

2011-13	97	4	97	3	93	2	73	1	75	1	45	3	25	4
2010-12	96	4	98	2	91	2	72	1	69	1	42	3	25	4
2009-11	100	100	100	100	93	1	74	1	76	1	51	1	28	3
2008-10	104	100	100	100	92	2	71	1	70	1	52	1	30	2
2007-09	96	4	94	5	88	3	60	3	47	4	27	6	35	1

The table above shows percentages and NCDs for the 7 three year rolling average National Priority measures.

Points to note

- The % of pupils gaining 5+ level 3 is numerically high with almost all pupils achieving this measure
- The % of pupils gaining 5+ level 4 awards is high at the 2nd decile
- The % of pupils gaining 5+ level 5 awards is very high at the 1st decile nationally
- The % of pupils gaining 1+ level 6 is very high at the 1st decile nationally
- The % of pupils gaining 3+ level 6 is in the 3rd decile nationally which is around the average over the last 7 years
- The % of pupils gaining 5+ Highers is in the 4th decile nationally which is slightly below the average over the last 7 years

Attainment: by the end of S4

Whole School All Measures for Ardnamurchan High School (Highland), STACs 2013 pre-appeals

Percentages and NCDs based on S4 Roll for passes achieved by the end of the selected stage (S4)

All Candidates

	Eng Lev 3		Maths Lev 3		Eng & Maths		5+ Level 3		5+ Level 4		5+ Level 5		1+ Level 6		3+ Level 6		5+ Level 6		1+ Level 7	
	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD
2013	95	8	82	10	82	10	95	5	95	1	45	3	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
2012	95	8	85	10	80	10	100	100	100	100	40	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
2011	100	100	85	10	85	10	92	6	85	4	31	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2010	94	8	94	7	90	8	90	8	84	4	48	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2009	93	8	67	10	67	10	93	5	93	1	48	2	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Points to note

- 95% of pupils gained 5+ level 3. These figures are above average for the last 5 years.
- 95% of pupils gained 5+ level 4 which is in the 1st decile nationally
- The % of pupils gaining 5+ Level 5 awards is in the 3rd decile nationally which has improved over the last two years and is slightly above the 5 year average.
- The % of pupils gaining 1+ level 6 awards is excellent and at the top decile nationally.

Attainment: by the end of S5

Whole School All Measures for Ardnamurchan High School (Highland), STACs 2013 pre-appeals

Percentages and NCDs based on S4 Roll for passes achieved by the end of the selected stage (S5)

All Candidates

	Eng Lev 3		Maths Lev 3		Eng & Maths		5+ Level 3		5+ Level 4		5+ Level 5		1+ Level 6		3+ Level 6		5+ Level 6		1+ Level 7	
	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD
2013	100	100	95	8	95	7	100	100	100	100	60	3	65	2	40	2	20	2	0	0
2012	100	100	85	10	85	10	92	7	85	5	54	5	46	5	15	9	8	7	0	0
2011	100	100	94	8	90	9	90	8	84	5	65	2	68	1	32	3	16	3	0	0
2010	93	9	89	10	89	9	93	6	93	2	67	2	44	5	26	4	11	4	0	0
2009	100	100	96	5	96	3	96	3	81	5	52	4	37	6	22	5	7	6	0	0

Points to note

- The % of pupils gaining 1+ level 6 is at the 2nd decile nationally and has improved markedly on the previous year.
- The % of pupils gaining 3+ level 6 is at the 2nd decile and has improved greatly on the previous year.
- The % of pupils gaining 5+ level 6 is at the 2nd decile and has improved greatly on the previous year.

Summary by the end of S5

- There was a very good performance of pupils sitting Higher.
- It is a 5 year high performance for pupils gaining 3+ and 5+ Highers.

Attainment: by the end of S6

Whole School All Measures for Ardnamurchan High School (Highland), STACs 2013 pre-appeals

Percentages and NCDs based on S4 Roll for passes achieved by the end of the selected stage (S6)

All Candidates

	Eng Lev 3		Maths Lev 3		Eng & Maths		5+ Level 3		5+ Level 4		5+ Level 5		1+ Level 6		3+ Level 6		5+ Level 6		1+ Level 7	
	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD	%	NCD
2013	108	100	108	100	108	100	100	100	92	2	62	4	62	3	31	7	15	8	8	9
2012	103	100	97	6	94	7	94	6	87	4	74	1	74	1	48	2	29	4	10	8
2011	104	100	96	7	96	5	100	100	100	100	78	1	81	1	48	2	26	4	11	7
2010	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	85	4	63	2	52	4	30	6	19	6	7	8
2009	105	100	105	100	105	100	100	100	95	1	85	1	100	100	85	1	45	1	35	1

