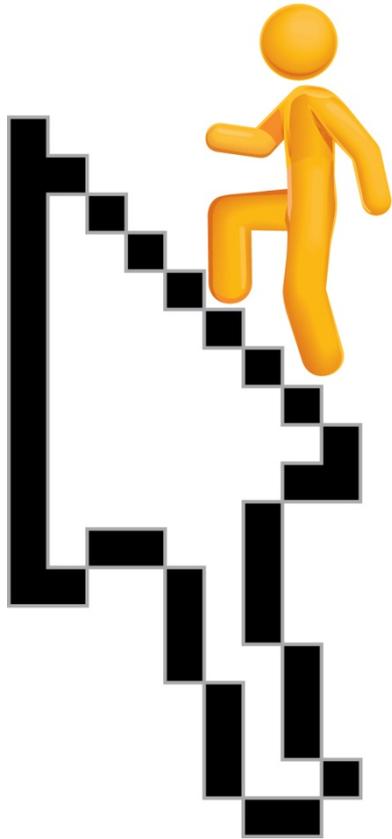




Insight

Benchmarking for Excellence



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Insight - Aligned with CfE

Outcomes focussed:
in the Senior *Phase*

Aims to help 'raise attainment for all' and reduce the gap between higher and lower attainers

Measures attainment and achievement at point of exit from school



Reflects performance within a school's context

Provides the ability to look at different cohorts of pupils



A tool for professional reflection

- Access for all secondary school staff
- Aims to encourage professional reflection and collaborative working
- Prompts reflective questions





A dynamic benchmarking tool

- Easy and intuitive to use
- Provides a rounded picture of performance
- Measures units where appropriate
- Includes a wide range of SCQF credit-rated awards and learning programmes: SQA and, increasingly, others



Inclusion of wider awards

- Wider awards must meet set criteria:
 - Be on the SCQF
 - Fit CfE principles
 - Meet Insight technical requirements



'National' and 'Local' Measures

- National measures
 - At the point of exit from school
 - Leavers' cohort
 - 'big ticket' items, eg: destinations; literacy and numeracy; attainment for all; 'closing the gap'
- Local measures
 - Performance of cohorts
 - Pupils as they *go through* the senior phase
 - Curricular areas and courses

