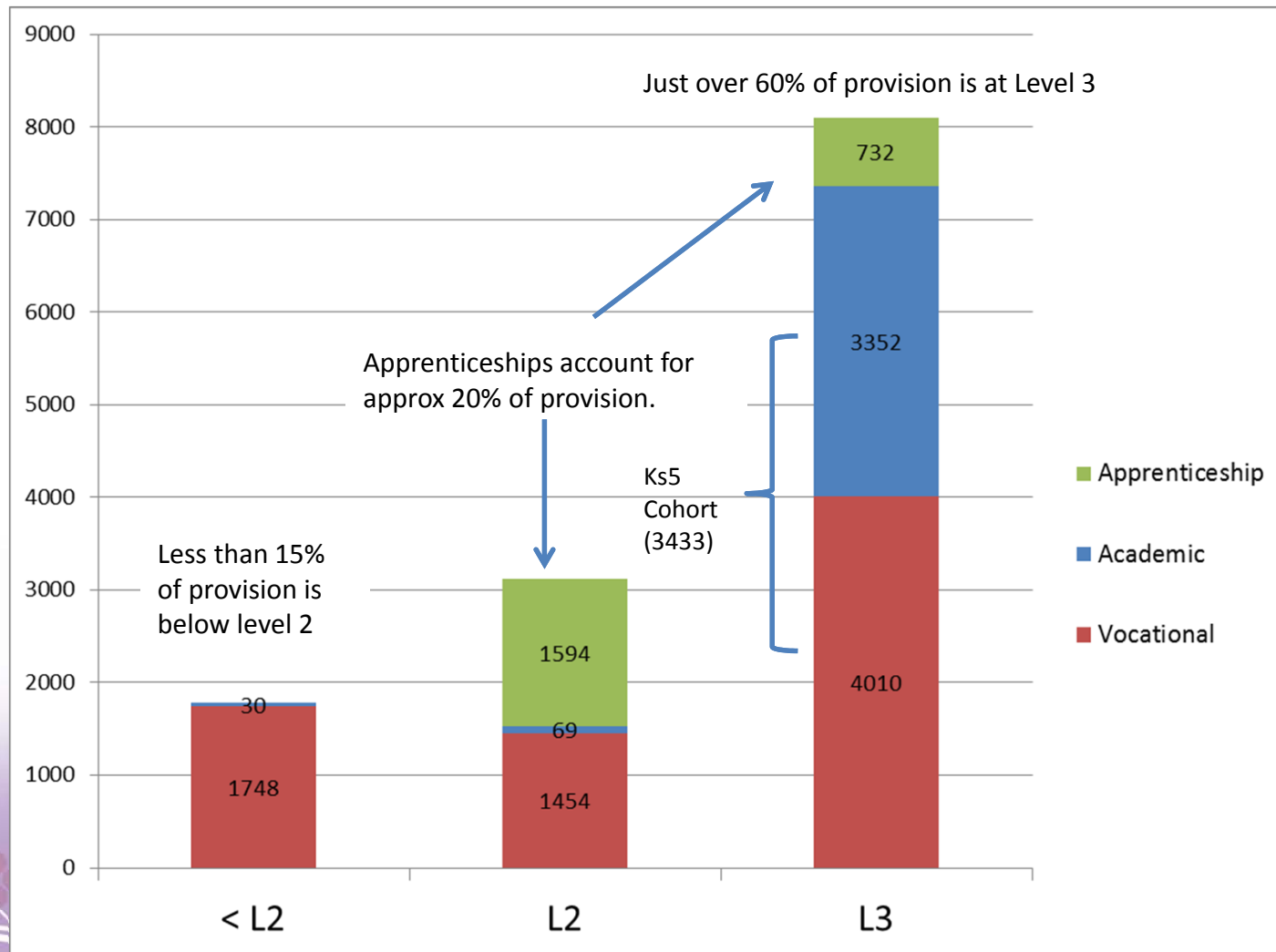


Overview of 16 to 18 Provision in Sheffield

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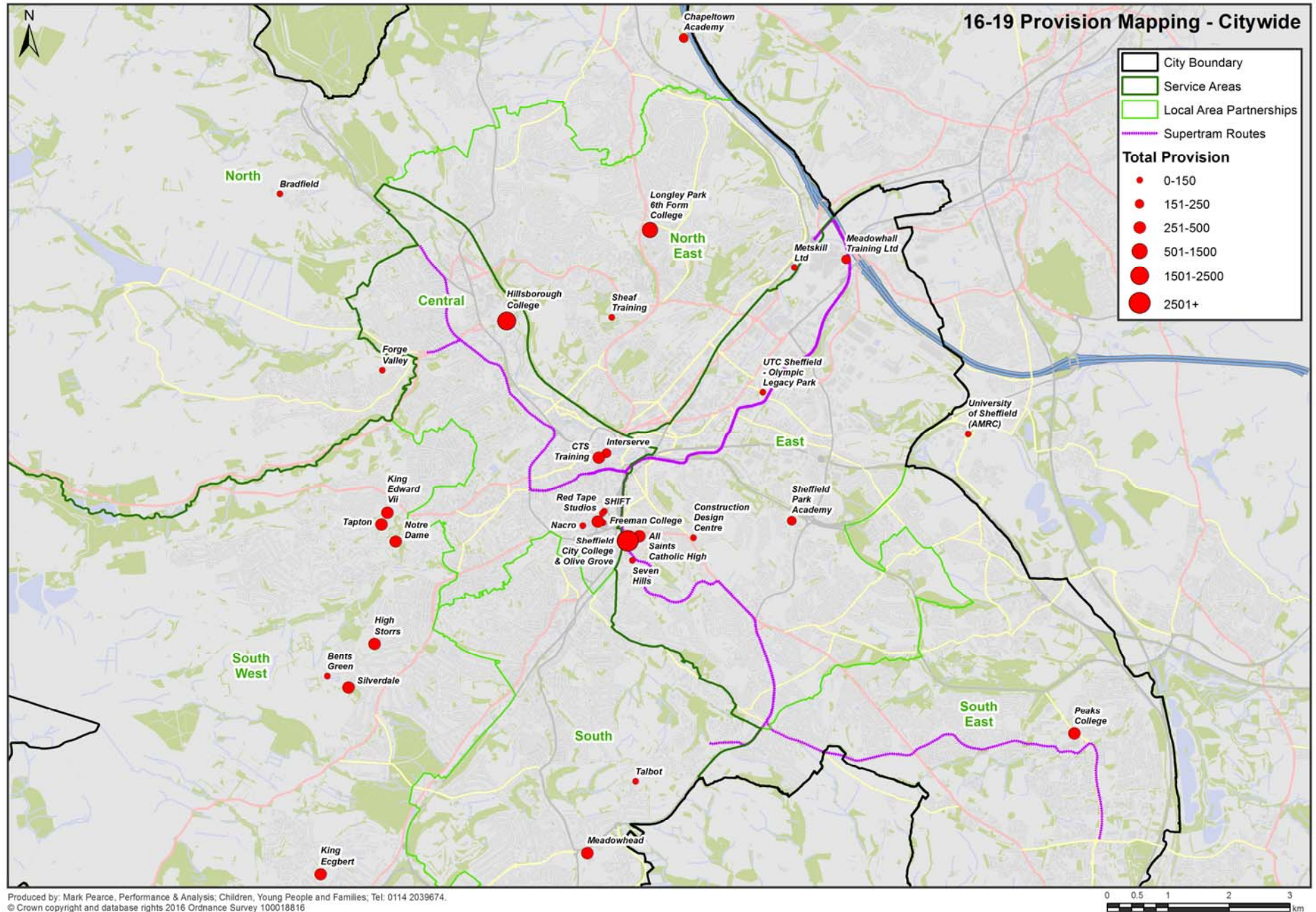


16-18 Provision by level and type

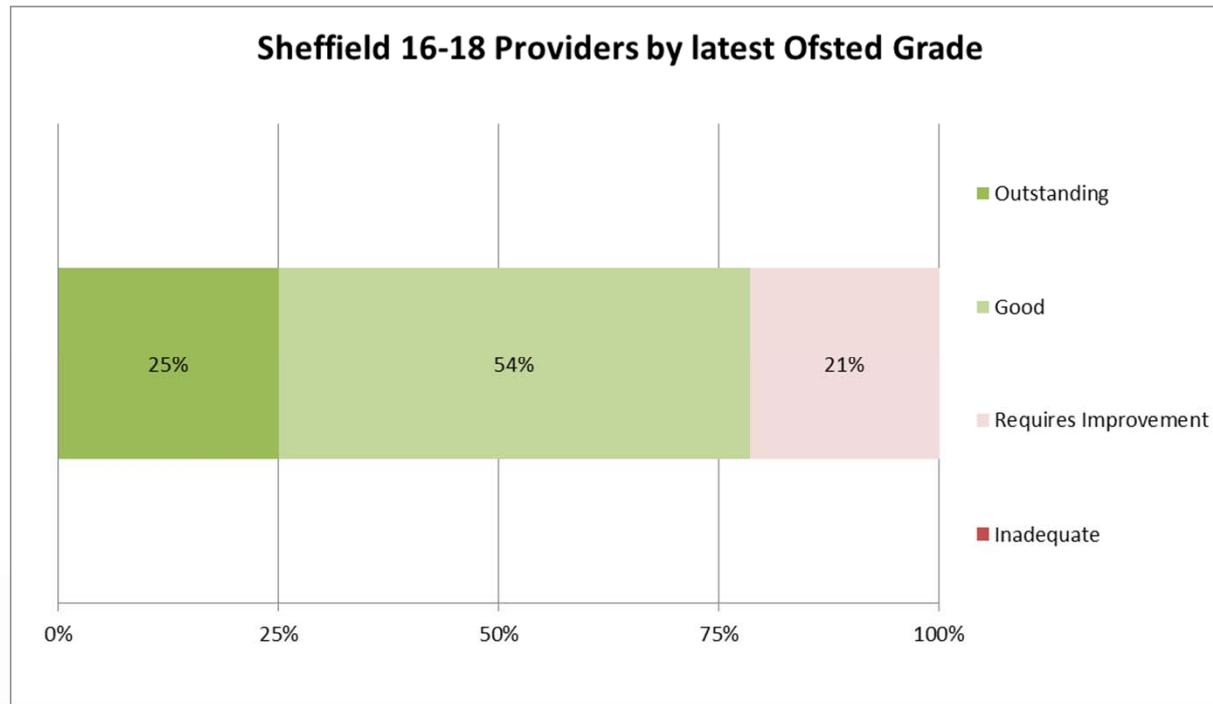


16-18 Providers

- **1 GFE College** with 4 centres at City, Olive Grove, Hillsborough and Peaks, providing for 40%+ of the city's 16-18 provision.
- **1 Sixth Form College**
Sheffield's second largest provider, with a focus on widening participation and progression
- **12 school sixth forms** some among the best performing in England, but some smaller and less established.
- **2 UTCs (sub-set of school sixth forms)**– Engineering & CDI (since 2014) at City and Human Sciences & Computing (opened 2016) Olympic Legacy Park.
- **150+ Commercial and charitable providers** primarily delivering work-based learning to Sheffield resident young people. Providers often without training facilities in the area due to type of provision.
- **79% of 16-18 providers rated Good or Outstanding by Ofsted**
6 providers Require Improvement - 3 of the 6 are school sixth forms.