Points to note

- The % of pupils gaining 1+ Highers has dropped slightly from the previous two years and is in the 3rd decile nationally.
- The % of pupils gaining 3+ Highers has dropped from the previous two years and is in the 7th decile nationally, the lowest over the previous 5 years.
- The % of pupils gaining 5+ Highers are at the 8th decile the lowest over the previous 5 years..
- The % of pupils gaining 1+ Advanced Highers are at the 9th decile the lowest over the previous 5 years.

Summary by the end of S6

- Overall attainment at Higher by the end of S6 dropped from previous years.

1.1.2 Wider Achievement & Notable Successes

Secondary – Ardnamurchan High School – [Link to Ardnamurchan High School webpage](#)

Ardnamurchan High School

Celebration of Success – Wednesday 19th June Ardnamurchan High School

AHS, annual awards celebration took place in a packed hall on the evening of the 19th June. Head Teacher welcomed all parents, pupils and staff and in his speech, particularly highlighted the positive contributions that partnerships make to the school and the successes which pupils achieve.

Nominations awards went to pupils across the school.

Netherlands Trip 2013

Pupils and staff participated in a recent school trip to the Netherlands.

Volleyball Cup Winners 2013

AHS Team took the first place and Cup for the West Lochaber Tournament

Fit for Girls Scheme

Funding gained from Fit for Girls for equipment to increase participation in senior girls

Youth Voice Representatives

Appointed our representatives by election

A pupil was best in school for exam results 2013 and was awarded the Lochaber Housing Association Cup for Academic Achievement

AHS hosts its Annual Talent Show 4th October 2013

The school heat of the Rotary Young Chef Competition was held on 26th October 2013 with 5 entrants from year groups S1 – S6.

Theatre trip to see Duns inane (October 2013) with National 5 students

Christmas Concert 10th December 2013

Carols performed at this event were recorded for broadcast by Nevis Radio

Ardnamurchan High School Christmas Fayre 2013

The school held a vibrant and busy fayre at the school Venue which was bustling with sellers, shoppers and chatter. Many sellers planned to return next year with more ideas for produce to sell. This event raised £850.00

A parent, had a sponsored haircut. The hair will be given to a Children's Charity the Little Princess Trust which makes wigs for children with hair loss from cancer treatment.

Heart Start -Ardnamurchan High School is now a Heart Start school!

Senior trip to Gaelic college Open day/_Turas gu Sabhal Mòr Ostaig

A large group of senior pupils recently visited Sabhal Mòr Ostaig (the Gaelic F.E college in Skye) where they found out about the courses on offer there, student life and the requirements for entry.

Bha na sgoilearan ann an S5/6 a tha a' dèanamh Gàidhlig air turas dhan cholaiste Ghàidhlig anns an Eilein Sgitheanach o chionn ghoirid. Dh' ionnsaich iad mu na cùrsaichean a tha air an tabhainn, mu na feumalachdan a thaobh teisteanasan sgoile agus mu bheatha nan oileanach.

Sports Awards

Ardnamurchan High School won two prestigious awards recently for their contribution to the growth of shinty in the West Highlands.

Colm O' Rua who has taught at Ardnamurchan High School since it opened its doors in 2002 won the Sports Award at the Scottish Gaelic Awards in Edinburgh through his recognition for his passion and hard work in ensuring Shinty has gained a real foothold in the school and in the wider Ardnamurchan community.

The school also won the Lochaber Sports Association award for being most active in promoting shinty in the school and community. This award was announced on Friday at the Lochaber Sports Association awards event and Christine Falconer, OBT presented the award.

S1 and S2 Ski-ing Lessons

Annual opportunity to participate in 4 days ski-ing on Nevis Range

Turas Cruinn-Eolas

Chaidh sinn suas Gleann Iubhar airson faicinn ciamar a bha eigh-shruthan ag atharrachadh cruth a' ghlinne milltean de bhliadhnaichean air ais.

Film G – Nomination success!

Well done to the S3 Gàidhlig medium class who have been nominated for an award in the prestigious Gaelic short film competition 'Film G' They produced a film based on the cultural project which they have been doing in class on the Highland clearances.

