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The impact of the Early Years Foundation Stage [EYFS] on Registered Childminders

Childminding Statistics

Source of all data - Ofsted published statistics (2008 to 2011)

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Source of All data used in this Appendix

All data is extrapolated from the Office for Standards in Education [Ofsted] published latest quarterly data (December 2011) freely available for download from their website.

Top 5 Local Authorities with Active Childminders

The county of Hampshire has the highest number of ‘Active’ registered childminders (1460) of any Local Authority in England and represents 3.7% of the overall total.



Figure 1 - Top 5 Local Authorities of Active Childminders

Childminders in England

The number of currently ‘Active’ registered childminders in England is 39500.

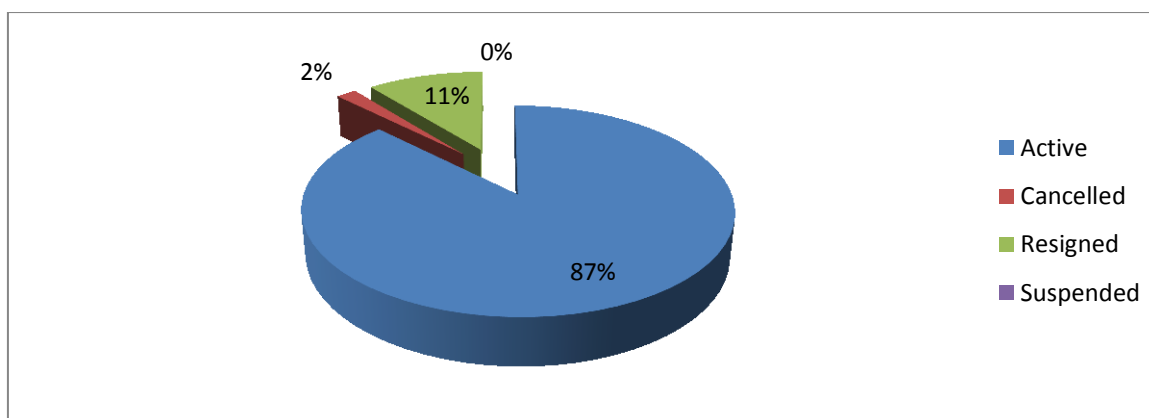


Figure 2 - Childminders in England

Status	Childminders
Active	39500
Cancelled	821
Resigned	4842
Suspended	8

‘Active’ v ‘Cancelled / Resigned’ Childminders in England

Since 2008, when the Early Years Foundation Stage [EYFS] commenced and Ofsted began collecting their current data, there have been 13% of childminders resigning or cancelling their registration. It is not possible to determine the reasons for these childminders ceasing their registrations as that data has never been collected.

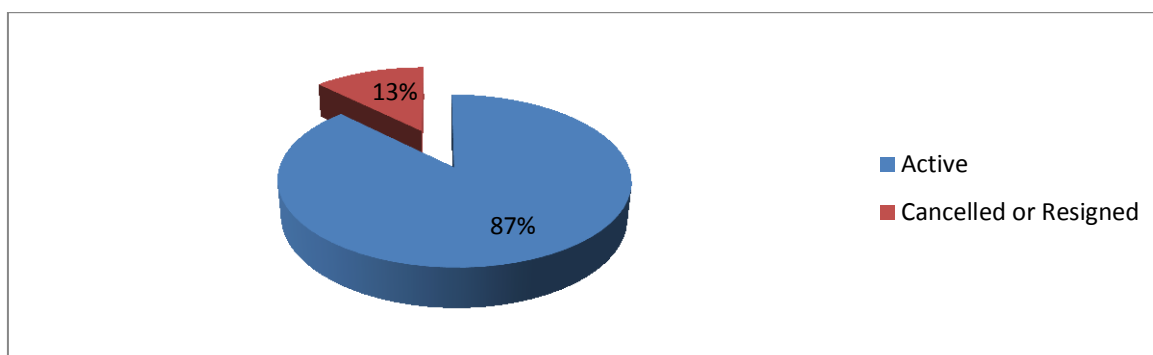


Figure 3 - Childminders in England (Since 2008)

Status	Childminders
Active	39500
Cancelled or Resigned	5663

‘Active’ v ‘Cancelled / Resigned’ Childminders in Hampshire

Hampshire is slightly less than the national averages with only 11% of childminders resigning or cancelling their registration since 2008.

