

**Leicestershire FOI 3950 - Amount spent on home education services last year  
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**Request**

Please could you tell me the amount spent on home education services for the academic year 2011-12. I would be grateful if you could itemise staff costs, administrative/secretarial support costs, and also the total spend on provision of services for home educated children and young people.

**Response**

The overall responsibility for Elective Home Education lies in the Pupil Services part of School Admissions and Pupil Services. The main administration and clerical work is part of the overall duties of the staff within the team and therefore at no extra cost to the overall service. We commission work from the Specialist Teaching Service at a cost of £20K per annum. This cost covers the arrangement of home visits; completing the home visit; writing up the reports; attending regular liaison meetings & monitoring meetings.