



I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I would like to know the total amount of money spent by Wigan Council on supporting migrants and asylum seekers for the last three financial years (2021-2022, 2022-2023 and 2023-2024).

Could you please provide a breakdown of the spending by category, such as:-

- Accommodation costs
- Food and living expenses
- Healthcare and medical costs
- Education and training costs
- Any other relevant categories

Total spend 2021/22 to 2023/24 =£6.54m

The spend covers the following categories:

	£M
Staffing	0.56
Housing / Food / Living	5.65
Health	0.04
Education	<u>0.29</u>
TOTAL	<u>6.54</u>

Please note that ALL of this expenditure is covered by Central Government Grants.