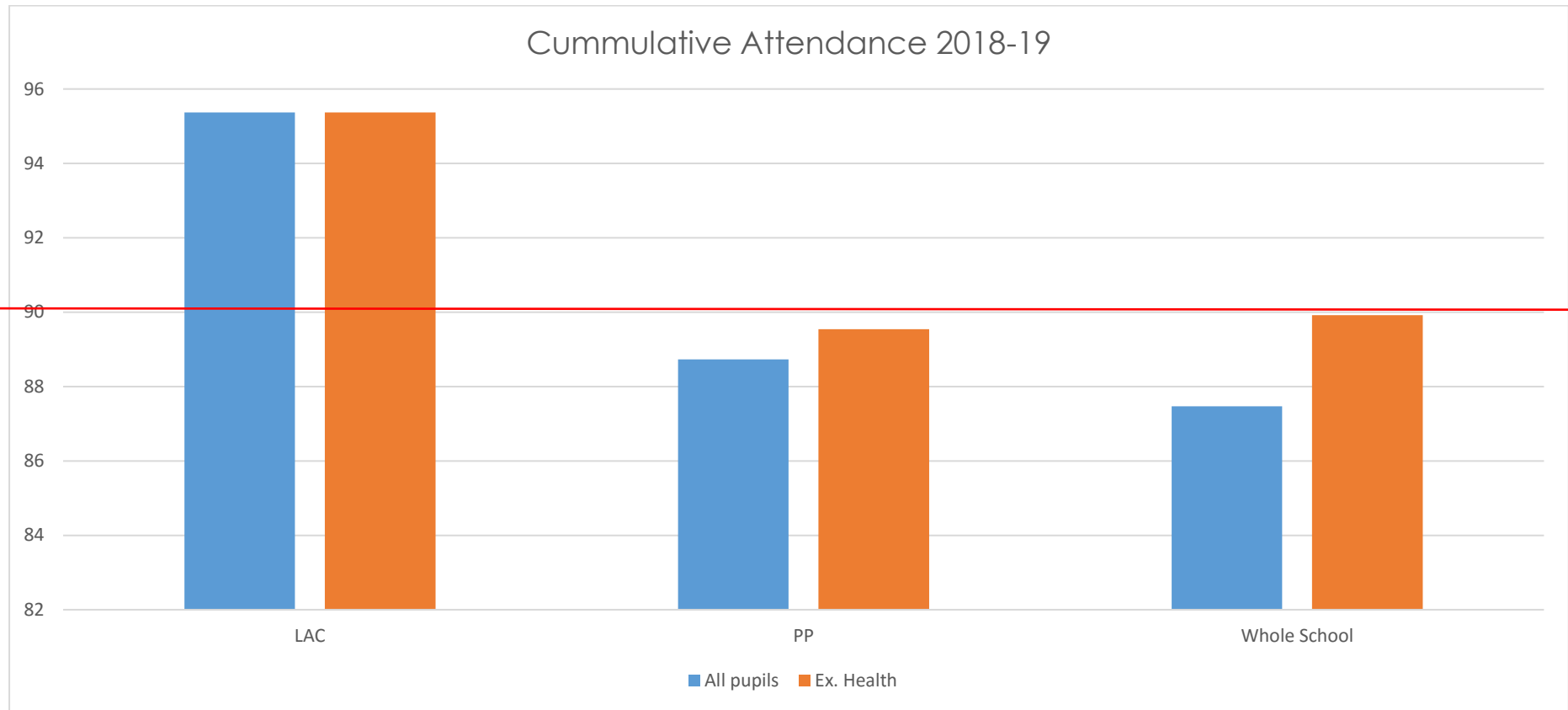




Castle Hill School

Monthly Attendance Report
2018-2019
September

Cummulative Attendance 2018-19



Exclusion of health/medial related absence refers to those pupils who are off school for significant periods of time due to reasons relating to their condition. Medical appointments and general health absences are included.

