



Please ask for: Mollie Redford
Reference: 22119749
Email:
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Date: 2 June 2021

Dear Ms Green

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000 relating to SEND Schools. Please see the response provided below:

1a) How many SEND Schools do you have in the county?

There are 24 Kent maintained SEND Schools.

1b) Out of these SEND schools, how many have engaged agency Teachers or Teaching Assistants in the financial year ending March 2021?

2) How many agency Teachers and Teaching Assistants were supplied to these SEND schools in the financial year ending March 2021?

3) What was the total spend by your organisation on SEND agency staff for SEND schools in the financial year ending March 2021?

4) Which agencies do you currently use to supply SEND workers to SEND Schools?

5) Please provide the name and contact information of the manager responsible for the SEND service that supplies agency SEND staff to schools.

KCC does not hold this information. Please refer these questions to the individual schools.

If you are unhappy with this response, and believe KCC has not complied with legislation, you have 40 working days from the date of this response to ask for a review. You can do this by following our complaints process; details can be found at this link <https://www.kent.gov.uk/about-the-council/complaints-and-compliments#tab-10> on our website. Please quote reference 22119749.

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I will now close your request as of this date.

Yours sincerely

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