



My Ref: FOI4845
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 a table of High Needs top-up payments made by BMBC in FY 2023/24 and FY 2024/25, showing:

- **Each recipient institution (maintained, academy, AP, independent special).**
- **Institution type (mainstream/special/AP/independent).**
- **Location LA (Barnsley or out-of-area).**
- **Total amount paid.**

Table below provides the requested information:

	2023/24	2024/25	Barnsley	Out of area
	£	£		
Mainstream schools:				
Maintained	1,198,004	1,224,756	x	
Academy	3,159,897	3,465,404	x	
Special Schools	6,233,276	6,597,099	x	
Independent Special Schools & Other LA Special Schools	19,219,575	20,183,690		x
Alternative Provision:				
PRU	723,922	750,337	x	
	30,534,674	32,221,286		

Payments to Independent special schools are not top up they are a provider fee

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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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