The film has been nominated in the best production category.

Facilities:

Gym Hall

Grass Shinty Pitch

Astroturf

Fitness Suite

After School Clubs

After school French for seniors

After school Biology

Biology is offering after school classes. These are aimed primarily at S 4 – S6 but all stages are welcome. In the lead up to the exams, the classes are now on two nights a week

After school supported study in Art

After school Chemistry

After school Physics

Lunchtime Bagpipe Lessons

School Residence – Supervised activities – volleyball, badminton, Football or Gym Sessions

Rotary Young Chef of the year and Springboard Scotland Future Chef Competitions annually

Sports Leaders – Tuesdays after school (in partnership with the Sports Coordinator)

Football – Thursdays after school

Shinty – 3 age group sessions for 5 – 18 year olds – Tuesdays some groups led by Sports' Leaders with adult support

Lunchtime activities every day – House Basketball, Shinty, Badminton, Volleyball competitions throughout the year; Dodgeball, basketball, Fitness Suite sessions

90% of pupils participate in after school activities

Primary by School:

Acharacle Primary

Successes

MacMillan Coffee Afternoon - £413.89

Gaelic Writing Workshop

Perform in Acharacle Day Centre

Young Leader Training

Poppy Scotland collections - £180

Children in Need - £195.62

British Heart Foundation Dodge Ball Tournament - £200

Book Fair
Shinty Award Night
Printsmith Visit for winning card design class – Lochaber Housing Christmas Card winner
Nevis Radio Recording

Facilities

Gym hall,
Tarred area,
Climbing frame,
Pod shelter, willow dome,
Playing field is still to be started

After School Clubs

GM Homework Club – 83% of GM pupils participate
Shinty – 50% of pupils participate
Zumba – 50% of pupils participate
Football – 60% of pupils participate

Ardgour Primary

Successes

Shinty matches and tournaments
Triathlon
MacMillan Coffee Afternoon and Maths Open Day
A pupil raised £1147 for school by cycling from Strontian to Ardgour
Iona and Katie raised £106 by selling lambs
Young Leader Training
Poppy Scotland collections - £87.38
Visiting Theatre Company
Children in Need - £82.00
British Heart Foundation Dodge Ball Tournament - £179.00
Scots Language Workshop
Nevis Radio Recording
Amber Book Launch success – Cows have Passports
P7 Learn to Save a Life
Wildcat project

Facilities

Gym hall
Tarred area
Large grass field
Willow dome

After School Clubs

Shinty – 50% of pupils participate
After school club – 89% of pupils participate

Kilchoan Primary

Successes

Coffee afternoon for locals and veterans in aid of Poppy Scotland and raised £150.
The children were commended in the Lochaber housing association Christmas card design competition.

The children were also commended in The Food Standards Agency Calendar competition.
Christmas Show 'Holy Joe' was a great success and raised £300.

Gave £30 to Water Aid, £30 to RNLI and £40 to Highland Hospice.

The nursery planted bulbs from Marie Curie Cancer Care and the school held a daffodil tea which raised £140 for the charity.

Facilities

The school has no facilities. The school has two rooms, one is the classroom and the nursery use the other. The playground is on a slope and the tar is rough and patchy in places.

Pupils to walk 10 minutes to the local hall for PE and shows etc.

After School Clubs

We have one after school club run by parents which more of a social club.

22% of pupils participate

Lochaline Primary

Successes

Recent Successes - Both the P1-P3 and P4-P7 Choirs came 1st in the Mull Provincial MOD, in their respective categories.

Facilities

Sport Facilities -Gym Hall, MUGA and a grassed playing area.

After School Clubs

After School Clubs - Wednesday after school Sports Club and a Friday after school Nature Club.

Pupils attending after Sports Club 30% and Nature Club 26%

Strontian Primary

Successes

School takes part in many events such as: World Book Day activities, competitions and celebration; Lochaber Inter-Primary Cross Country Running Championship; Lochaber Inter-Primary Triathlon; 85% P5 – 7 pupils can swim a minimum of 25 metres (77% can swim much further with 15% gaining their 1 mile distance award).

Pupils help to organise and practise for a number of community events - pupils organised and presented a Burns' Ceilidh for families and people in the community who help the school; P4 – P7 pupils performed the musical 'One Planet Future' by Debbie Campbell in the Village Hall for their families and the local community; P4 – P7 also went to the local old folks' home to entertain the residents with a selection of Christmas songs and music.

