

Bury SEN EHE FOI Response January 2013

Question 1

- a. The total number of children in our authority with a statement of SEN is 1175
- b. There were no home educated children in our authority with a statement of SEN
- c. There were no home educated children of primary age with a statement of SEN
- d. There were no home educated children of secondary age with a statement of SEN
- e. There were no statements for home educated children categorised as having "moderate learning difficulty"
- f. There were no statements for home educated children with physical disabilities
- g. There were no statements for home educated children with speech, language and communication needs
- h. There were no statements for home educated children with autism spectrum disorders
- i. There were no statements for home educated children with severe or complex learning difficulties
- j. There were no home educated children with a statement of SEN who formerly attended a special school
- k. There were no children with a statement of SEN who started home education during the calendar year 2012
- l. There were no children with a statement of SEN who have been home educated for more than 2 years
- m. There were no home educated children with a statement of SEN who have been home educated for more than 5 years
- n. There were no children with a statement of SEN who ceased to be home educated during the calendar year 2012 because they started to attend school

2 All pupils with statements of SEN have access to the above services, as deemed appropriate.

3 Bury Council does not have a specific policy with regard to provision of services and support listed in Part 3 of the statement when a child with a statement of SEN is home educated? There are relatively few cases of home education of Statemented pupils within Bury LA, ie less than five within the last ten years. In these cases the LA funded the provision in part 3.

4 There were no home educated children with a statement of SEN entered on the Alternative Provision Census under the category Not a School, for SEN support (deadline Thursday January 17th)