

8 September 2021  
Our ref: 7568964

Thank you for your request received on 17 August 2021, for the following information:

**Dear Sir/ Madam,**

**I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information from you.**

**Please provide:**

**For each of the past five academic years:**

- 1. The number of in-year school admissions that took place in the authority area (that is, admissions that did not take place at the start of the academic year).**
- 2. The total number of school admissions that took place in the authority area.**

**For the financial years 2019-20 and 2020-21:**

- 3. The number of a) landlords and b) letting agents the trading standards authority has investigated on suspicion of offences under the Tenant Fees Act 2019.**
- 4. The number of civil penalties the trading standards authority has served relating to offences under the Tenant Fees Act 2019.**
- 5. The total value of civil penalties the council has issued relating to offences under the Tenant Fees Act 2019.**

**I understand that under the act I am entitled to a response within 20 working days. I would prefer to receive the information electronically.**

**If my request is denied in whole or in part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions in the act. I will also expect you to release all non-exempt material. I reserve the right to appeal your decision to withhold any information.**

**If you require any clarification, I expect you to contact me to provide advice and assistance of you find any aspect of the FOI request problematic.**

We have processed this request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

## Response

The council holds the information requested and the answers to your questions are below

***The number of civil penalties the trading standards authority has served relating to offences under the Tenant Fees Act 2019 for the financial years 2019-20 and 2020-21:***

0

***The total value of civil penalties the council has issued relating to offences under the Tenant Fees Act 2019 for the financial years 2019-20 and 2020-21:***

0

## Further information

If you are interested in the data that the council holds you may wish to visit Open Barnet, the council's data portal. This brings together all our published datasets and other information of interest on one searchable database for anyone, anywhere to access. <http://open.barnet.gov.uk/>

## Advice and Assistance : Direct Marketing

If you are a company that intends to use the names and contact details of council officers (or other officers) provided in this response for direct marketing, you need to be registered with the Information Commissioner to process personal data for this purpose. You must also check that the individual (whom you wish to contact for direct marketing purposes) is not registered with one of the Preference Services to prevent Direct Marketing. If they are you must adhere to this preference.

You must also ensure you comply with the Privacy Electronic and Communications Regulations (PECR). For more information follow this Link [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk)

**For the avoidance of doubt the provision of council (and other) officer names and contact details under FOI does not give consent to receive direct marketing via any media and expressly does not constitute a 'soft opt-in' under PECR.**

## Your rights

If you are unhappy with the way your request for information has been handled, you can request a review within the next 40 working days by writing to the Information Management Team at: [foi@barnet.gov.uk](mailto:foi@barnet.gov.uk). Or by post to Information Management Team (FOI) London Borough of Barnet, 2 Bristol Avenue, Colindale, NW9 4EW

If, having exhausted our review procedure, you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you will have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at: The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF (telephone: 0303 123 1113; website [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk)). There is no charge for making an appeal.

