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Dear Mike,

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REF No: 495693

Thank you for your information request, received on 30 August 2018.

You requested the following information:

Please could you provide me with the following information relating to school admissions for every state school or state school site within your local authority on national offer day 2018:

1. The name of the school or school site
2. The DfE number or URN of the school
3. Whether the school was oversubscribed in that year
4. The number of offers made to siblings of existing pupils
5. The number of offers made under any proximity, distance or "other children" oversubscription criterion
6. The admission criterion under which the last successful applicant was admitted
7. The home-to-school distance and unit of measurement (and whether this measurement was straight line or walking distance) of the last successful applicant, where distance was used to prioritise this last place
8. If available, the number of pupils allocated to the school by the local authority.

Please always list the school or site, even if there is little admission information available.

As I understand it, this information is normally recorded as a dataset, so it would be great if your response could include the data in an electronic, reusable format such as Excel or CSV.

I am asking for this in order to supplement a website I have created to help parents find out more about schools near them, in particular admission results. You can see it here: <http://admissionsday.co.uk>.

Our response is:

The information you are seeking is available on our website at the links below:

Primary School Admissions Booklet:

<https://www.islington.gov.uk/~media/sharepoint-lists/public-records/childrenandfamilieservices/information/leaflets/20182019/20180829primaryschooladmissionsbooklet201920201.pdf>

Secondary School Admissions Booklet:

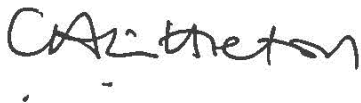
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If you are not satisfied with the way in which your request has been handled or the outcome, you may request an internal review within two calendar months of the date of this response by contacting: Information Complaints, Digital Services, Room G17, Town Hall, Upper Street, London N1 2UD. Email: infocomplaints@islington.gov.uk

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Yours sincerely,



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