

### **NCC-034374-18 Home schooling and ethnicity**

I'd like to put in a Freedom of Information Request for the number of students who were in schools AND the number who were home-schooled as of the January Census for the last 5 years, broken down by ethnicity.

Please see attached spreadsheet for the desired format.

I have used ethnicity as used by the ONS - broken up into 5 distinct categories: 1. White; 2. Mixed/Multiple; 3. Asian/Asian British; 4. Black/African/Caribbean; and 5. Other. Further details are on the attached spreadsheet, or see the [ONS website](#).

Where possible, if the number is 0, please use 0. If the number is less than 5, but more than 0, and cannot be specified due to potential identifying information, please use "<5".

Dear Requester,

Further to your request for information under the Freedom of information act. First please accept our sincere apologies for the delay in responding to your request in the agreed timescale. I hope the below detail answers you request.

The schools census data, breaking down pupils by ethnic group is available here:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/schools-pupils-and-their-characteristics-january-2018>

The relevant document is the LA Tables which includes data for Nottinghamshire and the relevant tables are tables 9a, 9b and 9c which details number and percentage of pupils by ethnic group for state-funded primary and secondary schools and special schools. Previous years data is available via the link above also.

The ethnicity of EHE registered students are:

	2014	03/09/2015	11/01/2016	19/04/2017	06/02/2018	30/11/2018
Other	Not available	6%	6%	7%	6%	6%
Traveller or Gypsy	Not available	12%	10%	8%	8%	8%
Unknown	Not available	19%	17%	13%	15%	16%
White British	Not available	63%	66%	72%	71%	70%

This information has been generated using a report from Capita and is only displayed in the 4 categories listed above. As the original request needs 5 years, the data for 2014 is unavailable and so we have shown the data for two dates for 2018.

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)

Kindest Regards