Pupils took part in the Lochaber Music Festival as part of the string orchestra led by the Area Strings Instructor and some performed in solo competitions. All P4 – P7 pupils take part in the local Ardnamurchan Mod and two went on to take part in the National Mod in 2013.

Pupils run charity fund raising events, some with parents' help, some by themselves - raised £336.52 for British Heart Foundation; Pupil Council organised a dress down day for Children in Need and raised £30.

Facilities

School hall with gym equipment such as wall bars. The hall is shared with the community.. The playground does not meet minimum statutory requirements for outdoor play facilities – it is an odd shape and on different levels; much of it is unusable in the winter months because it is grass and just too wet and boggy. No green field. With help from the parent council (for funding) installed a traversing wall, but since the surface of the wall of is pebble-dash, it is not in regular use.

After School Clubs

P4 – 7 pupils 100% organised by school

100% also attend clubs organised by parents, Active Schools co-ordinator, and chosen hobbies e.g. swimming, ballet, horse-riding lessons etc, out of school.

P1 – P3 100% school cooking / gardening club

75% attend Strontian Scouts, and sports organised by Active Schools co-ordinator, swimming lessons etc.

School	Link to School Webpage	ASG
Acharacle Primary School	Acharacle Primary webpage	Ardnamurchan
Ardgour Primary School	Ardgour Primary webpage	Ardnamurchan
Kilchoan Primary School	Kilchoan Primary webpage	Ardnamurchan
Lochaline Primary School	Lochaline Primary webpage	Ardnamurchan
Strontian Primary School	Strontian Primary webpage	Ardnamurchan

School	Date of Latest Published Report	Link to Education Scotland Pages
Ardnamurchan High School	Jan-13	Ardnamurchan High Inspection
Acharacle Primary School ©	May-08	Acharacle Primary Inspection
Ardgour Primary School ©	Oct-06	Ardgour Primary Inspection
Kilchoan Primary School	Jun-13	Kilchoan Primary Inspection
Lochaline Primary School	Dec 2008 (Follow Up)	Lochaline Primary Inspection
Strontian Primary School	Sep-07	Strontian Primary Inspection

© Denotes school part of a "cluster" management arrangement

Early Year Centre	Date of Latest Published Report	Link To Inspectorate Pages
Acharacle Primary Nursery EM	Nov-12	Acharacle Primary Nursery Inspection
Acharacle Primary Nursery GM	Nov-12	Acharacle Primary Nursery Inspection
Ardgour Primary Nursery	Sep-12	Ardgour Primary Nursery Inspection
Kilchoan Primary Nursery	Jan-12	Kilchoan Primary Nursery Inspection
Lochaline Under Fives	Mar-13	Lochaline Under Fives Inspection
Strontian Primary Nursery	Sep-11	Strontian Primary Nursery
Number of Childminders: 2		

1.1.3 Destinations 16+

Leaver destination information is taken from the School Leaver Destination Return (SLDR) which is a statistical return undertaken by Skills Development Scotland (SDS) on behalf of the Scottish Government. The most recent return is based on a follow up of young people who left school between 1 August 2012 and 31 July 2013. This exercise was carried out during the month of September 2013.

	% Positive Destinations		
	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13
Ardnamurchan High School	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Highland	89.4%	90.7%	93.1%
Scotland	88.9%	89.9%	91.4%

Leaver Destinations for Ardnamurchan High School

Number of pupils leaving in school year:

Total No. Leavers	Ardnamurchan High School	HIGHLAND	SCOTLAND
2010/11	26	2575	54073
2011/12	24	2495	50892
2012/13	11	2580	52801

Destinations of Pupils (%)

DESTINATION	Ardnamurchan High School			HIGHLAND			SCOTLAND		
	10/11	11/12	12/13	10/11	11/12	12/13	10/11	11/12	12/13
Higher Education	38.5%	45.8%	45.5%	33.2%	34.6%	33.7%	35.8%	37.3%	36.5%
Further Education	19.2%	20.8%	27.3%	22.3%	21.2%	23.7%	27.1%	26.8%	27.8%
Training	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.0%	2.5%	1.9%	5.6%	4.6%	5.0%
Employment	42.3%	29.2%	27.3%	29.2%	29.7%	31.2%	19.3%	19.8%	20.4%
Voluntary	0.0%	4.2%	0.0%	0.5%	0.9%	0.7%	0.5%	0.4%	0.5%
Activity Agreements	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.2%	1.8%	1.9%	0.5%	0.9%	1.3%
Unemployed Seeking	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	7.7%	5.9%	5.6%	9.6%	8.4%	7.1%
Unemployed Not Seeking	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.8%	1.9%	0.8%	1.2%	1.3%	1.2%
Unknown	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.1%	1.5%	0.5%	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%

Note: National averages have been calculated from the figures for all available local authority and grant-aided schools, whereas the local authority averages are based on local authority schools only.