Analysis:

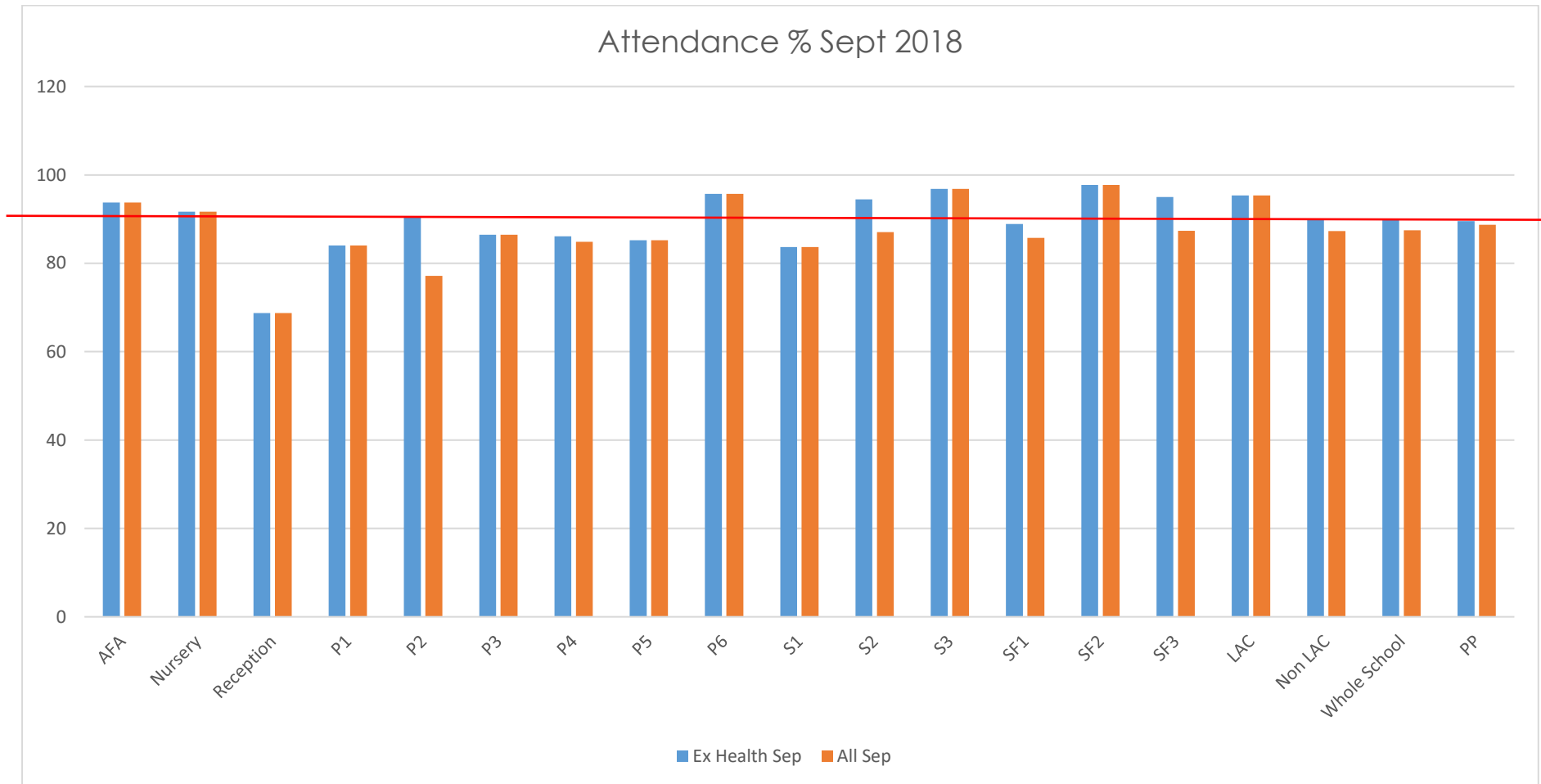
The red line indicates the 2016-17 national DfE statistic data for attendance in Kirklees Special Schools (90.2%).

