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Dear Sir/Madam.

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)  
Request ID: REQ06338**

Thank you for your request for information relating to Coventry school agency spend report.

You have requested the following information:

**1. I would like to know the amounts paid by each school/nursery and SEND education provision in the local authority, in relation to temporary staffing cover (Teachers, Cover Supervisors, Unqualified Teachers, Teaching Assistants, Nursery Nurses etc).**

**The time frames I require are from 1st September 2018 to 31st August 2019 and from 1st September 2019 and 1st October 2019.**

**Please could you supply this information (in excel) for each school or Alternative Education Provisions including school name, type of school, amount spent, and the company this money was paid to.**

For Maintained Nursery School, Primary Schools, Secondary Schools and Special Schools we do not hold this data for academic years only financial years please see the attached spreadsheet for details of temporary staffing cover for the year ended 31st March 2019. This analysis is for the financial year ended 31st March 2019.

In relation to amounts spent by schools with individual companies we can confirm that we do not hold this information and are advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act. This information is held by each school. To aid and assist you further, you can contact each school for this information; a list of schools can be found using the following link:

<http://www.coventry.gov.uk/schoolcontactdetails>

For other Local Authority temporary staffing cover we do not hold this data for academic years it is held in financial years. Following careful consideration, the information you requested falls under the exemption(s) in Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which relates to 'information reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means'.

The exemption applies as the information is published and publicly available to view by accessing the Council website, please use the following links:

2018/19

Q1:

<https://edemocracy.coventry.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=208&MId=11700&Ver=4>

Q2:

<https://edemocracy.coventry.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=208&MId=11701&Ver=4>

Q3:

<https://edemocracy.coventry.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=208&MId=11702&Ver=4>

Q4:

<https://edemocracy.coventry.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=208&MId=11973&Ver=4>

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Q1:

<https://edemocracy.coventry.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=208&MId=11974&Ver=4>

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If you are unhappy with the handling of your request, you can ask us to review our response. Requests for reviews should be submitted within 40 days of the date of receipt of our response to your original request – email: [infogov@coventry.gov.uk](mailto:infogov@coventry.gov.uk)

If you are unhappy with the outcome of our review, you can write to the Information Commissioner, who can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF or email [casework@ico.org.uk](mailto:casework@ico.org.uk).

Please remember to quote the reference number above in your response.

Yours sincerely

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