

## East Lothian Council

**FOI Ref: 2018/386(493104)**

***1/ How many Syrian refugees has the authority offered to resettle since the beginning of 2014?***

In October 2015, East Lothian Council (ELC) agreed to resettle 7 families per year for the 5 year period of the commitment from The UK Government. The first refugees (2 families) arrived in East Lothian in February 2016 as part of this process.

It was estimated in October 2015 that the 5 family commitment would be around 30 individual refugees per year.

The link below leads to the report on the Council Website which was agreed in October 2015:

[http://www.eastlothian.gov.uk/meetings/meeting/5691/east\\_lothian\\_council](http://www.eastlothian.gov.uk/meetings/meeting/5691/east_lothian_council)

***2/ How many Syrian refugees has the authority resettled since the beginning of 2014?***

ELC has, in the first 2 years of our commitment, resettled 13 families, with a further 3 families arriving in the next month or so.

In total, these 13 families amount to 56 individuals

***3/ How many have now left the authority's resettlement programme and moved outside of the authority?***

None

***4/ How many are known to have left the country?***

None