

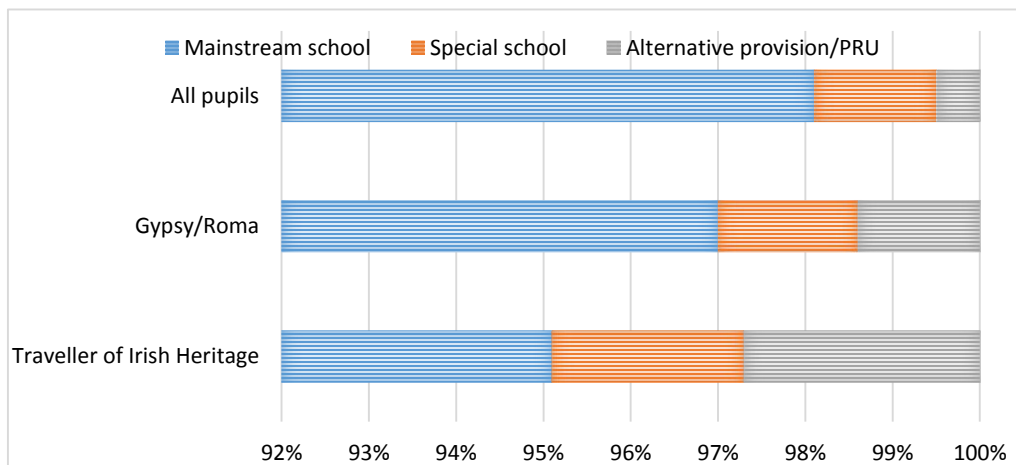
## Note on the representation of Gypsy/Roma and Traveller (GTR) pupils within non-mainstream education in England

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The Traveller Movement analysed Department for Education statistics detailing [pupil population characteristics in January 2015](#) across England.

Below are two graphs that illustrate our findings. Pupil referral units (PRUs) and alternative provision (AP) are for pupils who, for a number of different reasons, cannot attend mainstream school. Commonly, pupils who receive school exclusions will attend a PRU or AP. The data shows that GTR pupils are disproportionately represented within the population of pupils attending PRUs and alternative provision.

**What type of schools do pupils attend?**



**What proportion of pupils identify as Gypsy/Roma or Traveller?**

