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Date: 18 August 2022

Dear Ellenor Barefield,

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information dated 10 August 2022 which the Council received by email. You have requested the following information:

Under the Freedom of Information act, I am writing to request the following information please:

1. Please provide a copy of the most recent school census data for Tameside (showing the number on roll at each school and in each year group) for the school below:

Longdendale High School

I can confirm that the Council holds the information; however, having carefully considered the matter, the Council has determined that the information is exempt from disclosure under the following provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Section 21: information accessible to applicant by other means.

Under section 21 of the Act, the Council is not required to provide information in response to a request if it is already reasonably accessible to you. You may access the information that you have requested from our website at: [Performance Indicators and Statistics \(tameside.gov.uk\)](http://www.tameside.gov.uk/performance-indicators-and-statistics)

If you have any difficulties accessing the information that you require, please don't hesitate to contact me.

In accordance with section 17 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 this letter acts as a Refusal Notice in respect of this part of your request.

2. Please provide copies of any feasibility studies undertaken within the past 5 years to add capacity at this school (whether this capacity has been added or not); please confirm how many school places this school will have as a result and when these places will be available; and please confirm the capacity details of any new schools to be opened in this secondary planning area within the next 5 years.

None conducted prior to the school becoming an academy in July 2017. You may wish to contact the schools for information since that date.

3. Please provide copies of all of the secondary school annual allocations statistics for this school since 2015.

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4. Please provide data for each year since 2015 showing: how many places have been allocated at each school to out of catchment children (detailing from which other schools' catchment areas) and how many places have been allocated at each school to children living outside Tameside.

Allocation statistics are on the website in Q3, but Tameside does not operate catchment areas. Out of Borough allocations for Longdendale are attached (Attachment 1)

5. Please provide the most recently available individual school forecasts (where these are produced) or planning area forecasts until the end of the forecast period. Please note what level of housing growth (including specific sites) is included in these forecasts.

Please see Attachment 2.

Please quote reference number 8714601 in any future communications.

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of the Council's decision, you may do so within 40 working days of the date of this response. Please email foi@tameside.gov.uk or write to Sandra J Stewart, Borough Solicitor, at PO BOX 317, Ashton under Lyne, OL6 0GS.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Commissioner cannot normally make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by the Council. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF and at www.ico.org.uk.

Yours sincerely,

Catherine Moseley
Head of Access Services

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FOI Request (2224-22)

1. Please provide a copy of the most recent school census data for Derbyshire (showing the number on roll at each school and in each year group) for the schools listed below:

1. Gamesley Primary School
2. St Margaret's Catholic Voluntary Academy
3. St Mary's Catholic Voluntary Academy
4. St Charles' Catholic Voluntary Academy
5. All Saints Catholic Voluntary Academy
6. St Philip Howard Catholic Voluntary Academy
7. Glossop Dale School and Sixth Form

School Name	Year Group	Number Of Pupils
All Saints Catholic Voluntary Academy	R	11
All Saints Catholic Voluntary Academy	1	8
All Saints Catholic Voluntary Academy	2	13
All Saints Catholic Voluntary Academy	3	16
All Saints Catholic Voluntary Academy	4	9
All Saints Catholic Voluntary Academy	5	8
All Saints Catholic Voluntary Academy	6	13
Gamesley Primary School	R	31
Gamesley Primary School	1	29
Gamesley Primary School	2	34
Gamesley Primary School	3	31
Gamesley Primary School	4	35
Gamesley Primary School	5	56
Gamesley Primary School	6	56
Glossopdale School	7	229
Glossopdale School	8	218
Glossopdale School	9	228
Glossopdale School	10	208
Glossopdale School	11	184
Glossopdale School	12	73
Glossopdale School	13	34
St Charles's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy	R	22
St Charles's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy	1	20
St Charles's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy	2	29
St Charles's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy	3	26
St Charles's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy	4	32

St Charles's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy	5	32
St Charles's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy	6	30
St Margaret's Catholic Voluntary Academy	R	5
St Margaret's Catholic Voluntary Academy	1	4
St Margaret's Catholic Voluntary Academy	2	6
St Margaret's Catholic Voluntary Academy	3	4
St Margaret's Catholic Voluntary Academy	4	3
St Margaret's Catholic Voluntary Academy	5	1
St Margaret's Catholic Voluntary Academy	6	2
St Mary's Catholic Voluntary Academy (Glossop)	R	24
St Mary's Catholic Voluntary Academy (Glossop)	1	15
St Mary's Catholic Voluntary Academy (Glossop)	2	15
St Mary's Catholic Voluntary Academy (Glossop)	3	14
St Mary's Catholic Voluntary Academy (Glossop)	4	17
St Mary's Catholic Voluntary Academy (Glossop)	5	20
St Mary's Catholic Voluntary Academy (Glossop)	6	26
St Philip Howard Catholic Voluntary Academy	7	124
St Philip Howard Catholic Voluntary Academy	8	116
St Philip Howard Catholic Voluntary Academy	9	119
St Philip Howard Catholic Voluntary Academy	10	116
St Philip Howard Catholic Voluntary Academy	11	117

2. Please provide copies of any feasibility studies undertaken within the past 5 years to add capacity at any of these schools (whether this capacity has been added or not); please confirm how many school places these schools will have as a result and when these places will be available; and please confirm the capacity details of any new schools to be opened in these primary and secondary planning areas within the next 5 years.

