216	216	225		
Statistical neighbour average (median)	135	170	174	188		
National (or England and Wales, UK, etc) (median)	157	177	182	196		

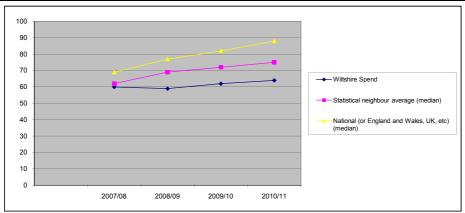


Expenditure on SEN from centrally retained DSG is consistently higher in Wiltshire than the national average and the average for statistical neighbours. This is accounted for by the level of funding retained centrally for statemented pupils and allocated as Named Pupil Allowances. This funding is allocated to schools but assigned to individual pupil needs rather than delegated through a formula.

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Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11						
Section 251 Line	Lines 1.3.1 to 1.3.3 Behaviour Support					
Definition	PRUs/ Behaviour Support/ Education Otherwise £ / pupil (Sum of 1.3.1 to 1.3.3)					

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend	60	59	62	64		
Statistical neighbour average (median)	62	69	72	75		
National (or England and Wales, UK, etc) (median)	69	77	82	88		



Wiltshire spend is lower than statistical neighbours. More detailed analysis by Schools Forum SEN Group has raised concerns that in the case of Pupil Referral Units (PRUs) it is difficult to establish if we are comparing like with like in terms of how the service is delivered however the pattern of lower spend in Wiltshire is consistent from year to year.

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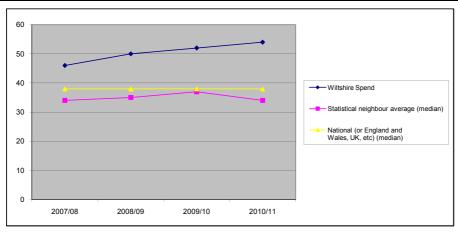
# Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11

Section 251 Line Line 2.0.6 SEN - non Schools Budget

**Definition** 

SEN Expenditure by the LA - includes Psychology Service, SEN Administration, Assessment and Co-ordination, Therapies (Speech & Language), Parent Partnership, Monitoring of SEN Provison

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend	46	50	52	54		
Statistical neighbour	34	35	37	34		
National (or England and	38	38	38	38		



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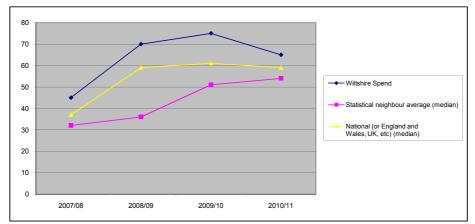
Wiltshire spends above the national average and the average for statistical neighbours on SEN. Expenditure on SEN Administration and Assessment is higher than all similar authorities and expenditure on therapies (speech & language) is the second highest in our group of statistical neighbours

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Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11						
Line 2.1.9 School Improvement Section 251 Line						
Definition	School Improvement Services					

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend	45	70	75	65		
Statistical neighbour average (median)	32	36	51	54		
National (or England and Wales, UK, etc) (median)	37	59	61	59		



Pattern of spend shows a wide gap between spend in Wiltshire compared with statistical neighbours - gap narrowing in 2010/11. Spend is more reflective of the national pattern but higher.

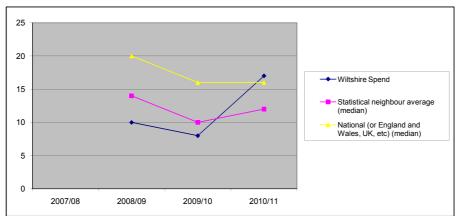
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Would need further work to understand the differences.

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Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11						
Section 251 Line	Youth Justice					
Definition	Youth Offending Teams - £ per head population 0-17					

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend		10	8	17		
Statistical neighbour average (median)		14	10	12		
National (or England and Wales, UK, etc) (median)		20	16	16		

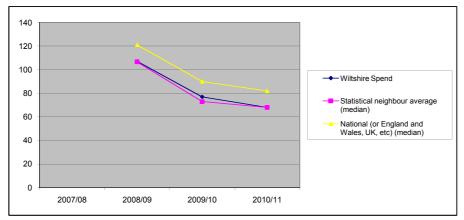


NOTE Figure for 2010/11 is an error, resulting in the expenditure being overstated on line 5.0.3 of the return

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Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11						
Section 251 Line Section 251 Line						
Definition	Services for Young People including Positive Activities, Youth work, Connexions, Student Support					

