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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI386039874

Thank you for your request for information relating to EHCP Appeals and Tribunals.

You have requested the following information:

Please can all of the following questions be broken down by academic year from 2014/15 to today.

- 1. Of those appeals submitted against education, health and care plans, please can I have a breakdown of how many were pupil premium (PP) eligible vs non pupil premium eligible.
- 2. Of those appeals submitted against education, health and care plans that continued to a tribunal, please can I have a breakdown of how many were pupil premium eligible vs non pupil premium eligible re the children involved. Please can this be broken down by academic year from 2014/15 to today.
- 3. Of the tribunal hearings that were in the parents' / appellant's favour, how many were PP vs non-PP of the children involved?
- 4. Of the tribunal hearings that were in the council's favour, how many were PP vs non PP re the children involved?
- 5. Of any other outcomes (please state the outcome) how many were PP vs non PP?

We hold the information which you have asked for, but we have estimated that the cost of meeting your request would exceed the cost limit of £450 specified in the Freedom of Information and Data Protection (Appropriate Limit and Fees Regulations 2004). This represents the estimated cost of one person spending 18 hours or more, in determining whether the information is held, locating, retrieving and extracting it.

The requested information is not held in an existing reportable format. In order to identify, collate and answer your request, an officer will need to manually interrogate every child's records. Due to the high volume of records held, this will exceed 18 hours. Your request has therefore been refused under section 12(2) of the Act.

However, in order to fulfil our obligations under Section 16 of the FOI Act to advise and assist you, we advise that we may be able to provide some information if you were to narrow the timeframe. Please note that a reformulated request will be regarded as a new FOI request.

For information, we publish a variety of information such as: <u>FOI/EIR Disclosure Log</u>, <u>Publication Scheme</u>, <u>Facts about Coventry</u> and <u>Open Data</u> that you may find of useful if you are looking for information in the future.

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

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 icocasework@ico.org.uk.

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

Yours faithfully

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