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Children's services Hornton Street London W8 7NX

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Dear Madam

## Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your recent request to the Council. You asked to be provided with the following information:

How many pupils aged 5 - 18, do not currently have any educational provision? How many pupils aged 5 - 18 on the SEND register, do not currently have any educational provision?

How many pupils aged 5 - 18 with an EHCP or statement, do not currently have any educational provision?

## Response

I am pleased to provide some of the information you have requested. Please find below the information we hold.

- 1- At present we have 56 children currently classed as without educational provision. Please note that this total includes recently received applications that are awaiting placement, *and* children that have been offered a school place but are not yet on the school roll.
- 2- The LA does not hold this information. This is because we do not ask parents for the child's school or ask if they have an EHC.
- 3- We have withheld this information due to the potential of identifying individuals the numbers are less than 5. Under the Freedom of Information Act we have the right to refuse this request for information held if an exemption applies.

The requested details comprise a small number of a small population, it is considered that the information is exempt from disclosure under section 40 (2) of the Act, as it is personal information which would enable the identification of individuals who would not have an expectation that such information would be made public.

Disclosure would thereby breach Principle (a) of the General Data Protection Regulations 2018 (Fair and Lawful Processing).

Please quote the reference number 755997 in any future communications.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to:

Information Management Team
The Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea
The Town Hall, Hornton Street, London W8 7NX
Email: xxx@xxxx.xxx

If you are still dissatisfied with the Council's response after the internal review you have a right of appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

The Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF.

Telephone: 01625 545 700 Website: www.ico.gov.uk

I will now close your request as of this date.

Yours faithfully

Information Management Team Kensington & Chelsea Council