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend		107	77	68		
Statistical neighbour average (median)		107	73	68		
National (or England and Wales, UK, etc) (median)		121	90	82		



Wiltshire largely in line with similar authorities - decrease in spend in Connexions from year to year

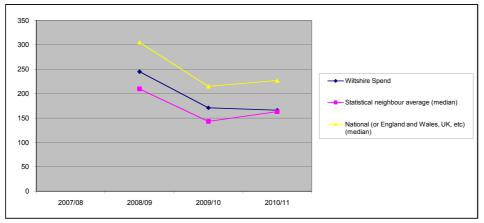
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Note that the requirements of the return have varied from year to year so may not be comparing like with like from one year to the next although position in relation to others should be consistent each year

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Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11							
Section 251 Line	Children Looked After						
Definition	Services for Children Looked After: Fostering Services, Residential Services, Secure Accommodation, Short Breaks for Looked After Disabled children, advocacy for LAC, Education for LAC, UASCs  £ per head population 0-17						

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend		245	171	166		
Statistical neighbour average (median)		210	143	163		
National (or England and Wales, UK, etc) (median)		305	215	227		



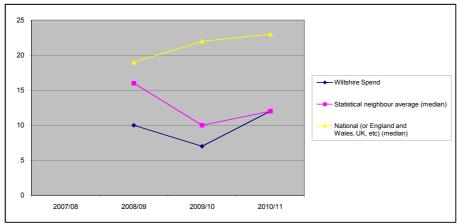
Wiltshire gap to statistical neighbours reducing in 2010/11.

National and statistical neighbour trend of spend increasing in 2010/11 not followed in Wiltshire

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Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11							
Section 251 Line	Children's Safety						
Definition	Children's Safety - Child Death Review Processes, Preventative Services (Children's Fund), LSCB and LA functions in respect of Child Protection £ per head population 0 - 17						

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend		10	7	12		
Statistical neighbour average (median)		16	10	12		
National (or England and Wales, UK, etc) (median)		19	22	23		

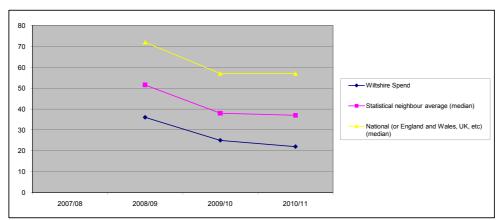


2010/11 spend for Wiltshire in line with average for Statistical Neighbours

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Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11						
Section 251 Line	Family Support Services					
Definition	Includes: Direct Payments, Short Breaks, Family Support, Teenage Pregnancy, Substance Misuse £ per head population 0- 17					

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend		36	25	22		
Statistical neighbour average (median)		52	38	37		
National (or England and Wales, UK, etc) (median)		72	57	57		

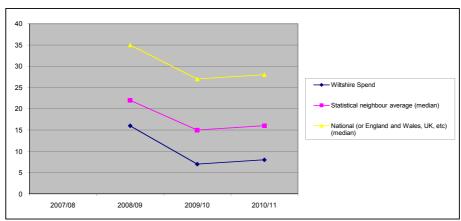


Wiltshire spend consistently lower than that for England and statistical neighbours

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Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11						
Other Children & Families Services Section 251 Line						
Definition	Includes: Adoption Support, Special guardianship Support £ per head population 0- 17					

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend		16	7	8		
Statistical neighbour average (median)		22	15	16		
National (or England and Wales, UK, etc) (median)		35	27	28		

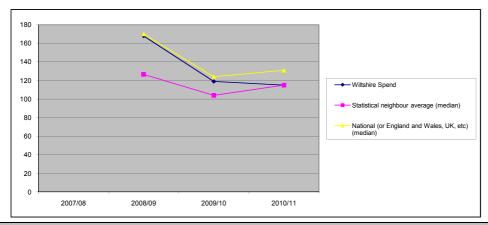


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Wiltshire Section 251 Benchmarking 2010-11						
Section 251 Line	Children's Services Strategy					
Definition	Includes: CYPP, Partnership Costs, Central Commissioning Costs, Commissioning & Social Work £ per head population 0- 17					

Table of data						
Financial year	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11		
Wiltshire Spend		168	119	115		
Statistical neighbour average (median)		127	104	115		
National (or England and Wales, UK, etc) (median)		170	124	131		



Wiltshire spend decreased 2010/11 - now in line with average for statistical neighbours.

2010/11

This line includes all Social Work Teams and the budget is based on the old structure for Social Care - new structure may result in us completing the form differently in future years particularly in the split between what is considered to be "commissioning and Social Work" and what might be included under LAC.

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