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*Date: 11<sup>th</sup> January 2013*

Dear Fiona,

**Freedom of Information Act 2000/ Environmental Information Regulations**  
**2004- Information request**

We have now considered your request for information as set out below.

You asked:

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.

£19,860 Home Education Visits and reports

£20,000 Further Costs for Home Visits where further expertise is needed and admin costs

£20,000 support for Y11 home educated pupils

Total £59,860 (Not including specific support for SEN children and YPs for which we have no breakdown)

If you have any queries or concerns about this please contact me.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request please contact Karin Lane, the Head of Information Governance at Merton Council, Civic Centre, Morden, SM4 5DX or e-mail [foi@merton.gov.uk](mailto:foi@merton.gov.uk)

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There is no charge for making an appeal.

Yours sincerely

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