

## Armed forces visits to special schools in Scotland ForcesWatch, May 2017, updated June 2018

### Notes on the data

The following list shows known visits by the armed forces to special schools in Scotland during the period 2010-16 and from 2016-17. The information has been obtained via Freedom of Information (FOI) requests.

Some datasets obtained through FOI for 2010-16 do not show complete information (e.g. the name of the school is not included) or it is not clear if all schools are included. There are also substantial gaps in the datasets available for the period 2010-16 - no detailed RAF or Navy data is available between 2013 and 2016. It is therefore not possible to say that these are the only visits to special schools that were made.

Data from April 2016 to May 17 is available for the Army, Navy and RAF. The RAF and Navy data did not show any visits to special schools in this period.

### Known visits

Date of visit	school	activity	information source
<i>Army</i>			
06/06/2011	Gorgie Mills School	Team building	1
07/09/2011	Burnhouse School	Careers presentation	1
16/08/2012	Balnacraig School	Personal Development Activity	2
01/09/2015	Balnacraig School	Careers Event	3
02/09/2015	Connect 5 Pupil Referral Unit	Liaison Visit	3
12/11/2015	Buchanan High School	Careers Fair	3
15/09/2015	Seamab School	Careers Event	3
19/11/2015	Kear Campus	Careers Presentation	3
27/01/2016	Closeburn House School	Careers Presentation	3
27/01/2016	Newlands Junior College	Personal Development Activity	3
07/03/2016	Gorgie Mills School	Work Experience	3
25/04/2016	Westmuir High School	Careers Presentation	4
25/11/2016	Kear Campus	AiE Liaison	4
21/03/2017	Willowbank School	Careers Presentation	4
<i>Navy</i>			
May 2012	Gorgie Mills School	Careers presentation	1
June 2012	Gorgie Mills School	Team building & Leadership	1

### Information sources

1. [https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/scottish\\_school\\_visits](https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/scottish_school_visits)
2. [https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/army\\_visits\\_to\\_schools\\_in\\_scotla](https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/army_visits_to_schools_in_scotla) Annex C
3. [https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/army\\_school\\_recruitment](https://www.whatdotheyknow.com/request/army_school_recruitment)
4. [http://www.parliament.scot/S5\\_PublicPetitionsCommittee/Submissions%202017/20170725-Army\\_Education\\_Visits\\_in\\_Scotland-April\\_16\\_to\\_May\\_17.pdf](http://www.parliament.scot/S5_PublicPetitionsCommittee/Submissions%202017/20170725-Army_Education_Visits_in_Scotland-April_16_to_May_17.pdf)