There are currently no open Activity Agreements involving Former Pupils of Ardnamurchan High School.

1.2 Pupils

Roll, Looked After and EAL pupil numbers have been taken from the Pupil Census carried out in September 2013. Pre-school roll information is taken from the Highland Pre-School Census carried out in September 2013.

School	Pupil Roll	Looked After	EAL Pupils	Free Meals Eligibility	Free Meals Uptake
Highland Primary				16.4%	87.9%
Scotland Primary				22.0%	88.4%
Acharacle Primary School	60	0	<5	13.8%	100.0%
Ardgour Primary School	19	0	0	small school/number	small school/number
Kilchoan Primary School	9	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Lochaline Primary School	23	0	<5	0.0%	0.0%
Strontian Primary School	37	0	<5	0.0%	0.0%
School	Pupil Roll	Looked After	EAL Pupils	Free Meals Eligibility	Free Meals Uptake
Highland Secondary				11.4%	78.8%
Scotland Secondary				15.5%	74.7%
Ardnamurchan High School	108	<5	<5	10.4%	100.0%
School Name	Pupil Roll	Looked After	EAL Pupils	Free Meals Eligibility	Free Meals Uptake
Acharacle Nursery - EM	8				
Acharacle Nursery - GM	9				
Ardgour Primary Nursery	4				
Kilchoan Primary Nursery	4				
Lochaline Under Fives	4				
Strontian Primary Nursery	2				
Achiltibuie Primary Nursery	2				
Badcaul Primary Nursery	1				
Lochinver Pre-school	17				
Stoer Primary Nursery	1				
Ullapool Nursery - EM	17				
Ullapool Nursery - GM	13				

Free School Meal information extracted from Healthy Living Survey collected February 2013 Free Meals Eligibility is the percentage of the present school roll registered for free meals. Free Meals Uptake is the percentage of those present on census day who were registered and took free meals.

The comment "small school/number" indicates that because of the small numbers of pupils in the school or the small numbers registered for free school meals this information cannot be disclosed.

1.2.1 Attendance/Absence/Exclusion Profile 2011/12

Scottish Government collect Attendance, Absence and Exclusions on a bi-annual basis, comparative national information will be next available for academic year 2012-13.

SCHOOL	% Actual Attendances	% Authorised Absences	% Unauthorised Absences	No of Exclusions and Rates per 1000 Pupils	No Pupils Excluded and Rate per 1000 Pupils
Highland Primary (2012-13)	94.8%	4.3%	0.9%	8/1000	5/1000
Scotland Primary (2012-13)	94.9%	3.8%	1.3%	10/1000	6/1000
Acharacle Primary School	95.2%	4.3%	0.6%	0/1000	0/1000
Ardgour Primary School	97.0%	2.9%	0.2%	0/1000	0/1000
Kilchoan Primary School	97.2%	2.8%	0.0%	0/1000	0/1000
Lochaline Primary School	93.2%	6.8%	0.0%	0/1000	0/1000
Strontian Primary School	95.3%	4.7%	0.0%	0/1000	0/1000
SCHOOL	% Actual Attendances	% Authorised Absences	% Unauthorised Absences	No Of Exclusions and Rates per 1000 Pupils	No Pupils Excluded and Rate per 1000 Pupils
Highland Secondary (2012-13)	90.9%	6.4%	2.6%	39/1000	28/1000
Scotland Secondary (2012-13)	91.9%	5.4%	2.5%	58/1000	33/1000
Ardnamurchan High School	94.2%	3.3%	2.5%	10/1000	10/1000

1.3 School

SCHOOL	ECO School	Travel Plan	Improving through Self-Evaluation and Improving Services	No of Placing Requests In	No of Placing Requests in Granted	No of Placing Requests Out Granted
Ardnamurchan High School	silver	No	Weak (2013)	2	2	0
Acharacle Primary School	silver	Yes	Adequate (2008)	0	0	0
Ardgour Primary School	silver	Yes	Good(2006)	0	0	0
Kilchoan Primary School	silver	No	Satisfactory (2013)	0	0	0
Lochaline Primary School	bronze	No	Weak (2006)	0	0	0
Strontian Primary School	bronze	No	Weak (2007)	0	0	0

ECO School information is reported as at Feb 2014. Placing requests are those received to start in a school during academic year 2012-13.