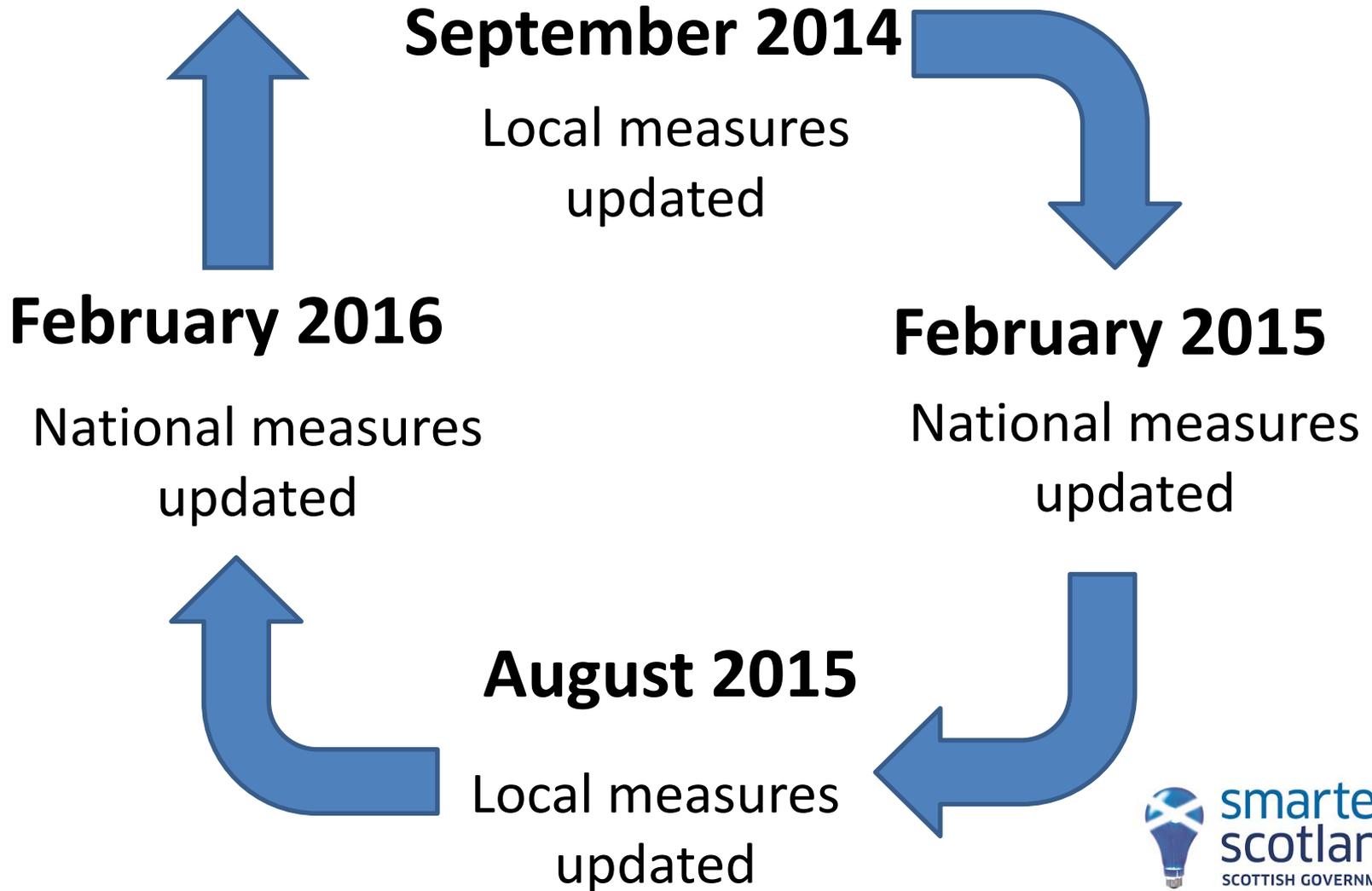


Insight and the College Sector

- Wider recognition of partnerships in general (eg CLD)
- School - college partnerships
- Base Centre and Presenting Centre
- Developing Young Workforce
- Scottish Candidate Number



Updating Insight

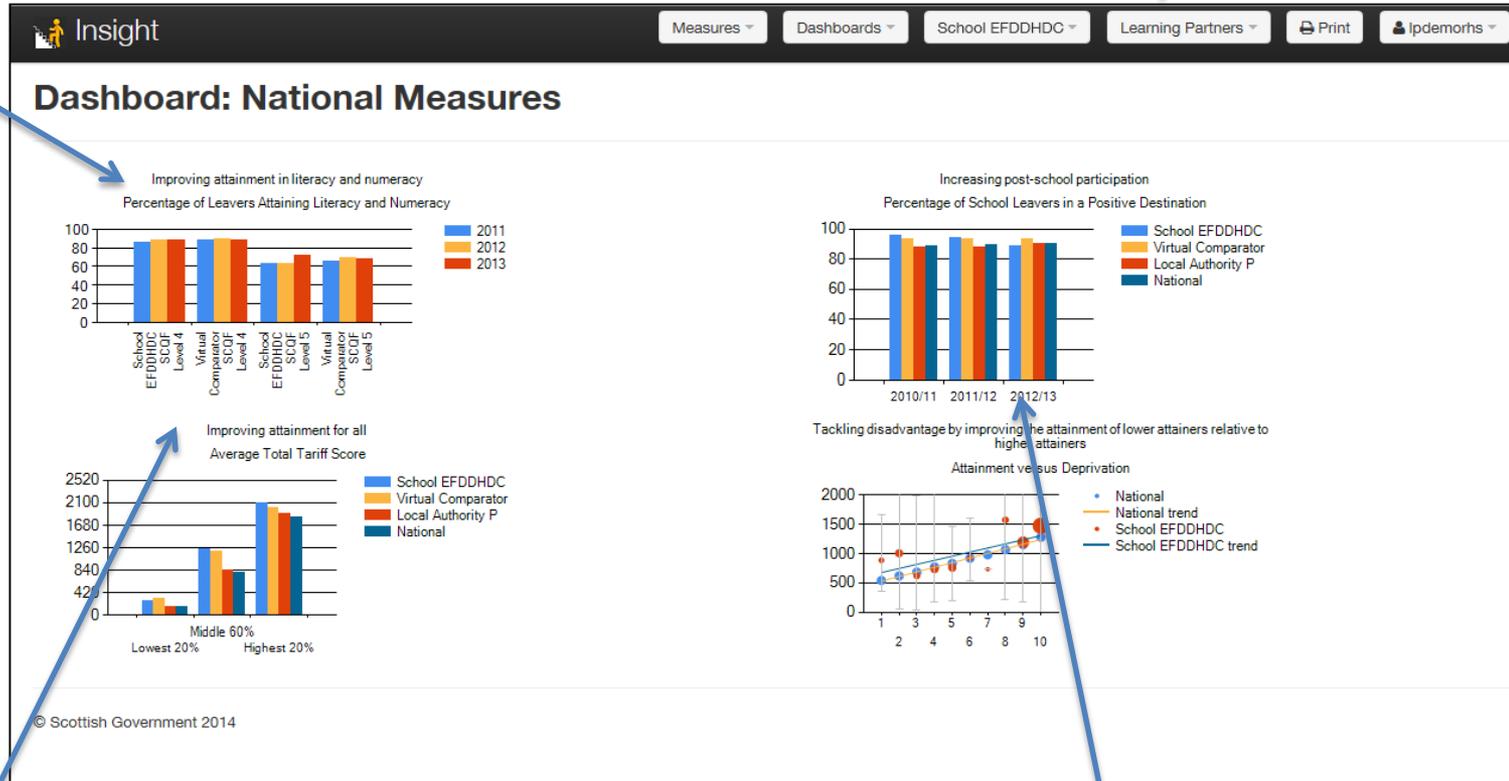




The Dashboard

Learning Partners

Intuitive dashboard



National measures

Virtual Comparator



- <http://insight.scotxed.net>