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Dear Raymond,

**REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002
(FOISA)**

Thank you for your request dated 1st October under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (FOISA) for information pertaining to the number of visitors at Stirling Castle.

You asked for: the total number of visitors that visited Stirling Castle on every Saturday and Sunday between 1st July 2018 and 30th September 2018

The answer to your question is **86,632**, a full breakdown has been provided below:

Stirling Castle visitor numbers

Date	Day	Visitors	Date	Day	Visitors
01/07/2018	Sun	2,506	19/08/2018	Sun	4,171
07/07/2018	Sat	2,577	25/08/2018	Sat	2,991
08/07/2018	Sun	2,915	26/08/2018	Sun	3,618
14/07/2018	Sat	3,453	01/09/2018	Sat	2,415
15/07/2018	Sun	4,706	02/09/2018	Sun	2,516
21/07/2018	Sat	5,329	08/09/2018	Sat	2,527
22/07/2018	Sun	4,271	09/09/2018	Sun	2,264
28/07/2018	Sat	3,534	15/09/2018	Sat	2,724
29/07/2018	Sun	3,608	16/09/2018	Sun	2,472
04/08/2018	Sat	3,524	22/09/2018	Sat	2,414
05/08/2018	Sun	4,334	23/09/2018	Sun	2,496
11/08/2018	Sat	3,972	29/09/2018	Sat	1,976
12/08/2018	Sun	4,119	30/09/2018	Sun	1,737
18/08/2018	Sat	3,463			



If you are unhappy with this response to your FOI request, you may ask us to carry out an internal review of the response, by writing to the Chief Executive, Historic Environment Scotland, Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh, EH9 1SH or chiefexecutive@hes.scot. Your review request should explain why you are dissatisfied with this response, and should be made within 40 working days from the date when you received this letter. We will complete the review and tell you the result, within 20 working days from the date when we receive your review request.

If you are not satisfied with the result of the review, you then have the right to appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner. More detailed information on your rights is available on the Commissioner's website at: www.itspublicknowledge.info.

I hope you find this information helpful.

Yours sincerely,

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