

Sheffield Children's University

Evaluation 2019/20



Key Figures 2019/20
47k children
3.6m hours
22k Passports
229 Learning Destinations
72 schools

Primary

More pupils with CU awards achieved the expected standard in their SATs than non CU pupils, **exceeding** both the local and national average at all levels

Progress for pupils with CU awards improved on the citywide results in Reading and were **significantly better than average** in Maths

Disadvantaged CU pupils performed **significantly better** than non CU pupils, and have **better** attendance, giving them **more opportunity to achieve**

"Families love to see their kids receiving their CU awards and they bring them along to the next training session, proudly showing off their certificates and badges, and that's just as proud a moment for us coaches too. It certainly helps to keep them motivated, not just in football but in their learning at school or elsewhere, and of course, for their futures, whatever path they take." - Douglas Connor, Hillsborough Pumas Football Club

SHEFFIELD YOUNG CARERS

"I started getting CU credits through Sheffield Young Carers when I joined their service aged 15. We did fun things with them to get a break from our caring but I learnt all kinds of useful skills to help me in my caring role and also in my life in general - I'm really good at working in teams now and I also built my confidence a lot through the activities we did and meeting other people who were also young carers like me." - Sheffield Young Carer

Secondary

More students with CU awards in the North East achieved a grade 5 or above in English & Maths than non CU pupils, **bettering** the local and national average

Students at CU award levels **progressed as well** and in some cases **better on average** when compared to others with similar prior attainment

Attainment 8 scores for disadvantaged students were **significantly higher** than non CU students, **exceeding** the local and citywide average

