

BOROUGH OF POOLE RESPONSE TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT  
REQUEST 719 REGARDING HOME EDUCATED CHILDREN

Question	Response
<b>1/Could you please tell me:</b>	
a/the total number of children in your authority with a statement of SEN	480
b/the number of home educated children in your authority with a statement of SEN	2
c/the number of home educated children of primary age with a statement of SEN	1
d/the number of home educated children of secondary age with a statement of SEN	1
e/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)	0
f/the number of statements for home educated children with physical disabilities	0
g/the number of statements for home educated children with speech, language and communication needs	0
h/the number of statements for home educated children with autism spectrum disorders	2
i/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)	0
j/the number of home educated children with a statement of SEN who formerly attended a special school (if known)	0
k/the number of children with a statement of SEN who started home education during the calendar year 2012	0
l/the number of children with a statement of SEN who have been home educated for more than 2 years	2
m/the number of home educated children with a statement of SEN who have been home educated for more than 5 years	0
n/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	1
<b>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:</b>	
a/educational psychology service	Yes
b/occupational therapy services and equipment	Provided locally by NHS
c/speech and language therapy	
d/CAMHS	
<b>3/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</b>	No
<b>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 17<sup>th</sup> <a href="http://www.education.gov.uk/schools/pupilsupport/parents/involvement/homeeducation/a0073322/funding-for-home-education">http://www.education.gov.uk/schools/pupilsupport/parents/involvement/homeeducation/a0073322/funding-for-home-education</a>)</b>	0