



Response to Request for Information

Reference FOI 000170
Date 23 May 2016

Employees

Request:

Under the terms of freedom of information, I would like to request the following information for the period 1st January 2014 – 31st December 2014 (or for the last complete reporting year if easier) and to exclude employees of schools in the local authority area.

1. The total number of full time staff (as of 31/12/15)? [2,229](#)
2. The total number of part time staff (as of 31/12/15)? [2,034](#)
3. The full time equivalent number of staff (as of 31/12/15)? [3,437.5](#)
4. The number of compulsory and voluntary redundancies made by the local authority in the above stated period (please note, I only require a number, no information regarding positions made redundant or of settlements)?
Compulsory Redundancies: [66](#)
Voluntary Redundancies: [197](#)
5. Number of resignations accepted by the authority for the above stated period (please note, I only require a number, no data concerning the roles resigned, departments effected, etc.)? [409](#)
6. Number of newly recruited staff for the above stated period - excluding temporary staff? [286](#)
7. Total number of sickness days taken by local authority staff for the above stated period (for the whole authority, not per person)? [9 days lost per employee.](#)
8. Total number of Full Time Equivalent sickness days taken by local authority staff for the above stated period (for the whole authority, not per person)?
[The authority did not report sickness in this method so we do not have any historic information for 14/15. However as an outturn for 15/16 we are reporting 10.28 days \(Number of working days lost per Full Time Equivalent to sickness absence\).](#)