It should be noted that all placing requests in/out of these schools were able to be accommodated this year. There were therefore no parental appeals lodged for this ASG.

1.4 ECS Staffing

School	Teaching Full Time Equivalent (FTE)	Non-Teaching (FTE)
Ardnamurchan High School	15.80	3.79
Acharacle Primary School	5.30	2.09
Ardgour Primary School	2.00	1.25
Kilchoan Primary School	1.00	0.39
Lochaline Primary School	2.00	1.08
Strontian Primary School	2.00	0.93
Nursery	Teaching Full Time Equivalent (FTE)	Non-Teaching (FTE)
Acharacle Primary Nursery EM		0.99
Acharacle Primary Nursery GM		0.99
Ardgour Primary Nursery		0.99
Kilchoan Primary Nursery		0.56
Lochaline Under Fives		1.20
Strontian Primary Nursery		0.99

School staff information from Staff Census collected Sept 2013. Please note that only certain types of teaching posts are counted here: Normal complement, Long term sick absence replacement, secondment replacement, maternity leave replacement, other replacement, temporary contract, covering a vacancy. Teachers who teach at the school but are centrally employed are excluded.

Pre-school staff information has been taken from the Pre-School Census returned to the Scottish Govt in September 2013.

Core staffing is calculated using the Highland Staffing Model, which takes account of national agreements for P1 to P3 class sizes. As a result, all primaries in this ASG are staffed according to the model.

- [Staffing Table DSM Annex 4 PDF](#)
- [Primary Teacher Staffing Arrangements Admin Circular 9/2010](#)
- [Primary School Rolls as at 17th August 2013 – Appendix 2](#)

In addition to core staffing for each school, a model will be used to provide an appropriate level of ASN cover to each school within the ASG. This model was approved at Adult and Children's Services Committee, 26th September 2012. Report [ACS-33-12](#).

This session we are funding additional staffing for the ASG as follows:

- 0.5 FTE ASN teachers
- 5.48 FTE PSA staff (assuming FTE = 27.5 hrs)

The identified level of need at start of session was:

17	Pupils at level 2
6	Pupils at level 3
0	Pupils at level 4

1.5 Funding

School/ Nursery	Devolved Budget 2012/13	Cost per pupil	Carry Forward from 2011/12	Devolved Budget 2013/14	Cost per pupil	Carry Forward from 2012/13
Ardnamurchan High School	854,743	8,380	-34,554	840,394	7,781	25,319
Acharacle Primary School	275,838	5,015	-6,707	283,915	4,732	-2,872
Ardgour Primary School	117,641	6,192	-5,724	106,882	5,625	-5,996
Kilchoan Primary School	81,853	6,296	-2,342	84,098	9,344	368
Lochaline Primary School	155,289	6,752	-6,758	161,357	7,016	-6,690
Strontian Primary School	114,334	3,176	-4,813	123,718	3,344	-3,640
Acharacle Primary Nursery EM	17,723	8,862	-86	17,324	8,617	479
Acharacle Primary Nursery GM	19,753	2,469	-831	19,173	2,397	-1,010
Ardgour Primary Nursery	16,789	4,197	-744	10,915	2,729	-663
Kilchoan Primary Nursery	9,435	4,718	-544	13,668	6,834	70
Strontian Primary Nursery	21,450	3,064	209	20,724	2,961	-225

Members are asked to note that devolved funding is generally sufficient for school needs.