Quality of 16-18 Provision - Ofsted



- 79% of providers are Good or Outstanding.
- 6 Providers Require Improvement – 3 of which are schools.
- There are currently no Inadequate providers.

Ks5 Attainment - Measures

4 Qualification Categories:

- **Academic** - A and AS levels, including applied, plus other L3 academic subjects (e.g Extended Project, L3 Core Maths, Free standing Maths, International Baccalaureate Diploma).
- **A level** – A and AS levels, including applied. Subset of Academic category.
- **Applied General** – List of vocational qualifications included in this category published each year.
- **Tech Level** – Vocational quals, list published each year.

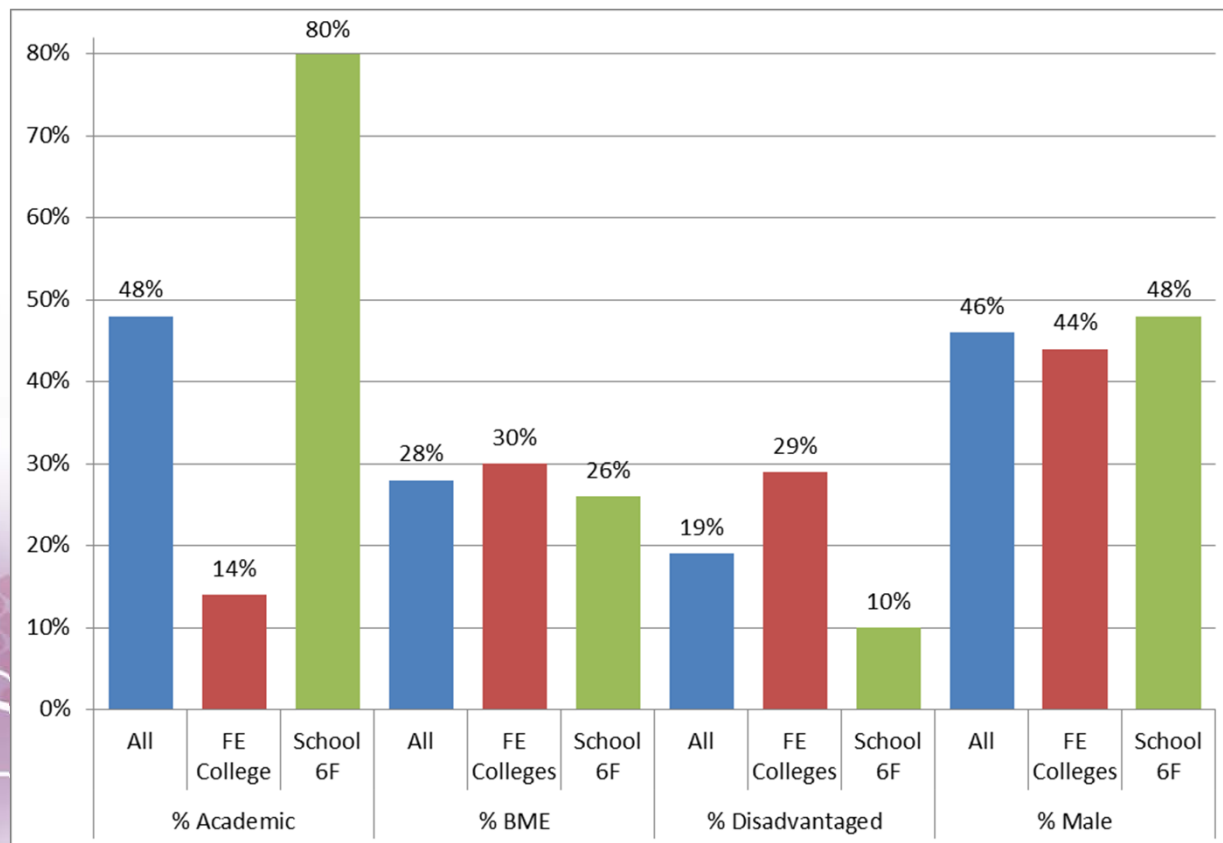
Students can count in more than one category.

