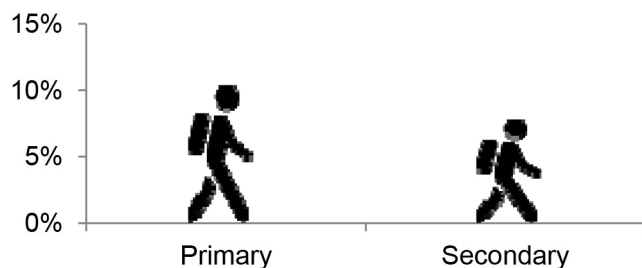


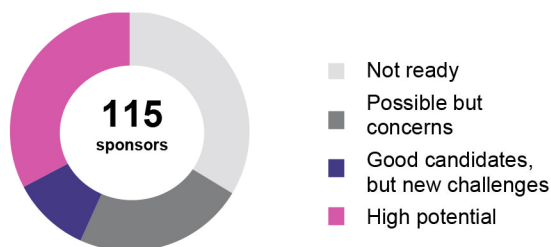
The East Midlands & the Humber has a high degree of academisation yet the region still faces challenges in terms of coasting schools & schools below the floor standard

1. The region has a comparatively high proportion of academies. However there are three local authorities where less than 10% of schools are academies.
2. A large number of sponsors operate in the region; and the proportion of these which are not ready for taking on new schools is comparatively low.
3. The challenge posed by coasting schools & schools below the floor standard is high at both primary & secondary level.
4. Forecasted increases in pupil numbers are lower than average, but could still cause a range of challenges to the region in the future.

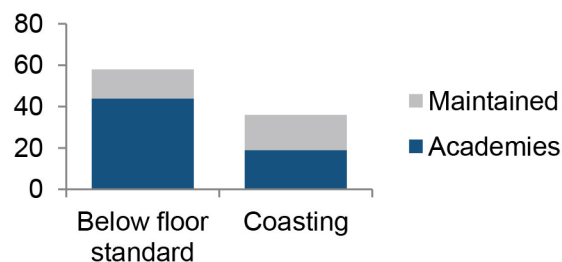
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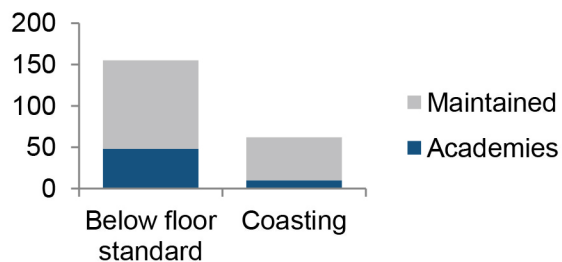
A high number of sponsors operate in the region; and only 34% are not ready for taking on new schools



The East Midlands has one of the highest number of coasting secondary schools & schools below the floor standard...



...& the highest number of primary schools below the floor standard



270

Secondary academies

71%

Of secondary schools are academies

490

Primary academies

23%

Of primary schools are academies

The level of academisation varies by Local Authority; in 3 LA's less than 10% of schools are academies

