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2026/992 - Crimes committed by Under 10s

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

1. For the 2025-26 financial year please state how many crime outcomes were concluded by your force because the age of the suspect was under 10, and so below the level of criminal responsibility.

2. For each of these crime outcomes please provide me with a table showing (i) the age of the suspect and (ii) the crime associated with that child, which was not pursued because of their young age

We have searched our systems for occurrences filed as OC11: Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility. These have been filtered only in include those where is suspect is included in the involved classification of an under 10 year old.

Status date	Outcome	HO Description	Involved Classification	Involved Age
Jan-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage, other (Under £5000.00 damage)	;Suspect;	8
Jun-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Causing or inciting a female child under 13 to engage in sexual activity, no penetration, offender aged under 18	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Causing intentional harassment, alarm or distress (Sec 4A)	;Child/young person;Suspect;	7
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Harassment	;Suspect;	8

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Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Theft if not classified elsewhere	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Harassment	;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Harassment	;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sec 47. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm	;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Theft if not classified elsewhere	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Non-fatal strangulation and suffocation	;Suspect;	8
Apr-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Take / make / distribute indecent photographs or pseudo-photographs, of children Obscene Publications	;Child/young person;Suspect;	7
Apr-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Take / make / distribute indecent photographs or pseudo-photographs, of children Obscene Publications	;Child/young person;Suspect;	7
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sexual assault of a female child under 13	;Child/young person;Suspect;	8
Jul-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Take / make / distribute indecent photographs or pseudo-photographs, of children Obscene Publications	;Child/young person;Suspect;	8
Sep-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sec 47. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm	;Suspect;	6

Sep-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sec 47. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm	;Suspect;	6
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Harassment	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
May-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Take / make / distribute indecent photographs or pseudo-photographs, of children Obscene Publications	;ITO;Subject;Suspect;	8
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Having an article with a blade or point in a public place	;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Harassment	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
May-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Racially or religiously aggravated intentional harassment, alarm or distress	;Child/young person;Suspect;	7
May-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Racially or religiously aggravated intentional harassment, alarm or distress	;Child/young person;Suspect;	8
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Take / make / distribute indecent photographs or pseudo-photographs, of children Obscene Publications	;Child/young person;Suspect;	7
May-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Suspect;	6
Apr-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Take / make / distribute indecent photographs or pseudo-photographs, of children Obscene Publications	;PP Subject;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Jun-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Non-fatal strangulation and suffocation	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Jun-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Non-fatal strangulation and suffocation	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Apr-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	7
Apr-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sec 47. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Non-fatal strangulation and	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9

	of Criminal Responsibility	suffocation		
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	9
Apr-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sexual assault of a female child under 13	;Suspect;	7
May-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sexual assault on a male child under 13	;Suspect;	7
May-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage, other (Under £5000.00 damage)	;Suspect;Child/young person;	5
May-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage, other (Under £5000.00 damage)	;Suspect;Child/young person;	7
Jun-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	8
Sep-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	9
Sep-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	9
Sep-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	9
Jun-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Subject;Suspect;	4
Nov-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage, other (Under £5000.00 damage)	;Suspect;	8
Nov-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage, other (Under £5000.00 damage)	;Suspect;	8
Jun-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Racially or religiously aggravated intentional harassment, alarm or distress	;Suspect;	8
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage to a residence (Under £5000.00 damage)	;Child/young person;Suspect;	8
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage to a vehicle (Under £5000.00 damage)	;PP Subject;Child/young person;Suspect;	6
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage to a vehicle (Under £5000.00 damage)	;PP Subject;Child/young person;Suspect;	7

Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage to a vehicle (Under £5000.00 damage)	;PP Subject;Child/young person;Suspect;	8
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage to a vehicle (Under £5000.00 damage)	;PP Subject;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Jul-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Theft if not classified elsewhere	;Suspect;	8
Jul-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Harassment	;Child/young person;Suspect;	8
Jul-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sexual assault of a female child under 13	;Suspect;	8
Sep-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Causing intentional harassment, alarm or distress (Sec 4A)	;Suspect;	9
Sep-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Causing intentional harassment, alarm or distress (Sec 4A)	;Suspect;	9
Aug-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Causing intentional harassment, alarm or distress (Sec 4A)	;Suspect;	9
Aug-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Take / make / distribute indecent photographs or pseudo-photographs, of children Obscene Publications	;CNA;Subject;Suspect;	6
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Causing intentional harassment, alarm or distress (Sec 4A)	;Subject;Suspect;	8
Jul-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Assault of a male child under 13 by penetration	;Suspect;Other;	6
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Theft in a dwelling other than from automatic machine or meter.	;Child/young person;Suspect;	7
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Theft in a dwelling other than from automatic machine or meter.	;Child/young person;Suspect;	8
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Theft in a dwelling other than from automatic machine or meter.	;Child/young person;Suspect;	7
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Theft in a dwelling other than from automatic machine or	;Child/young person;Suspect;	8

		meter.		
Aug-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sec 47. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm	;Child/young person;Suspect;	6
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Harassment	;Child/young person;Suspect;	7
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sexual assault on a male child under 13	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Sep-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	8
Sep-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sexual assault on a female aged 13 or over	;Child/young person;Young offender;Other;	9
Nov-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	9
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Subject;Located;Suspect;	9
Sep-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage to a vehicle (Under £5000.00 damage)	;No further action;Suspect;	7
Sep-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage to a vehicle (Under £5000.00 damage)	;No further action;Suspect;	7
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Suspect;	4
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Suspect;	4
Sep-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Non-fatal strangulation and suffocation	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sexual assault of a female child under 13	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sexual assault of a female child under 13	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sec 47. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9

Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage, other (Under £5000.00 damage)	;Suspect;Other;	7
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sec 47. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm	;Child/young person;Other;Suspect;	6
Nov-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Suspect;	7
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage to a vehicle (Under £5000.00 damage)	;Suspect;	4
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage to a vehicle (Under £5000.00 damage)	;Suspect;	7
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Suspect;	7
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Assault without injury on a constable, Assault or Assault by beating on a constable	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Oct-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Assault without injury on a constable, Assault or Assault by beating on a constable	;Suspect;	9
Nov-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sec 47. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm	;Child/young person;Suspect;	8
Nov-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Suspect;	8
Dec-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	8
Nov-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Suspect;	8
Jan-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Take / make / distribute indecent photographs or pseudo-photographs, of children Obscene Publications	;CNA;No further action;Suspect;	3
Jan-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sec 47. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm	;Child/young person;Suspect;	4

Dec-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sexual assault of a female child under 13	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Dec-25	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Sexual assault of a female child under 13	;Child/young person;Suspect;	9
Jan-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Suspect;	9
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Child/young person;Subject;Suspect;	6
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Suspect;	9
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Suspect;	9
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Suspect;	9
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Common assault and battery (Violence without injury)	;Suspect;	9
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage, other (Under £5000.00 damage)	;Suspect;	9
Feb-26	11. Named Suspect Below Age of Criminal Responsibility	Other criminal damage, other (Under £5000.00 damage)	;Suspect;	9

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