Headline measure is the Average Points Per Entry for each category

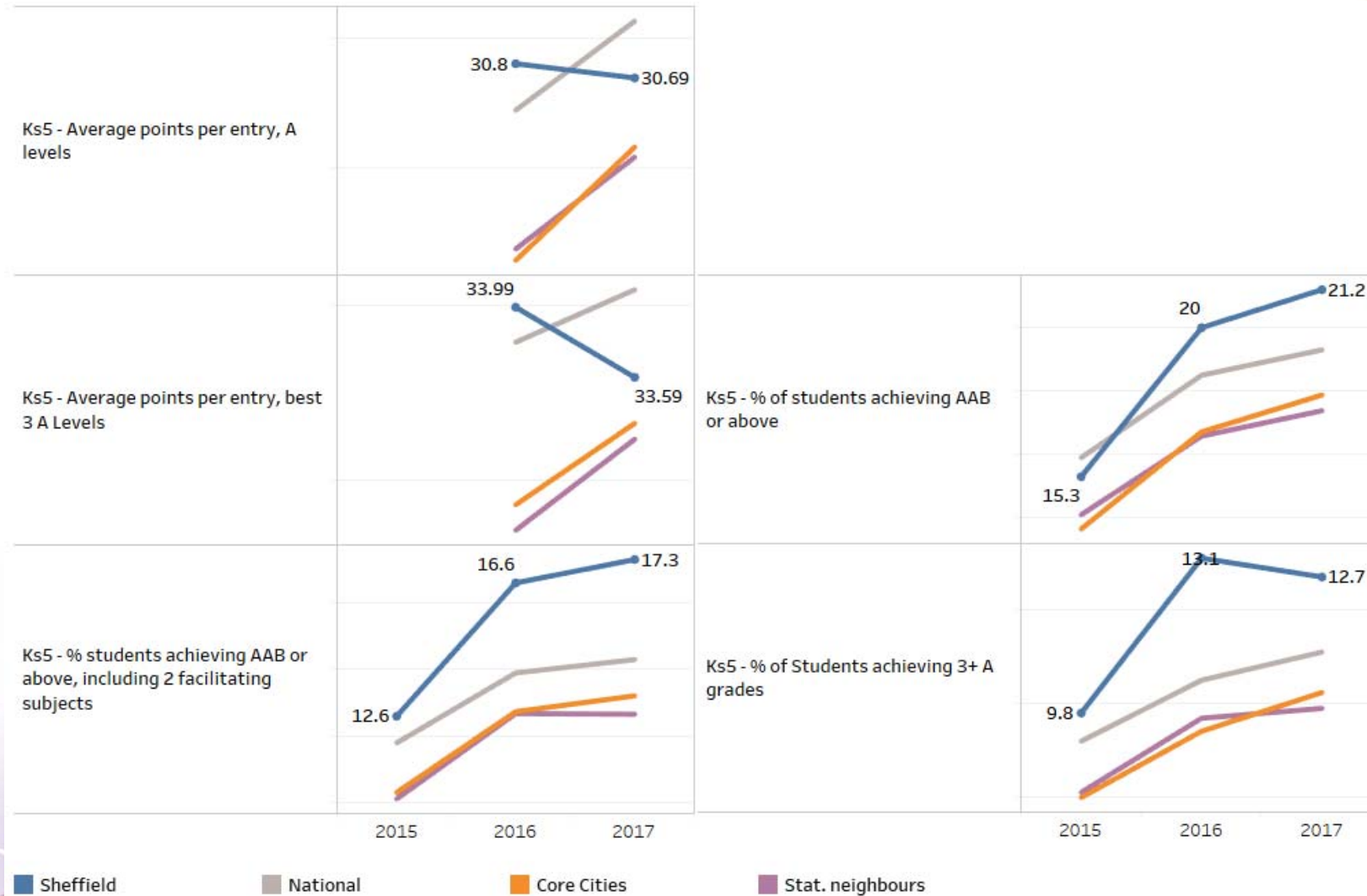
Ks5 Attainment - Cohort

Includes young people at the end of Ks5 Study – 3433 in 2016/17.

- Cohort by main programme type - 48% Academic/52% Vocational
- Even split between FE College (49%) and School Sixth Form (51% - includes UTC)
- 86% of FE Colleges’ students have a vocational main programme (Applied General/Tech), FE has nearly 3 times the proportion of disadvantaged students compared to schools, and a slightly larger proportion of BME students.