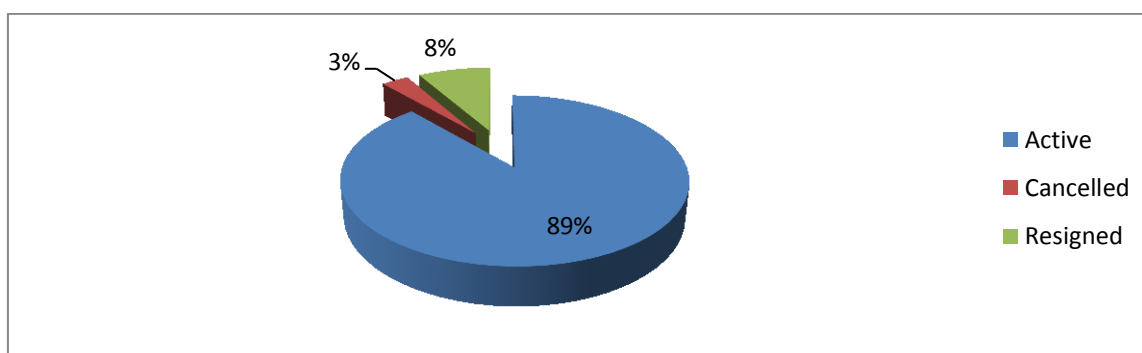


Figure 4 - Childminders in Hampshire (since 2008)

Status	Childminders
Active	1460
Cancelled	51
Resigned	137

Ofsted Inspection Grading for ‘Active’ Childminders in England

The Ofsted data shows that of the 39500 ‘Active’ childminders in England 71% have achieved an Outstanding or Good inspection grading with 29% receiving Satisfactory.

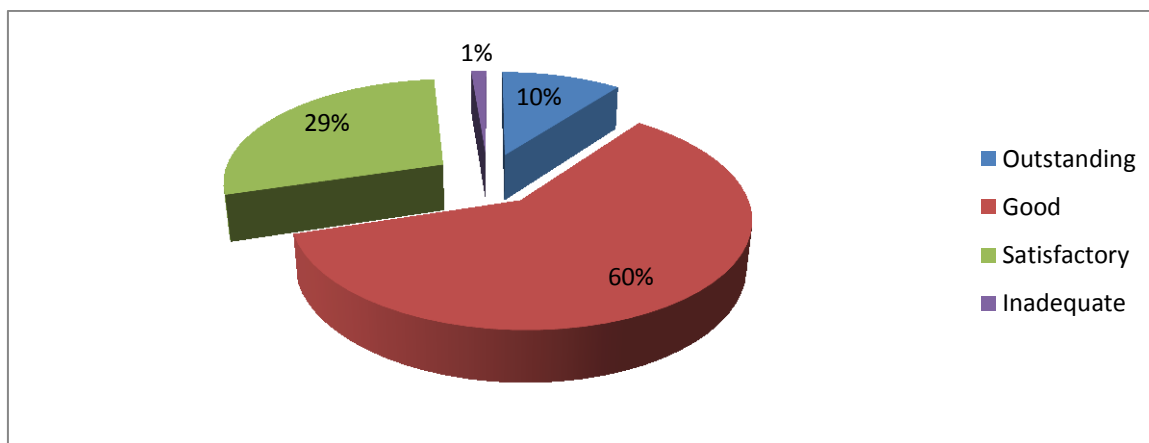


Figure 5 - Active Childminders in England by Ofsted Grading

Judgement	Active Childminders	Percentage
Outstanding	4074	10.31%
Good	23676	59.94%
Satisfactory	11250	28.48%
Inadequate	500	1.27%

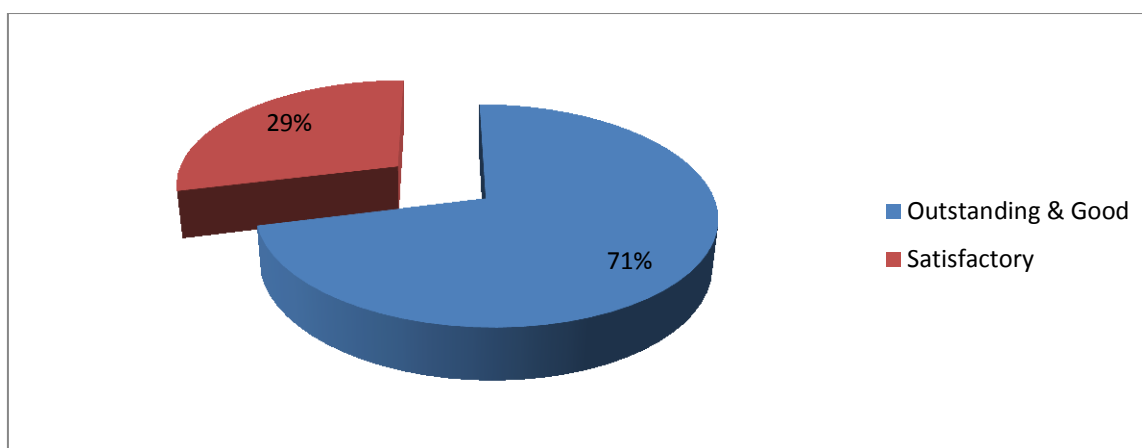


Figure 6 - Active Childminders in England Outstanding / Good and Satisfactory

Judgement	Active Childminders	Percentage
Outstanding & Good	27750	70.25%
Satisfactory	11250	28.48%

