

Hertfordshire EHE SEN FOI Response January 2013

The total number of children in your authority with a statement of SEN

· 3835

The number of home educated children in your authority with a statement of SEN

· 19

The number of home educated children of primary age with a statement of SEN

· 6

The number of home educated children of secondary age with a statement of SEN

· 13

The number of statements for home educated children categorised as having "moderate learning difficulty" (if the authority has a banding system, please could you indicate the number of home educated children within the relevant statement bands)

· 6

The number of statements for home educated children with physical disabilities

· 0

The number of statements for home educated children with speech, language and communication needs

· 0

The number of statements for home educated children with autism spectrum disorders

· 6

The number of statements for home educated children with severe or complex learning difficulties (if the authority has a banding system, please could you indicate the number of home educated children within the relevant statement bands)

· 3

The number of home educated children with a statement of SEN who formerly attended a special school (if known)

· 7

The number of children with a statement of SEN who started home education during the calendar year 2012

· 4

The number of children with a statement of SEN who have been home educated for more than 2 years

· 14

The number of home educated children with a statement of SEN who have been home educated for more than 5 years

· 7

The number of children with a statement of SEN who ceased to be home educated during the calendar year 2012 because they started to attend school

· 5

Question 2)

Within your authority - not including the provision of assessments/reports for the annual review of the statement of SEN - do home educated children have access to any of the following:

a) educational psychology service

· Not at present, but it is under discussion.

b) occupational therapy services and equipment

· Yes

c) c/speech and language therapy

· Yes

d) d/CAMHS

· Yes

Question3)

Does the authority 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? If yes, could you please summarise the policy, for example if the authority does not make provision available when a child is home educated.

· No

Question 4)

How many home educated children with a statement of SEN will be entered on the Alternative Provision Census under the category Not a School, for SEN support (deadline Thursday January

17th <http://www.education.gov.uk/schools/pupilsupport/parents/involvement/homeeducation/a0073322/funding-for-home-education>)

· None