



My Ref: FOI 6072
Enquiries to: Information Requests
E-Mail: informationrequests@barnsley.gov.uk

Dear Requester,

Re: Request for Information – Freedom of Information Act 2000

I wish to confirm that the council has completed its search for the information which you requested.

The information requested and our findings are as follows: -

Please provide the most recent data available, as at the date you process this request, regarding children and young people with a maintained Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP).

Please provide:

- 1. The total number of children and young people with a maintained EHCP for whom no named educational placement is currently recorded in Section I.**

130 are either recorded as EOTAS (Education Other Than At School) or EHE (electively home educated) and would therefore have a blank section I.

- 2. Of those in Q1, the number currently awaiting:**

This is 0 for all 130 cases as being EOTAS or EHE means that we are not looking for a placement for the young person.

- a maintained special school placement - 0
- an academy special school placement - 0
- an independent or non-maintained special school placement - 0
- a mainstream placement - 0
- an alternative provision placement - 0
- another type of placement - 0

- 3. Of those in Q1, the number currently receiving:**

- Education Otherwise Than At School (EOTAS) - 38
- home tuition or interim tuition – 92 elective home educated
- a reduced or part-time education package – 0 as these pupils would have a setting named in Section I
- no education package commissioned by the authority – 0 as any young person awaiting provision would have a setting or type named in section I and would be provided with an interim education offer

- 4. Of those in Q1, the number by phase:**

- primary - 18
- secondary - 90
- post-16 - 22

5. Of those in Q1, the number by primary need:

- **ASD** - 60
- **SEMH** - 25
- **SLCN** - 22
- **all other primary needs combined** - 23

If any part of the breakdown in Q4 or Q5 would exceed the cost limit, please still provide the headline total in Q1 and as much of the remaining data as can be supplied within the cost limit.

Please note that our case management system does not allow us to directly access the data in Section I of a plan. Information is provided based on EOTAS and EHE cases only which would all have a blank Section I.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact Information Requests Via email.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are unhappy with the way the Directorate has handled your request, you may ask for an internal review. Please clearly mark your correspondence 'Complaint' and address it to:

Barnsley MBC
Information Requests Team
PO Box 634
Barnsley
S70 9GG
email: informationrequests@barnsley.gov.uk

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: -

Customer Services Team
Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Email: <http://www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints>

Kind regards,

Information Requests Team, Barnsley MBC

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