[The Authority has provided a feasibility study and subsequently a funded scheme for an extension at Glossopdale School. The extension \(due to open September 2022\) will provide 200 places at Years 7-11 and 40 places at Years 12/13. Please see the embedded planning permission document below.](#)



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[There is other applicable information for the other schools.](#)

3. Please provide copies of all of the primary and secondary school annual allocations statistics for these schools since 2015.

[We can only provide the information for the past 5 years as the years prior are not in a reportable format. To extract the data would involve a manual search of records and would be in excess of 18 hours. This part of your request is exempt under s12 of the Freedom of](#)

Information Act 2000, whereby a public authority does not have to comply with the request if the cost of compliance exceeds £450. Please see the embedded spreadsheet for the last 5 years.



Q3.xlsx

4. Please provide data for each year since 2015 showing:
 1. how many places have been allocated at each school to out of catchment children (detailing from which other schools' catchment areas) and
 2. how many places have been allocated at each school to children living outside Derbyshire.

This information is not held by Derbyshire County Council. This information may be held by the schools, which are all Academies. Please contact these schools directly using the details provided in the below link:

[Get Information about Schools - GOV.UK \(get-information-schools.service.gov.uk\)](https://get-information-schools.service.gov.uk)

5. Please provide the most recently available individual school forecasts (where these are produced) or planning area forecasts until the end of the forecast period. Please note what level of housing growth (including specific sites) is included in these forecasts.
Please see the embedded spreadsheet. Please note that this does not include housing growth



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FOI Request (2284-22)

1. Please provide a copy of the most recent school census data for Derbyshire (showing the number on roll at each school and in each year group) for the schools listed below:
 - i. Dinting Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School
 - ii. Simmondley Primary School
 - iii. Whitfield St James' CofE (VC) Primary School
 - iv. St Luke's CofE Primary School
 - v. Duke of Norfolk CofE Primary School
 - vi. St Andrew's CofE Junior School
 - vii. St Charles' Catholic Voluntary Academy
 - viii. Hadfield Infant School
 - ix. Charlesworth Voluntary Controlled Primary School
 - x. Padfield Community Primary School

School Name	Nursery Year 1	Nursery Year 2	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Total
Dinting CE Voluntary Aided Primary School	-	-	21	20	20	21	16	20	19	137
Padfield Community Primary School	-	-	18	18	16	17	14	15	13	111
Simmondley Primary School	-	-	43	45	39	45	42	38	40	292
Duke of Norfolk CofE Primary School	<5	11	45	43	39	39	50	43	47	320
Hadfield Infant School	-	-	56	47	66	-	-	-	-	169
St Charles's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy	-	-	22	20	29	26	32	32	30	191
Charlesworth School (Voluntary Controlled Primary)	-	-	19	16	15	19	14	15	10	108
Whitfield St James' CofE (VC) Primary School	9	29	45	42	30	31	35	45	45	311
St Andrew's CE (Controlled) Junior School	-	-	-	-	-	41	58	60	49	208
St Luke's CE Controlled Primary School	-	-	31	30	29	29	29	32	30	210

* Please note that numbers of less than 5 (<5) are exempt under S40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act and are not included so as not to make individuals identifiable.

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There were no feasibility studies for these schools and there are no current plans for new schools.

3. Please provide copies of all of the primary and secondary school annual allocations statistics for these schools since 2015.

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School	21/22	22/23	23/24	24/25	25/26	26/27
St Charles's Catholic Primary Voluntary Academy	193	188	180	167	160	151
Padfield Community Primary School	111	114	116	110	107	101
Hadfield Infant School	168	148	150	140	135	125
Simmondley Primary School	291	298	301	298	298	304
St Luke's CE Controlled Primary School	207	206	207	214	220	221
Whitfield St James' CofE (VC) Primary School	276	271	259	257	256	260
Duke of Norfolk CofE Primary School	303	290	286	284	293	299
St Andrew's CE (Controlled) Junior School	204	215	195	190	197	180
Charlesworth School (Voluntary Controlled Primary)	109	108	111	120	122	127
Dinting CE Voluntary Aided Primary School	136	138	139	143	140	140

***Please note that this does not include housing growth.**

LONGDENDALE

Year	Number of Offered Extra District Pupils Allocated
2015	60
2016	60
2017	43
2018	35
2019	21
2020	22
2021	9
2022	6

