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Request:

In your authority area:

1. How many LEA schools provide pre-school education?

Please note the figure is based on funding paid for Spring 2019

100

2. How many children are registered to attend pre-school at LEA schools?

Please note the figure is based on funding paid for Spring 2019

2319

3. How many LEA schools provide reception school education?

229 State Maintained Schools in Cornwall provide Reception Education as at the January 2019 DfE School Census.

4. How many children are registered to attend reception at LEA schools?

5686 pupils are in Reception in State Maintained Schools in Cornwall from the January 2019 DfE School Census.

5. Do any of your information sources relating to Special Educational Needs & Disability (SEND) contain information specifically about dyslexia?

- The Cognition and Learning Service works with children and young people with Specific Learning Difficulties (if they meet the service criteria),
<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/cognitionandlearning>
<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools-and-colleges/special-educational-needs-file/information-advice-and-support/council-services/cognition-and-learning-service/what-are-cognition-and-learning-needs/>

- This team offers specific training and advice about Dyslexia eg the Inclusive Dyslexia Friendly Schools initiative <https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools-and-colleges/special-educational-needs-file/information-advice-and-support/council-services/cognition-and-learning-service/inclusive-dyslexia-friendly-schools/>
- Available training includes : training Dyslexia Champions and how to use the Dyslexia Screening Test and how to interpret it effectively .Information on training, can be found at

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools-and-colleges/special-educational-needs-file/information-advice-and-support/council-services/cognition-and-learning-service/cognition-and-learning-training/>
- Information is also available on the Local Offer,
<https://www.supportincornwall.org.uk/kb5/cornwall/directory/service.page?id=14yr-e9ZGjA>

6. Do any of your information sources relating to SEND contain information specifically about Auditory Processing Disorder (APD)?

No

7. How many children in your area are registered for SEND support?

10381 pupils are registered for SEND support as at the January 2019 DfE School Census. This includes 1740 pupils who have an Education Health and Care Plan and 8641 who are registered for SEN Support.

8. Do you hold information on the number of children with dyslexia registered for SEND support? If yes how many are registered currently?

Information not held

9. Do you hold information on the number of children with Auditory Processing Disorder (APD) registered for SEND support? If yes how many are registered currently?

Information not held

10. The British Association of Teachers for the Deaf (BATOD) recommendation for the acoustics of classrooms is an Unoccupied Noise Level of 35dB(A). Does the LEA audit compliance with this recommendation?

- Never At least every 10 years**
- At least every 5 years At least every 2 years**
- Annually**
- Other** The Local Authority does not carry out audits for the acoustics of classrooms.

11. BATOD also provide information about APD through MESHguides.org, a resource provided by the Education Futures Collaboration Charity. There is also a MESHguide about dyslexia. Is your SEND service aware of the MESH guides resource for teachers?

No, we were not aware of this resource.

Information provided by: Together for Families

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