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**Request for Information: Ref NCC-035233-18
Children currently externally placed in the care of other local authorities**

Thank you for your request for information relating to children currently externally placed in the care of other local authorities I can now let you have the following information in response to the questions you raised.

- 1) **How many children are currently externally placed in the care of other local authorities;** 304 children are currently placed in other LA areas
- 2) **Please detail the accommodation costs incurred, per annum, per child, by the council in arranging for the child to be externally placed. Please present this information in an entirely anonymised format (e.g. Child A, Child B etc).** NCC currently only have one YP that is funded by placements. Newport City Council – Yearly cost £ 22,843.79.

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:

<http://site.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/thecouncil/democracy/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/>

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Yours sincerely

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