

## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 - Library statistics**

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

**You asked:**

**Please could you provide me with:**

- 1. The numbers of visits to libraries under your jurisdiction, for the last financial year (April 2010 - March 2011), broken down to show the numbers of visits to each library.**

Please see attached  
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- 2. A breakdown of the ages of registered library users (e.g. under 18, 18-25, 25-40, 40-65, 65+) of each of the libraries within your jurisdiction.**

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- 3. The budget allocated by the council to the library service for the last financial year, and a breakdown of how it was distributed, as well as information on how much money was *raised* by the service through fines and other service charges.**

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**Head of Information Governance  
Information and Support  
Leicester City Council**

**FREEPOST (LE985/33)**

**New Walk Centre**

**LEICESTER LE1 6ZG**

e-mail: [FOIA@leicester.gov.uk](mailto: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](http://www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk)

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Yours sincerely

**Lynn Wyeth**

**Head of Information Governance**

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