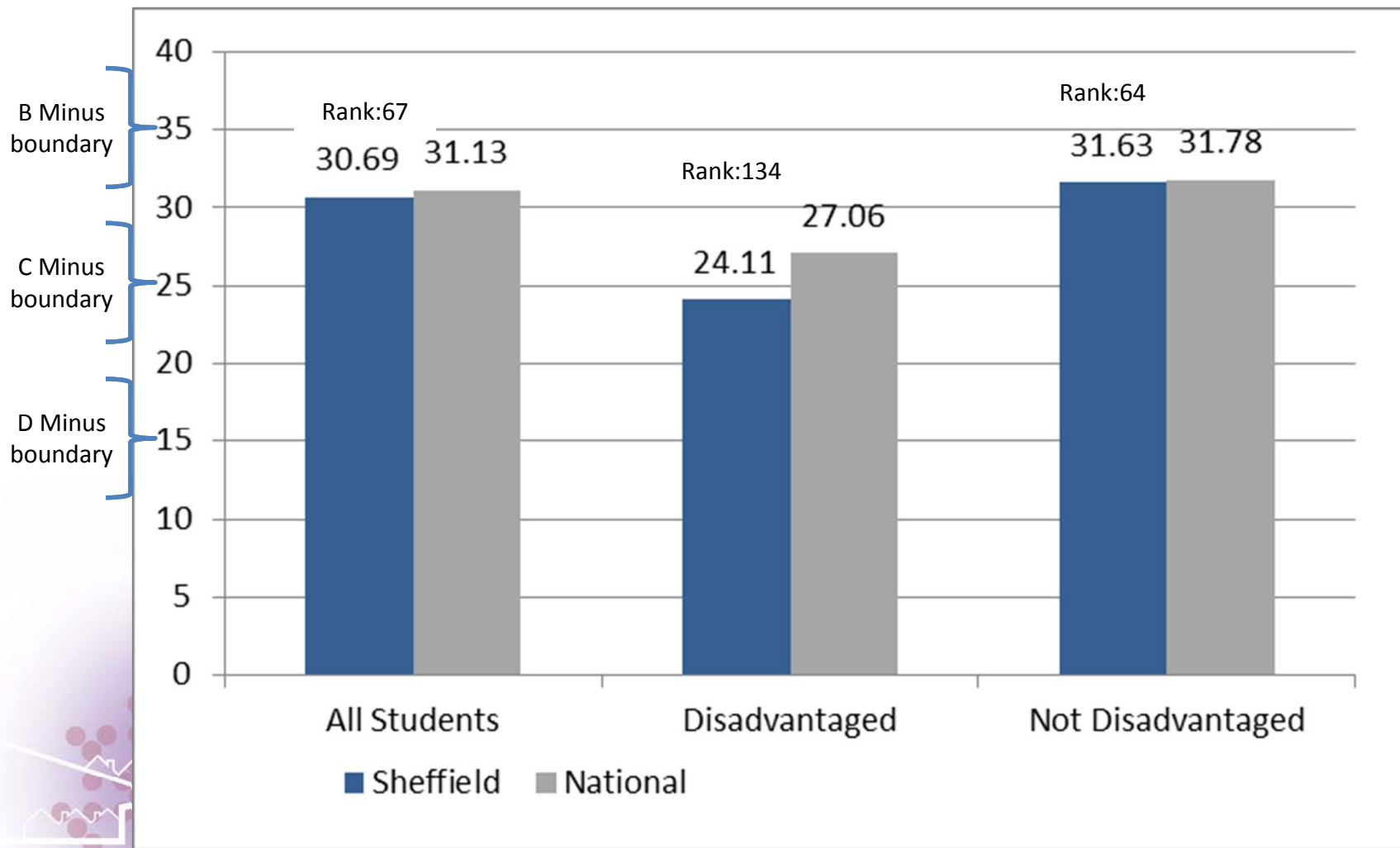


Ks5 – A level attainment



Ks5 – A level attainment by disadvantage

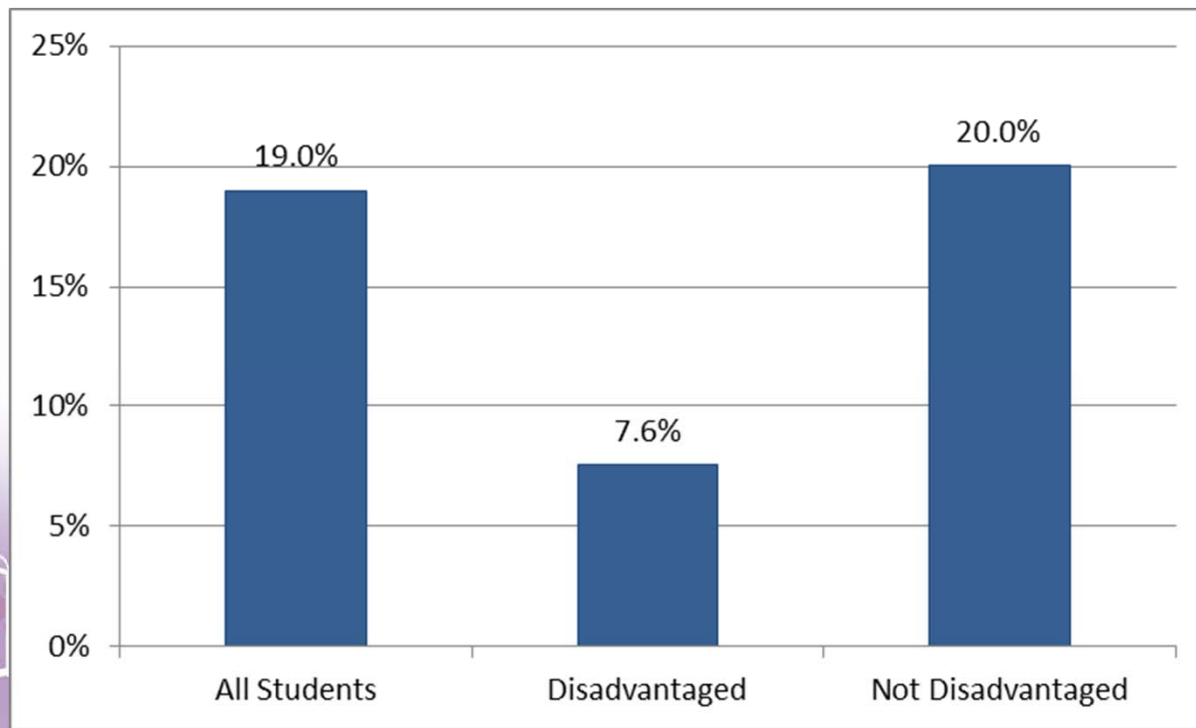
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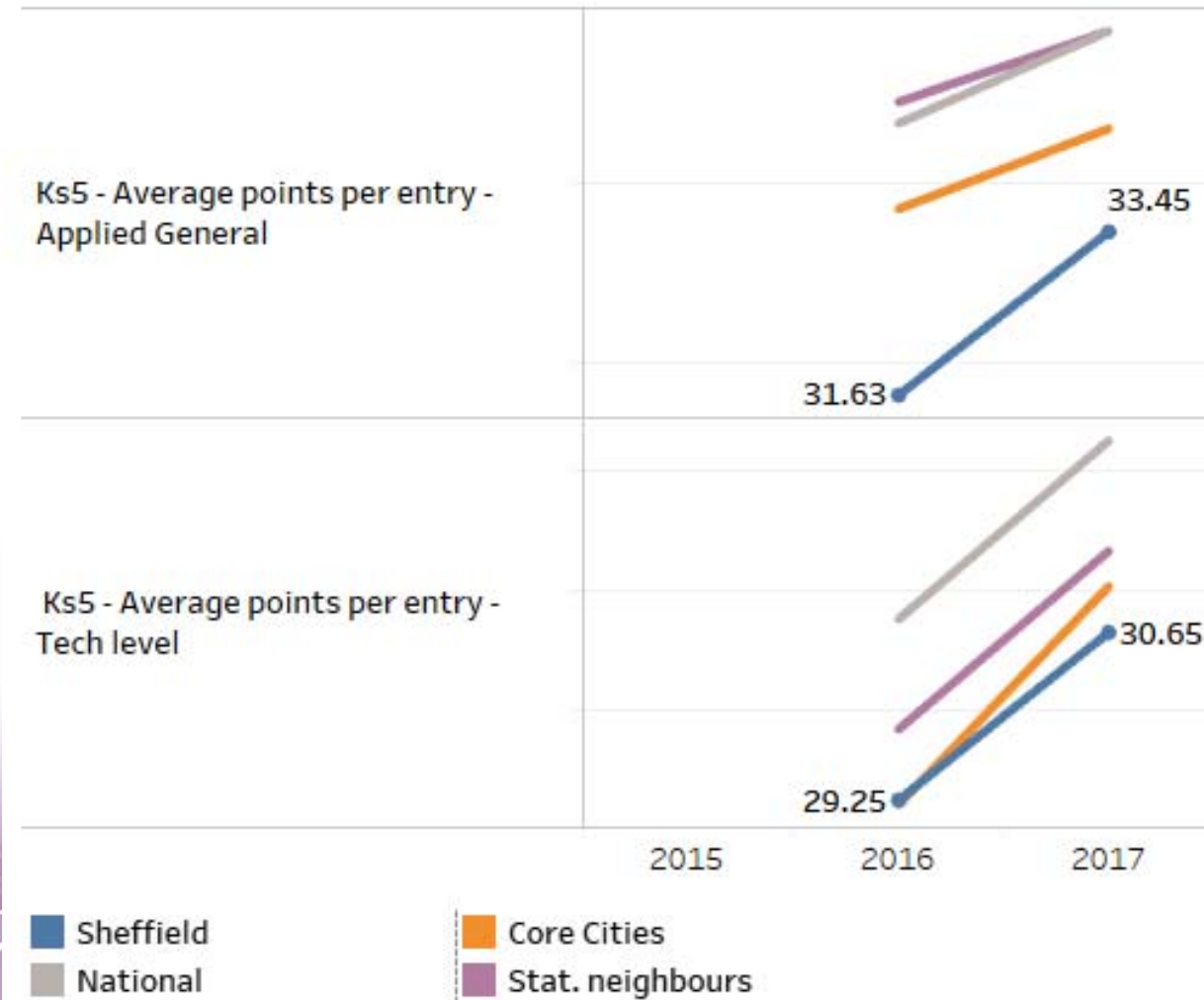
Ks5 – AAB including 2 Facilitating subjects by disadvantage (Sheffield Schools)

