

From: Freedom of Information Requests
Sent: 15 October 2025 16:09
To: Subject: Freedom of Information response -

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request dated 6 October 2025 for information about exclusions of pupils awaiting EHCP assessments. Please find below City of Doncaster Council's responses to the questions you have raised.

1. Whether your local authority record or monitor data on exclusions specifically in relation to pupils awaiting EHCP assessments?

Response: No

2. If so, for the 2024/25 academic year, please provide:

2.1. The number of pupils in your local authority who were excluded (suspensions or permanent) while awaiting the outcome of an EHCP assessment following a request.

2.2. A breakdown of the number of such exclusions by type of exclusion (suspension vs permanent), if held.

Response: Not applicable

3. If this data is not held centrally or cannot be disaggregated, please confirm:

3.1. Whether such information may be held in case records, or if any internal reviews/reports have addressed this issue.

Response: This information may be held in casenotes.

I hope that this information is useful to you.

The City of Doncaster Council estimates that it has cost £50 to respond to this request for information.

Reviewing any decisions made:

If you are not happy with this reply you can ask us to review our response. To do this write to us within 40 working days of receiving your response at the address below or email FOIAppeals@doncaster.gov.uk

If you do not agree with the review decision you can apply to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision about our compliance or otherwise with the Freedom of Information legislation. Contact details for the ICO are: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. www.ico.org.uk Telephone 0303 123 1113.

Yours faithfully,

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