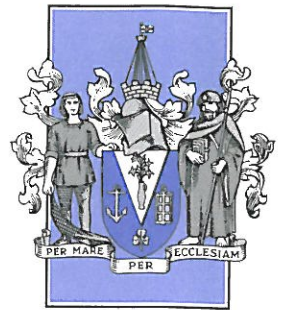


Southend-on-Sea Borough Council

Children & Learning

Sue Hadley - Head of Children's Commissioning & Learning Infrastructure

Your ref: FOI 01044 Tel: 01702 215007 ext. 5920
Our ref:
Contact name: Elaine Matson E-mail: elainematson@southend.gov.uk
Date: 7th January 2013



Dear Mr James

Re: Freedom of Information Request – FOI 01044

I am writing regarding your request for information, which was received on 19 November 2012.

In that request you asked us for a breakdown of results of children taking 11 plus for all grammar schools in borough.

I can confirm that the search for the information you requested has been completed and is shown on the attached document.

Please note that the document is ordered in worksheets by year, the year being that in which the exam was taken, for a place starting September the following year. The data is local primaries only. Private schools within the Southend area have been excluded, as have any children who were home educated.

With regard to your question 'what percentage is the benchmark for pass of 220', I would be grateful if you could provide me with more details in order to clarify the exact information required.

If you wish to discuss any of the above, please contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to request a review of our response, you should write to the Group Manager – Information and Governance, Support Services Department, PO Box 6, Civic Centre, Victoria Avenue, Southend-on-Sea, Essex, SS2 6ER.

If you are not content with the outcome of your review, you can make a complaint under the Council's complaints process by writing to Corporate Complaints Officer, Support Services Department, PO Box 6, Civic Centre, Victoria Avenue, Southend-on-Sea, Essex, SS2 6ER.

You can also apply directly to the Information Commissioner (ICO) for a decision although generally the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the Council's complaints procedure. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a large, stylized 'E' followed by a long horizontal line.

Elaine Matson
Business Support Administration Manager

Handwritten initials in black ink, appearing to be 'EM'.