

1. For each of the previous three years – 2019/20, 2020/21, 2021/22 – how many Looked After Children, for whom your local authority has corporate parenting responsibilities, were placed within and outside of the local authority area in:
 - a. Any type of children’s social care placement;
 - b. Foster care placements;
 - c. Children’s home placements;
 - d. Semi-supported placements.

2019/20

- a) In: 293
Out: 117
- b) In: 201
Out: 50
- c) In: 18
Out: 21
- d) In: 15
Out: 5

2020/21

- a) In: 391
Out: 157
- b) In: 252
Out: 79
- c) In: 27
Out: 32
- d) In: 14
Out: <5

2021/22

- a) In: 384
Out: 182
- b) In: 253
Out: 85
- c) In: 31
Out: 44
- d) In: 19
Out: 12

2. For each of the three previous years – 2019/20, 2020/21, 2021/22 – what was the total combined cost to your local authority of:
 - a. All children’s social care placements;
 - b. All foster care placements;
 - c. All children’s home placements;
 - d. All semi-supported placements.

a) We do not have readily available the financial breakdown of other social care placements as required to answer this question therefore we would not be in a position to provide a validated response to this question within the prescribed time limit.

b) 19/20 £6,309,699
20/21 £7,420,869
21/22 £9,796,000

c) 19/20 £5,663,473
20/21 £6,793,008
21/22 £12,942,375

d) 19/20 £940,200
20/21 £1,482,145
21/22 £2,906,069

3. For each of the three previous years – 2019/20, 2020/21, 2021/22 – what was the total combined cost to your local authority of placements within the local authority area of:

- a. All children’s social care placements;
- b. All foster care placements;
- c. All children’s home placements;
- d. All semi-supported placements.

a) We do not have readily available the financial breakdown of other social care placements as required to answer this question therefore we would not be in a position to provide a validated response to this question within the prescribed time limit.

b) 19/20 £5,463,497
20/21 £6,630,626
21/22 £8,496,292

c) 19/20 £1,702,479
20/21 £2,300,040
21/22 £5,159,700

D) 19/20 £745,652
20/21 £805,351
21/22 £1,480,083

4. For each of the three previous years – 2019/20, 2020/21, 2021/22 – what was the total combined cost to your local authority of placements outside of the local authority area of:

- a. All children’s social care placements;
- b. All foster care placements;
- c. All children’s home placements;
- d. All semi-supported placements.

- a) we do not have readily available the financial breakdown of other social care placements as required to answer this question therefore we would not be in a position to provide a validated response to this question within the prescribed time limit.
- b) 19/20 £846,202
20/21 £790,243
21/22 £1,299,708
- c) 19/20 £3,960,994
20/21 £4,492,968
21/22 £7,782,675
- D) 19/20 £194,548
20/21 £676,794
21/22 £1,425,986