The whole school data is in line with expectations when pupils with long term medical needs have been taken into account. It should be noted that the data also includes two pupils who are still on role, but have left the Local Authority. If these pupils were taken out of consideration the whole school attendance would be 91.22% - above the average for Kirklees.

Outcomes:

The Family Liaison Support officer continues to track absences and keeps in regular contact with families whose children are absent from school. Where there is a significant reduction in attendance monitoring has been put into place. This includes weekly discussions between the Principal and FLOSO. Home visits and phone calls home are made on a regular basis to support integrating the pupils back into school.

Attendance % Sept 2018



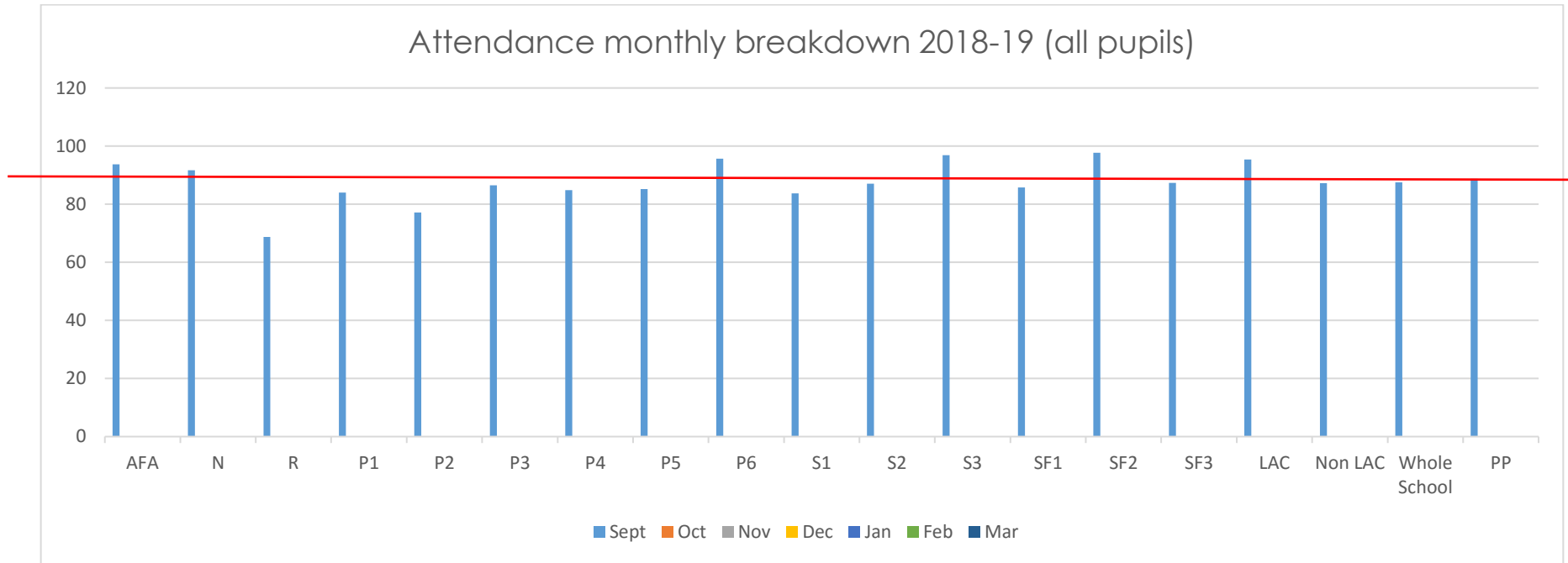
Analysis of general monthly changes:

The Ex Health column takes out six pupils for who have long term absences due to health reasons – four of which are back in school or expected back in the near future. As mentioned before, there are also two pupils who have left the LA, but are still on role (P3, P5). It is expected they will be off role for the October data. There are also two pupils who are having long term transport difficulties (S1, SF1). If these four pupils were discounted their respective classes would be over the expected attendance average.

