

Response to Request for Information

Reference FOI 001754
Date 01 December 2017

School Absence

Request:

I would like to make a Freedom of Information request for the following:

1. From 1st September 2015 to 31st August 2015, how many referrals were made to the council by schools under its remit due to a child's absence/attendance record? - Please break this down into primary v secondary?
2. From 1st September 2016 to 31st August 2017, how many referrals were made to the council by schools under its remit due to a child's absence/attendance record? - Please break this down into primary v secondary?
3. From 1st September 2017 to date (1st December 2017), how many referrals were made to the council by schools under its remit due to a child's absence/attendance record? - Please break this down into primary v secondary

[In response to your request, please find our response below:](#)

	15-16	16-17	17-18*
Primary	90	122	17
Secondary	163	238	38
Total	253	360	55

* (to the 1st December 2017)