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Dear 

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for requesting information about unauthorised absence which the Council received on 8 August 2014. Your request has been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

In the school year which began in Sept 2013 and ended July 2014 how many parents of primary school children in Coventry were issued with fixed penalties for unauthorised absence from school?

860.

In the same school year how many parents of secondary school children in Coventry were issued with fixed penalties for the same reason?

319.

In the school year which began in Sept 2012 and ended July 2013 how many of parents of primary school children in Coventry were issued with fixed penalties for unauthorised absence from school?

Please note that we can only provide figures from March 2013 – July 2013 for the year 2012-13. This is due to the review of the Education Welfare Service and the service method of delivery changing.

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In the same school year how many parents of secondary school children in Coventry were issued with fixed penalty notices for the same reason?

105 (from March 2013 – July 2013).

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Yours sincerely

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