Ofsted Inspection Grading for 'Active' Childminders in Hampshire

Hampshire has a slightly higher percentage (73%) of Outstanding and Good childminders than the national average of 71%.

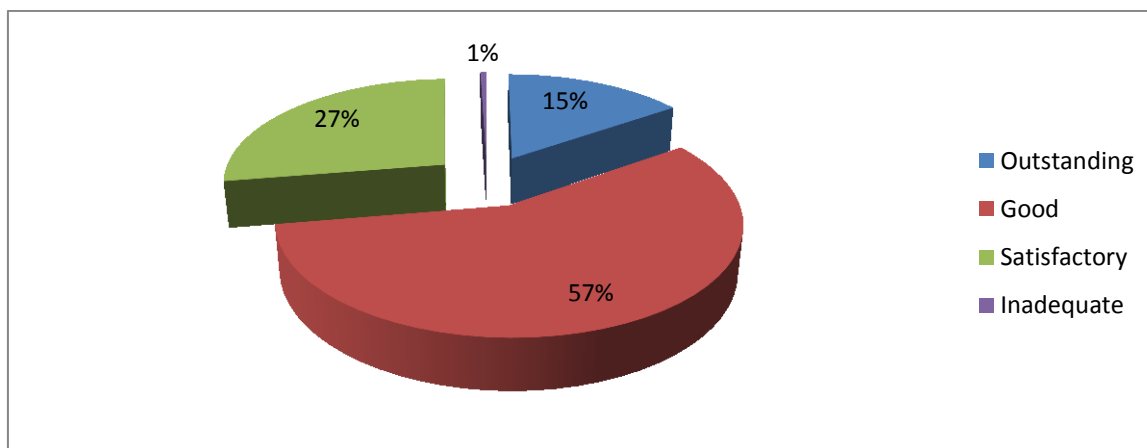


Figure 7 - Active Hampshire Childminders by Ofsted Grading

Judgement	Total	Percentage
Outstanding	224	15.34%
Good	833	57.05%
Satisfactory	396	27.12%
Inadequate	7	0.48%

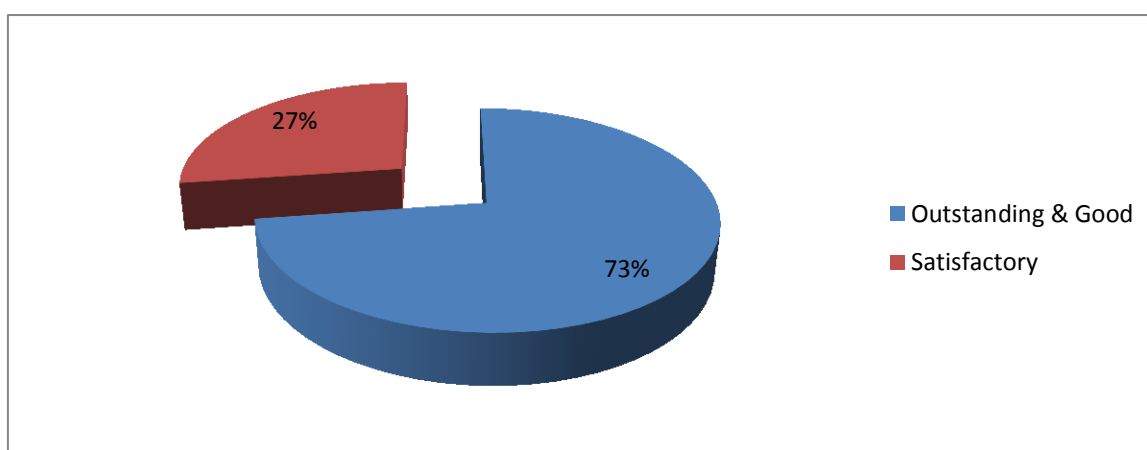


Figure 8 - Active Hampshire Childminders Outstanding / Good and Satisfactory

Judgement	Total	Percentage
Outstanding & Good	1057	72.40%
Satisfactory	396	27.12%

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