

Freedom of information request NCC-050239-21

Thank you for your recent Freedom of information request for the following information:

Nottinghamshire County Council's funding for placements in independent special schools for pupils with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND), Social, Emotional & Mental Health needs, (SEMH) and Autism (ASC).

My request refers to pupils with Education, Health, and Care Plans (EHCP) that are given council-funded placements in independent special schools approved under Section 41 of the Children and Families Act 2014. My request refers to independent special schools that operate as day schools, residential schools, and children's homes for pupils under the age of 25. My request is referring to all independent special schools that Nottinghamshire County Council funds placements for, and is not restricted to schools in Nottinghamshire.

For 1st September 2019 to the day this request is processed, I would like to find out the number of pupils that have been given Nottinghamshire county council-funded placements in independent special schools. For each individual placement, please provide the following:

- The total cost of the placement (by cost I mean the amount charged per placement by each company)
- The name of the school where the pupil is placed

We trust this information is of assistance to you.

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 e-mail foi@nottscc.gov.uk

With kind regards

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