

Dear

Thank you for your request for information about Nottinghamshire County Council's staff absence scheme for schools

I realise that this response is now being provided outside of the statutory timescale for provision of information requested under the Freedom of Information Act, and I apologise for this. I hope that the information remains relevant to you and that the delay has not caused you any difficulties.

I am now able to provide the following information in response to your specific questions;

Does the authority provide a staff absence scheme for schools?

Yes

If yes, is the scheme outsourced to a provider or delivered by the authority

Delivered by the authority

If the scheme is provided by the authority, can you please provide details of the scheme including;

Daily benefit amount reimbursed for each category of staff

**The costs/charges/benefit cannot be disclosed as commercially sensitive.

Waiting period applied to each claim

**The costs/charges/benefit cannot be disclosed as commercially sensitive.

Exclusions to scheme

**The costs/charges/benefit cannot be disclosed as commercially sensitive.

Is the scheme open to academies?

Yes

How is the price of the scheme determined for each school?

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Are there any limitation of cover for certain types of condition?

**The costs/charges/benefit cannot be disclosed as commercially sensitive.

Who is responsible for the management of the scheme within the authority

Payroll Manager

Number of schools participating in the scheme

165

Size of the scheme in £s and claims payment settlements

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**We consider that to release of this information would prejudice the commercial interest of the Local Authority and therefore not in the public interest to disclose it. For this reason we are exempting it under Section 43 of the Freedom of Information Act

I hope that you find this information to be helpful, however if you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, then please email us at foi@nottscc.gov.uk quoting the reference NCC-039048-19 and we will be happy to review your request

With kind regards

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