

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 would like to know how many portacabins/demountables/modulars/ huts have been placed on school grounds between September 2009 and today (January 5, 2011).

Please see the attached table. As a Council the only distinction we make between our temporary buildings is whether they are HORSA Huts or Mobiles.

Please can you give me the total number over this period for your council.

Please see the attached table.

And where a school has two or more of the 'huts', please list each school and state how many huts each of these schools have. If you do not wish to name schools, please give them anonymity by giving them a number.

Please see the attached table.

Also, please state how many schools are in your council – broken down into primary and secondaries.

Primary – 74

Secondary – 17

Special Schools – 8

Lastly, please can you also state an estimated number of additional huts that you will need to accommodate children up to entry for the 2015 academic year.

Additional huts are not a preferred option. The Council is exploring permanent solutions remodels/refurbishments and extensions to our schools to accommodate the increase in pupil numbers.

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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: FOIA@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 can also complain to the Information Commissioner at:

Information Commissioner's Office

Wycliffe House

Water Lane

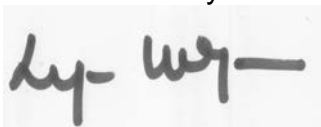
Wilmslow SK9 5AF

Telephone: 01625 545 700

www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk

Please be aware that the Information Commissioner does not normally consider appeals or complaints until the internal appeals and complaints processes of the public authority which is answering the request have been exhausted. You are therefore advised to complain or appeal to the Information Governance Manager before contacting the Commissioner.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lynn Wyeth', is written on a light-colored rectangular background.

Lynn Wyeth

Information Governance Manager