



Response to Request for Information

Reference FOI 02875
Date 17 October 2018

Compensation to Teacher or Teaching Assistants

Request:

In the last financial year 2017/2018 please provide me with the number of settlements and the total amount paid as compensation to teachers or teaching assistants for injuries sustained at schools or outside schools. For each incident please provide me with the amount of compensation, costs and a summary of the claim.

Please clearly indicate any incidents where compensation was made to staff as a result of an injury sustained from an attack by a pupil, or in an incident when trying to restrain a violent pupil.

Note: The question relates to payments made in 2017/2018 regardless of when the incident took place. If the settlement was made by the authority's insurers it is still information "held" by your authority under the terms of the Act.

In response to your request we can confirm that there have been no settlements paid as compensation to teachers or teaching assistants for injuries sustained at schools or outside schools in 2017/2018.