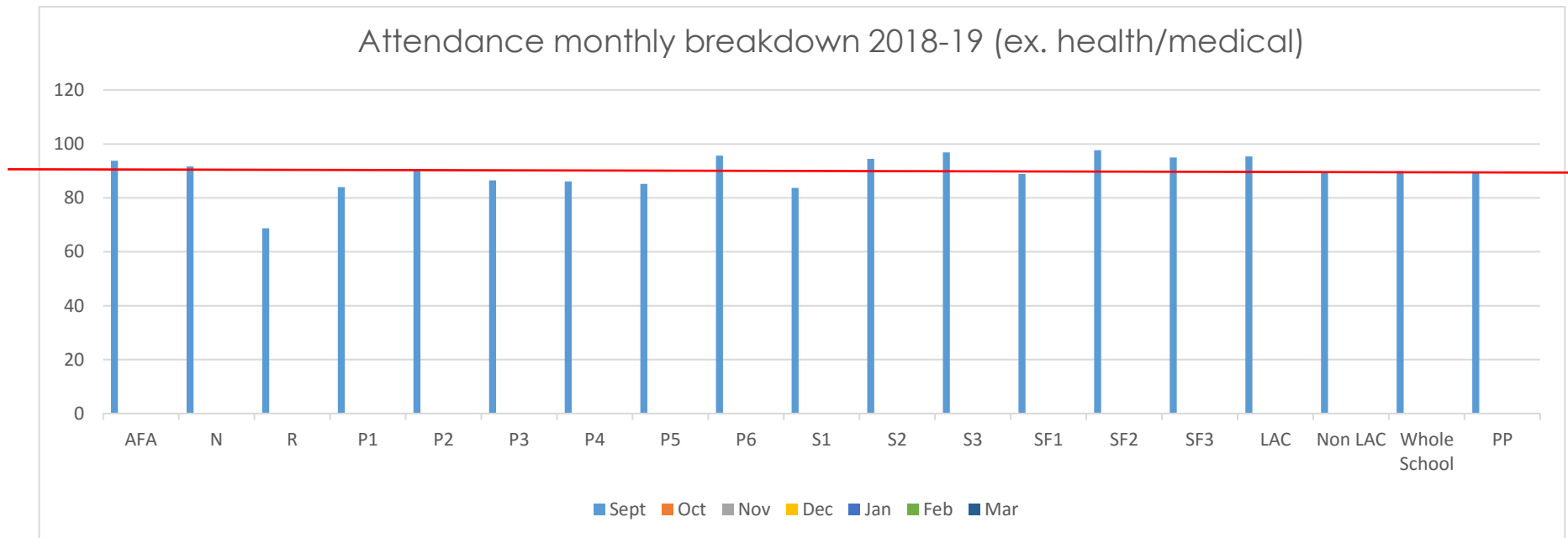
Outcomes:

Class tutors in contact with families in relation to transport. School has contacted Healthwatch to assist in finding a solution and is waiting for School Transport to put appropriate safeguards in place. For pupils on longer term illness/injury, work has been sent home.

Attendance monthly breakdown 2018-19 (all pupils)



Attendance monthly breakdown 2018-19 (ex. health/medical)



Analysis of classes:

As mentioned there are long term absent pupils in P3, P5, S1 and SF1.

A pupil in Reception has not attended this year and is likely to be home schooled.

P1 has had two pupils off ill – both back in school.

P4 has had a pupil return back to school late after the Summer break and another pupil with considerable absence.

Although this is the second academic year that attendance has been monitored, the previous September was monitored as part of the whole Autumn Term, so there is no direct data to compare.

Outcomes:

2 pupils to come off role (P3, P5)

2 pupils with ongoing transport issues (S1, SF1)

Reception pupil – FLOSO in discussion with family.

P4 pupil with considerable absence - FLOSO in discussion with family.

Insignificant drops – minor illnesses and appointments.