

## **NCC-039351-19 School Uniform grants**

Dear Requester,

Further to your recent request for information on School Clothing grants. Please can I refer you to a recent request of this nature on our disclosure log: See link below search (uniform)

I have also copied below for ease of reference.

### **Freedom of information request NCC-036886-18**

Thank you for your recent freedom of information request, for ease I have provided our response alongside each point asked as follows:

1. Does your LA provide a school uniform for families? **No**
2. If no, did you ever provide one and if so, when and why did you withdraw it? **Yes, Nottinghamshire County Council "NCC" offered discretionary school clothing allowance for low income families, withdrawn in 2010/20111**
3. If you do provide a grant, which families can apply and how much can they get? **No grant is available. NCC has an exceptional circumstance criteria which is assessed on an individual basis**
4. Do you work with or know of any voluntary organisations in your authority which support families with the costs of school uniform? **No**

We trust this now resolves your enquiry, however should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me directly on the details below.

Nottinghamshire County Council regularly publishes previous FOIR,s and answers on its website, under Disclosure logs. (see link)

<http://site.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/thecouncil/democracy/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/>

You can use the search facility using keywords.

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to the Team Manager, Complaints and Information Team, County Hall, West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 7QP or email [complaints@nottscc.gov.uk](mailto:complaints@nottscc.gov.uk) .

Kind Regard

To whom it may concern,

I am requesting the following information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act.

Does this Council offer a school uniform grant:

- o if so, who is eligible and how much is the grant worth?
- o if not, when did the Council cease offering the grant?
- How many grants were issued and what was the total amount spent on school uniform grants in the last year for which data is available?
- How many grants were issued and how much was spent on school uniform grants in (a) 2010 and (b) 2015?

With thanks,