

REQUEST	16588				

I'm looking to ascertain how much money is spent on profit making organisations in the areas of 4-19 SEND education and (separately) fostering, children's home or secure accommodation placements.

- Please confirm whether you pay Cambian Group and/or Witherslack Group for services in SEND education (4-19) and/or fostering, children's home or secure accommodation placements. This can be a simple Yes/No answer for each organisation. Please also detail the number of children and young people, ideally divided by each organisation and by SEND education (4-19) and/or fostering, children's home or secure accommodation placements. If this is too sensitive/onerous, please simply break the number down by number of children and young people receiving SEND education (4-19) and/or fostering, children's home or secure accommodation placements
- 2. Please detail the amount of money spent in the last two financial years with for profit providers of SEND education (4-19) and fostering, children's home or secure accommodation placements. Please provide this in a spreadsheet split out between SEND and education and fostering, children's home or secure accommodation. If this is too onerous, I will accept one year's spend
- 3. If any of the above is too onerous, I will settle for confirmation of whether the authority uses Cambian Group and/or Witherslack Group and an overall figure for spend on all for profit providers of all of the services outlined above.

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	SID	22/23	23/24
Cambian Itd			
	External Residential Provision	495,720.00	430,101.43
	Independent School Placement Fees	251,961.95	260,191.65
Caretech Community	Services		
	External Residential Provision		22,295.90
Roc NW			
	External Residential Provision	8,196.14	422,261.60
By The Bridge		244,992.10	252,710.93
	IFA		
Witherslack Care Division			
	External Residential Provision	62,747.96	83,733.58
	Independent School Placement Fees	135,158.70	140,881.02
Pointville (witherslack	< school)		
	External Residential Provision		259,123.51
	Independent School Placement Fees	79,322.64	61,209.66
	Post 16 Base Funding Top Up's	605,394.96	744,036.32
		1,883,494.45	2,676,545.60