Disadvantaged students - all students who were in receipt of pupil premium when they were in their last year of key stage 4.

- 89% Of AAB 2 Facilitating eligible cohort attended a school (1358)
- 98% of those who achieved AAB 2 went to a school (258)
- 9 out of 119 eligible disadvantaged students achieved AAB 2.



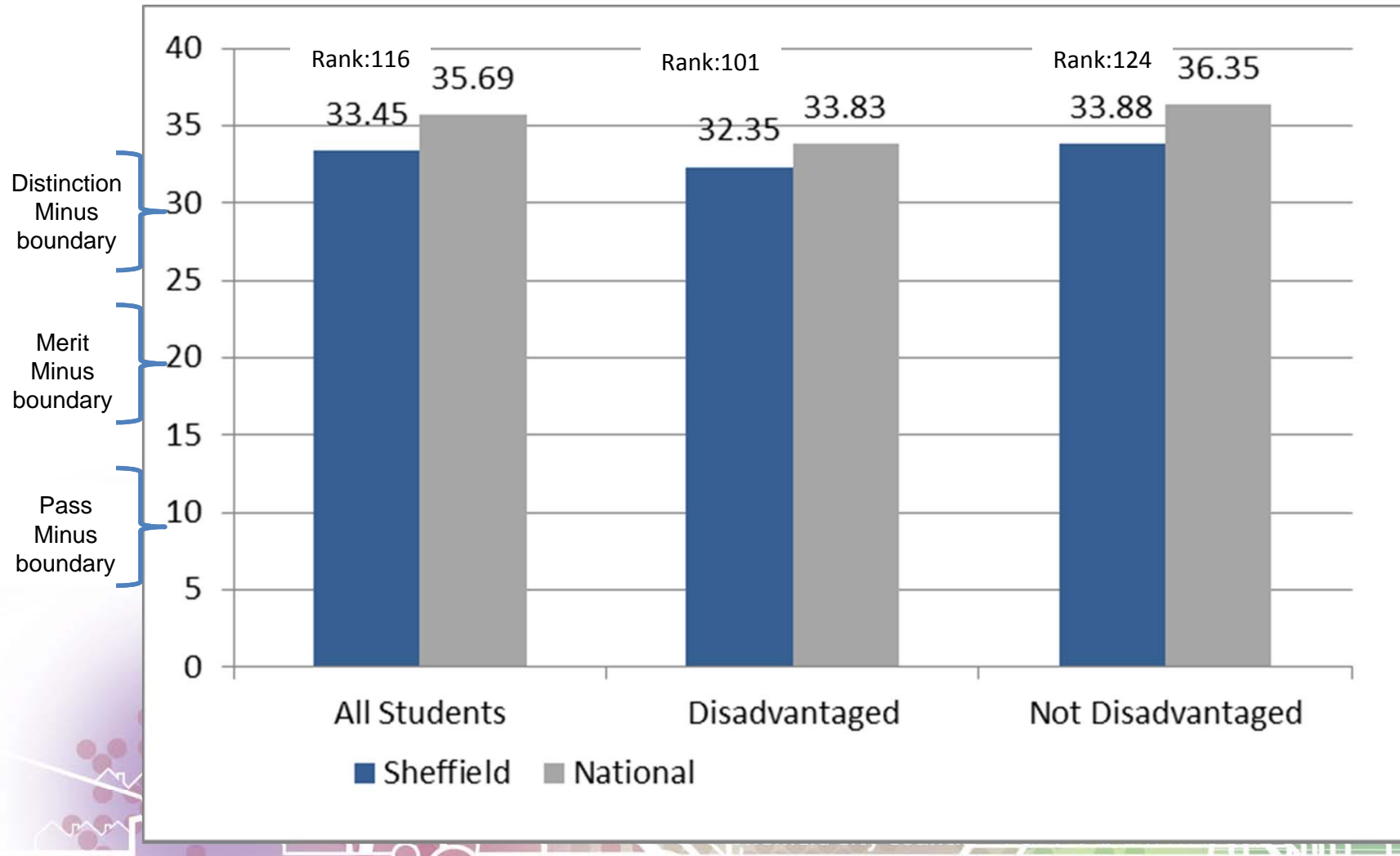
Ks5 – Applied General/Tech Level attainment



