

Borough of Poole
Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Ref 720

Please could you tell me:

1/where elective home education currently sits in your authority:

Home education is the responsibility of the Employment and Performance Officer within the Children, Young People and Learning Service Unit and managed by the Manager of the Education Welfare Service.

2/which line in the s251 table includes an allocation for elective home education services within the "other education and community budget" for example Education Welfare, School Improvement, Parent Partnership or Other

The budget for elective home education services and support is not within the "other education and community budget" section on the Section 251. It is actually within the "Schools Budget" section of the Section 251, as it is funded from the Dedicated Schools Grant, and we include it within line 1.3.3 Education out of school.

3/the forward budget sum allocated to elective home education service and support

The 2012-13 budget for elective home education services and support included within line 1.3.3 our Section 251 is £15,156. The 2013-14 budget hasn't yet been published; however the indicative budget remains the same as 2012-13.