1.6 Buildings

School	Suitability	Condition	Occupancy	Current/Future Investment (last 5 yrs)
Ardnamurchan High School	A	C	111%	N/A -PPP
Acharacle Primary School	A	A	41%	£300,000
Ardgour Primary School	B	B	86%	N/A
Kilchoan Primary School	C	C	52%	£135,000
Lochaline Primary School	A	A	0%	£2,838,127.37
Strontian Primary School	C	C	72%	£250,000

Building suitability and condition levels are as reported on the 2013 School Estate Core Facts return.. Occupancy levels are based on the school roll for academic year 2012-13. (No data available for Lochaline Primary School)

3.0 HIGH LIFE HIGHLAND IN ARDNAMURCHAN ASG

HLH Facilities and Services within the Ardnamurchan Associated School Group Area	User Information	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13
The Sunart Centre	Users	9,189	10,272	8,623
Ardnamurchan Library	Issues	12,298	11,942	11,160
Mobile Library	Issues	25,145	23,920	32,552
Sports Pitches Ardnamurchan High school	Available for let by sports clubs	-	-	-
Active Schools Coordinator	Unique Participants	Different information was collected prior to this this year.	219	228
Youth Development Officer	Contacts with Young People	2,182	1,639	2,537
	Young Scot Card percentage uptake (National average – 72%)	100	95	100
	Youth Participation Highland Youth Voice Participants	2	2	2
Adult Learning	Unique Participants	320	318	363

Programme Information:

High Life Highland

<http://highlifehighland.com/>

3.1 Examples of the youth work presently undertaken within the Ardnamurchan ASG

The local Youth worker works with a range of partners across the ASG to improve the life chances of young people through a range of programmes within a framework of five key priorities- examples are below.

- **Work directly with young people in need**

The youthworker gives additional support to young people who need help at school and has helped provide additional primary transition events to support young people into High School. This is in partnership with the high School and the feeder primaries.

- **Coordinate local provision of services / activities for young people**

Tuesday evening during term time available to all S1-S6 young people from 3.35pm to 9pm at the Sunart Centre, Strontian. Regular activities include Archery Skills, Football Training, Gym training, Duke of Edinburgh work, Music making, youth café and Badminton.

Acharacle youth club – Friday evenings 8pm to 10pm, Shielbridge Hall, Acharacle – with notable work being done by Young Volunteers / Sports Leaders (Active Schools support) with support from YDO and Adult Volunteers.

Youth work programmes are also delivered in the summer holidays.

- **Ensure Young People have a voice**

Two pupils from Ardnamurchan High School attend the bi-annual Highland Youth Parliament supported by the youth worker. Over the last year local young people have been working on the **Anti-Stigma** project which is looking at mental health issues, as this had been raised at the June 2013 conference. The young people have been using song writing, scriptwriting, Drama, music composition, Art and Design and Creative Writing – in Partnership with “Ewen’s Room” with the aim to address some of the negative portrayal of mental illness in society.

- **Support and develop Achievement Frameworks**

The YDO supports achievement through The Saltire Volunteering Awards and The Duke of Edinburgh Awards – working in partnership with Active Schools, Ardnamurchan High School, Acharacle Youth Club, The Sunart Centre and AHS Parent council to ensure young people achieve recognition for their informal learning.

- **Support and encourage Partnership Working**

Through the examples shown above, youth work continues to develop with a range of partners across the ASG. The youth work service has in the past delivered training to local community groups to support a number of volunteers working with young people.

HLH Youth Services –

- Work directly with young people in NEED
- COORDINATE local provision
- Support PARTNER organisations
- Ensure young people have a VOICE
- Support and develop ACHIEVEMENT frameworks

4.0 RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Area Committee is asked to scrutinise and note the content of the report.

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SCHOOL AND NURSERY ROLLS

Session 2013-14

SEED Code	School Name	P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	TOTAL
5130123	Acharacle Primary School (English Medium)	5	4	6	3	6	4	8	36
5130123	Acharacle Primary School (Gaelic Medium)	4	6	1	6	1	6	0	24
5130921	Kilchoan Primary School	0	0	5	3	1	0	0	9
5131227	Lochaline Primary School	3	4	4	2	4	1	5	23
5131324	Strontian Primary School	5	5	4	10	2	7	4	37

Nursery	N3 (Sep)	N4 (Sep)	N3 (Jan/Apr)	No Sessions
Acharacle Primary Nursery EM	6	2	1	5
Acharacle Primary Nursery GM	2	7	0	5
Ardgour Primary Nursery	1	3	0	5
Kilchoan Primary Nursery	2	2	1	5
Lochaline Under Fives	1	3	0	5
Strontian Primary Nursery	1	1	2	5

School Name	S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6	S1-S6
Ardnamurchan High School	16	13	20	21	21	17	108

involved	therapists. ASN file may be opened at this Level	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• consultation and resources from therapists ASN file opened at this Level	coordinate and monitor support and outcomes for the child/young person.	
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