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Dear Denise Kern,

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 - INFORMATION REQUEST

Thank you for your request for information received by the Council on 12th February 2019.

Your request and our response:

• As per 1 May 2018, how many children in your local authority had a Statement of Special Educational Needs?

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 How many children with special educational needs in your local authority area required an Education Health Care Plan or statement of SEN for transitioning from primary to secondary school in September 2018?

No children in Ealing require an EHC Plan or statement to transition from primary to secondary school. EHC plans are issued based on need, not at a particular time in their educational career.

• How many of these children received their final transition Education Health Care Plan or statement by the 15 February 2018 deadline?

We do not have a report from our information management system that can provide this data.

• As per 15th February 2019, how many children in your local authority had a Statement of Special Educational Needs?

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Yours sincerely,

Freedom of Information Officer