

Freedom of information request NCC-051208-21

Thank you for your recent Freedom of information request for the following information, for ease we have provided a response alongside each point as follows:

1. On March 29, 2020, how many children and young people were recorded as being electively home educated (EHE) in your local authority area? 898
2. On March 29, 2021, how many children and young people were recorded as EHE in your local authority area? 1142
3. How many parents or carers of the children and young people recorded as EHE on March 29, 2021 has the council requested to meet (virtually or physically) in relation to the home education of the child or young person in question (if meetings with the same parent(s)/carer(s) have been requested on separate occasions for different children under their care, or a meeting has been requested to discuss the EHE of multiple children simultaneously, please count these separately i.e. count each child for which a meeting has been requested)? 0
 1. of the meetings requested, how many have been accepted by parents/carers? 0 NCC do not request meetings, we offer adviser support in the form of a telephone call, virtual visit or in person visit to home educators
 2. Of those requested, how many have been refused by parents/carers? n/a
 3. Of those accepted, how many meetings have been carried out? n/a
 4. Of the number of children and young people recorded as EHE on March 29, 2021:
 1. How many were recorded as having an education, health and care plan (EHCP)? 19
 2. How many were recorded as having SEN support? This answer is not possible to provide as SEN Support is the system by which schools should assess the needs of children, and then provide appropriate support. Children who are EHE are not in school and so are not recorded in this way.
 3. How many were recorded as being in need under section 17 of the Children Act 1989? 18
 4. How many were recorded as female? 579
 5. How many were recorded as male? 561

Please note, we have two young people where gender has not been specified.

We trust this information is of assistance to you.

If you wish to raise any concerns about the way your request was dealt with, then please write to the Team Manager, Complaints and Information, County Hall, West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 7QP or e-mail foi@nottscc.gov.uk quoting the reference number above

With kind regards

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