



Education & Skills

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Dear

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Thank you for your request for information relating to elective home education and school attendance orders.

You have requested the following information:

1. How many children of compulsory education age were recorded as home educated in your local authority area as of Thursday 7th January 2021?

There were 354 children that were registered as being electively home educated.

2. How many notices have been served by your authority on home educating parents, under the Education Act 1996 s437 (notice to satisfy) during the year to 7th January 2021?

NIL

3. How many School Attendance Orders (SAOs) have been served by your authority on home educating parents, during the year to 7th January 2021?

NIL

4. How many SAOs were revoked by the authority during the year to 7th January 2021?

5. How many SAOs were enforced by the authority during the year ending 7th January 2021?

N/A - please see response to question 3

6. How many of these enforcements were upheld by the Court in the year up to 7th January 2021?

N/A - please see response to question 3

7. How many complaints and/or letters of concern in respect of matters relating to home education, or the conduct of authority staff involved with home education, have been received by your local authority in the year up to 7th January 2021.

NIL

8. How many of these complaints were partially or fully upheld?

N/A – please see response to question 7

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Yours sincerely

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