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**Children's Services Directorate**  
**Education, Early Start and Prevention – BU1**  
Nina Sleight, Service Director

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By email to:  
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My Ref: FOI/4537  
Your Ref:  
Date: 06 April 2022  
Enquiries to: Information Requests  
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Dear Christine,

**Re: Request for Information – Freedom of Information Act 2000**

I wish to confirm that the Children's Services Directorate has now completed its search for the information which you requested by e-mail on 21<sup>st</sup> March 2022.

Your questions and my findings are as follows:-

**Re: Elective Home Education Survey requested by the Association of Directors of Children's Services in October 2021.**

The results of the survey are contained in this document:

**Elective Home Education Survey Report 2021 | ADCS**

**Question 1. Did your Authority respond to the ADCS Elective Home Education Survey?**  
YES

**Question 2. Please supply a copy of your completed survey.**

I do not have this information to supply – findings of the survey are collated by the ACDS as part of their report.

**Question 3. Please state the number of people who participated in the completion of the survey.**

Four people contributed and had oversight of the survey.

**Question 4. Please specify the positions held by those who participated.**  
Service Director Education Early Start and Prevention, Service Manager Pupil Attendance and Inclusion, EHE Advisor and Data Tracking Officer Education Welfare Service.

**Question 5. Was your Authority's response approved by the Children's Services Overview/Scrutiny Committee or equivalent? Please supply details.**

The Education Welfare Service provides termly reports to the Directorate Management team and the lead member for Children's services on the position regarding children Electively Home Educated within the borough. Information and data approved within these reports was shared within the survey.

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact Information Requests on (01226) 77 5759. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

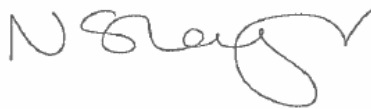
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Yours sincerely



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