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The information in the following tables is provided by the Education and Library Boards.

Pupils expelled in the 2008/09 school year broken down by gender

Gender	**Number of Pupils**
Male	33
Female	3
Total	**36**

Pupils expelled in the 2008/09 school year broken down by key stage

Key Stage	**Number of Pupils**
Key Stage 1 (Years 1 to 4)	0
Key Stage 2 (Years 5 to 7)	1
Key Stage 3 (Years 8 to 10)	16
Key Stage 4 (Years 11 and 12)	19
Total	**36**

Pupils expelled in the 2008/09 school year broken down by school management type

School Management Type	**Number of Pupils**
Controlled	10
Catholic Maintained	17
Other	9
Total	**36**

Note: The 'Other' school management type includes grant maintained and controlled integrated schools, voluntary grammar schools and other maintained schools.

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Pupils expelled in the 2008/09 school year broken down by Education and Library Board

Education and Library Board	Number of Pupils
Belfast	5
Western	7
North Eastern	14
South Eastern	4
Southern	6
Total	**36**

Pupils expelled in the 2008/09 school year broken down by ethnicity

	White	Minority Ethnic Background	North of Ireland Total	Total as % of total school population
Number of pupils	36	0	36	0.01

Note: The 'minority ethnic background' classification includes Travellers.

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Reasons for pupil expulsions in the 2008/09 school year broken down by gender

Reason for expulsion	Male	Female	Total	% of expulsions
Disruptive behaviour in class	2	0	2	5.55
Substance abuse	6	0	6	16.67
Significant damage to, or misuse of, property	2	0	2	5.55
Physical attack on staff	2	0	2	5.55
Verbal abuse of staff	5	0	5	13.89
Physical attack on pupil	6	0	6	16.67
Persistent infringement of school rules	4	1	5	13.89
Alcohol abuse	0	1	1	2.78
Bullying of a pupil	2	0	2	5.55
Stealing	4	1	5	13.89
Verbal abuse of pupil	0	0	0	0
North of Ireland Total	**33**	**3**	**36**	**100**

Note: Due to rounding, the sum of percentages in the final column may not exactly match the total shown (difference 0.1).