

East Lothian Council

FOI Ref: 2018/294(485219)

Please provide copies of all incoming and outgoing correspondence, reports and minutes of any meetings which make reference to the following:

-elective home education or 'homeschooling',

That would include correspondence received from and sent to the Scottish Government, other local authorities, statutory agencies, third sector organisations including charities, representative bodies and individuals (suitably redacted).

My request does not include any responses to consultations which are already available in the public domain.

I request the information for the following academic years:

*2008/2009
2009/2010
2010/2011
2011/2012
2012/2013
2013/2014
2014/2015
2015/2016
2016/2017
2017/2018*

This is a "nil return", East Lothian Council (ELC) has no record of such correspondence with the Scottish Government, other local authorities or agencies etc. Nor does ELC keep records of any items of correspondence which simply refer to "elective home education" or "home schooling".

In view of this, under Section 17(1)(b) of the Act, I must formally advise you that ELC has been unable to comply with your request as the information you require is not held.