Dear Mr Johnston

Thank you for your request for information, which was received on 14 December 2018. You requested:

*The number of pupils at schools in Hampshire who did not continue their year 11 studies at the same institution/secondary school that they studied for year 10 at (i.e. those who may have switched schools, began homeschooling or ended their educations entirely at this point).*

*Requested for students who were due to take year 11 in the following years:*

*1. 2012-2013*

*2. 2013-2014*

*3. 2014-2015*

*4. 2015-2016*

*5. 2016-2017*

*6. 2017-2018 (if available)*

I have dealt with your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The information requested is not held by this Department and it would be a large, complex analytical task to produce it. The Department estimates that the cost of complying with your request would exceed the cost threshold applicable to central Government. This is £600 and represents the estimated cost of one person spending 3½ working days locating, retrieving and extracting the information.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are unhappy with the way your request has been handled, you should make a complaint to the Department by writing to me within two calendar months of the date of this letter. Your complaint will be considered by an independent review panel, which were not involved in the original consideration of your request.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint to the Department, you may then contact the Information Commissioner’s Office.

Yours sincerely,

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