Ks5 – Applied General attainment by disadvantage

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Ks5 – Attainment

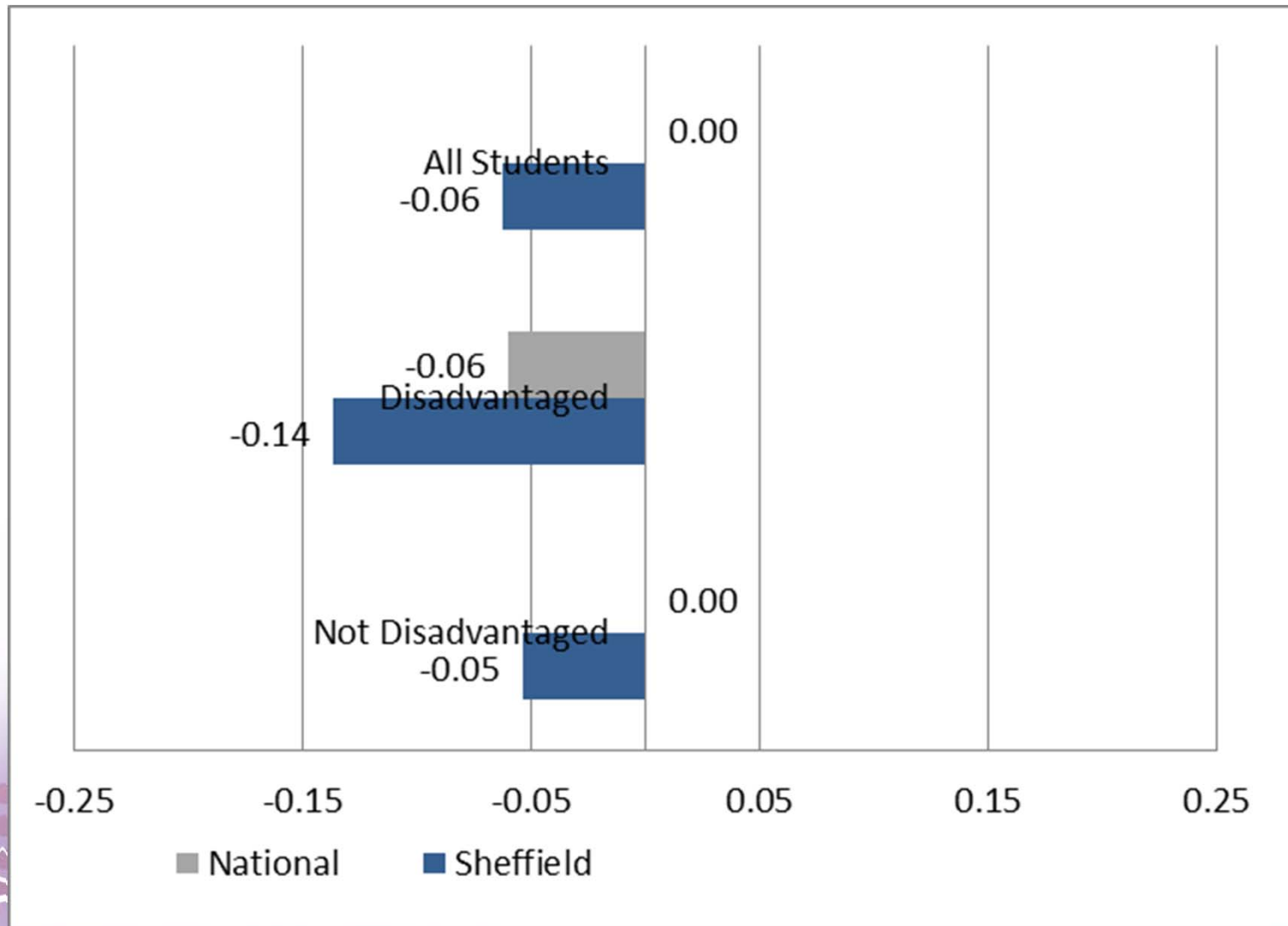
A Levels/Academic

- Top quartile for proportion with high grades (AAB 2/AAB/3 A*-A)
- Slight drop in Average points since 2016 (0.1pts), but remains above stat neighbour and core city benchmarks.
- Disadvantaged student attainment (APPE) in the bottom quartile.

