

**Request for Information: Ref NCC-031182-18
School Admissions**

Thank you for your request for information relating to school Admissions. I can now let you have the following information in response to the questions you raised.

I would please like to know how many parents have applied for their child to start Year 7 (secondary school) outside of normal school age, based on their child being summer born and therefore having been previously granted a delayed entry to Reception (therefore having started Reception the Autumn after their 5th birthday and not their 4th birthday). For the children who have gone through the whole of primary school outside of their normal age group.

Please could I have this information for the academic years 2015-16; 2016-17 and 2017-18?

Our records indicate that 2 summer born children whose parents requested to delay admission to year 7 from September 2017 to September 2018 had been educated outside their normal age group all through the primary phase of education.

We hope this now satisfies your request, and should you have any further enquiries please do not hesitate to contact me directly using the contact details below. In addition and for future reference Nottinghamshire County Council regularly publish previous Freedom of Information Requests and answers on our website, under Disclosure logs, available at the following link:

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Yours sincerely

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**Request for Information: Ref NCC-031178-18
School Admissions**

Thank you for your request for information relating to school admissions. I can now let you have the following information in response to the questions you raised.

How many requests has Nottinghamshire County Council received pertaining to 'admission of children outside their normal age group' from parents of summer born children regarding entry into reception class at compulsory school age for the school years 2016-17 and 2017-18 respectively?

Nottinghamshire County Council (NCC) received 4 requests for admission to the reception year group at compulsory school age in September 2016 from the parents of summer born children who were eligible for a school place in September 2015 but had not started attending school.

NCC received 36 requests for admission to the reception year group at compulsory school age in September 2017 from the parents of summer born children who were eligible for a school place in September 2016 but had not started attending school.

How many of these requests have been granted and how many have been refused by Nottinghamshire County Council for the school years 2016-17 and 2017-18?

NCC agreed to all requests which were received prior to a child starting school.

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**Request for Information: Ref NCC-031184-18
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Thank you for your request for information relating to school admissions. I can now let you have the following information in response to the questions you raised.

How many (if any) summer born children who had originally been granted to start Reception outside of the normal age group, were then moved back into their 'correct' age group in subsequent academic years of primary school? Please could I have this information for the academic years: 2014 to 2018?

2014-15

Our records indicate that 1 child was eligible for a school place in September 2014 but it was agreed to delay admission to reception until September 2015 and has since returned to their normal age group

2015-16

Our records indicate that no children who were eligible for a school place in September 2015

2016-17

Our records indicate that 2 children who were eligible for a school place in September 2016 but it was agreed to delay admission to reception until September 2017 both have since returned to their normal age group as the result of parental preference.

2017-18

No children who were eligible for a school place in September 2017.

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