

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Your request for information has now been considered and the Council's response to your questions is shown below.

You asked:

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 with regards to the placement of children under the age of 16 into special Education Needs settings over the past two academic years. I would like to request the following information for each child placed in the period from 1st September 2012 to 31st January 2014:

- **Diagnosis of placement – BESD (Behavioural, Emotional & Social Difficulties), ASD (Autistic Spectrum Disorder), other.**
- **Name of school**
- **Type of placement – Day pupil or 38 week residential pupil**
- **Age of child at placement**
- **Academic Year – 2013 or 2014**
- **Does the child have a care order attached – Y/N**
- **Cost of school placement Per Annum**

Answer:

[Please see the attached spreadsheet.](#)

The legislation allows you to use the information supplied for your own personal use, or for journalistic purposes. If the information is a dataset (which does not relate to the environment), you may also use the information for commercial re-use under an [Open Government Licence](#).

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request please write to:

**Information Governance Manager
Information and Support
Leicester City Council
FREEPOST (LE985/33)
New Walk Centre
LEICESTER LE1 6ZG
e-mail: info.requests@leicester.gov.uk**

Your request for internal review should be submitted to the above address within 40 (forty) working days of receipt by you of this response. Any such request received after this time will only be considered at the Council's absolute discretion.

You may also seek independent advice from the Information Commissioner at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow SK9 5AF
Telephone: 01625 545 700
www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk

Please be aware that the Information Commissioner does not normally consider requests until the internal appeals process of the Council has been exhausted. You are therefore advised to appeal to the Information Governance Manager before contacting the Commissioner.