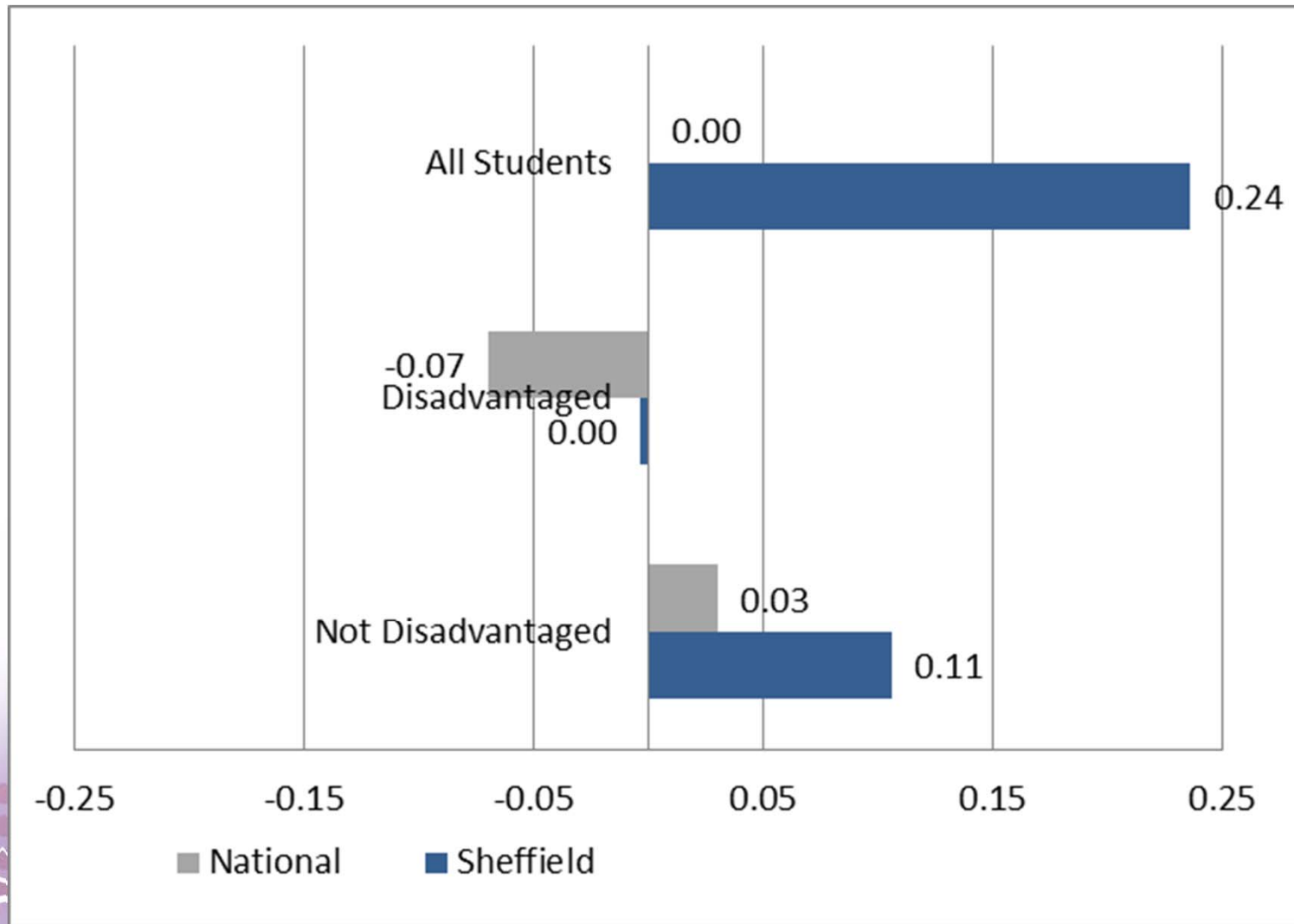
Applied General/Tech Levels

- Average points for Vocational provision, though improving, is in lowest quartile and below statistical neighbours and Core Cities.
- Disadvantaged student attainment in the 3rd quartile.

Ks5 Progress - A Levels



Ks5 Progress - Applied General



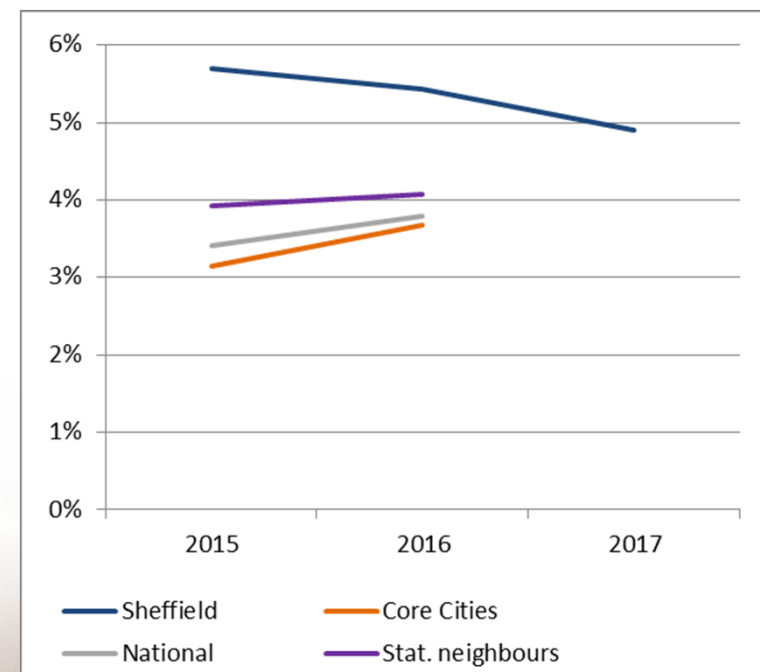
Ks5 – Progress

- Above Average progress in Applied General, including disadvantaged students.
- Below Average Progress for Academic/A levels, including disadvantaged.
- 10 providers (67%) with average or better progress – 6 (40%) with above average progress.
- 5 providers (33%) with below average progress including 1 provider below minimum standard for Academic provision.

Apprenticeships – Progression at 16

- Top quartile of LAs (2016) for % progression into Apprenticeships at age 16.
- Slight reduction in number and proportion progressing between 2015 and 2017, related to:
 - increased UTC /School Sixth Form provision, with a smaller 16 year old cohort.
 - Changes to Apprenticeship funding/administration (Employer Levy Implementation)

Y11 Activity Survey - % Into Apprenticeships



Changing 16-18 Landscape

- New Secondary Schools with at least one more school sixth form (from 2023).
- Resident 16 & 17 year old Cohort Expected to rise from 18/19 (not accounting for impact of potential changes to immigration policy)
- FE Sector Reforms
 - new “Tech Level” curriculum from 2021.
 - Skills Devolution?

