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Request and response:

1. **How many non-national children did you accommodate under section 20 of the Children Act 1989 in 2016/2017/2018? Please exclude children who entered the UK as unaccompanied minors and are seeking asylum.**

	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Non-nationals	6	6	3

Data taken from SSDA903 returns, per financial year.

2. **How many children did you accommodate under section 20 of the Children Act 1989 for a consecutive period over 180 days in 2016/2017/2018?**

	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
V2 >180 days	67	60	54

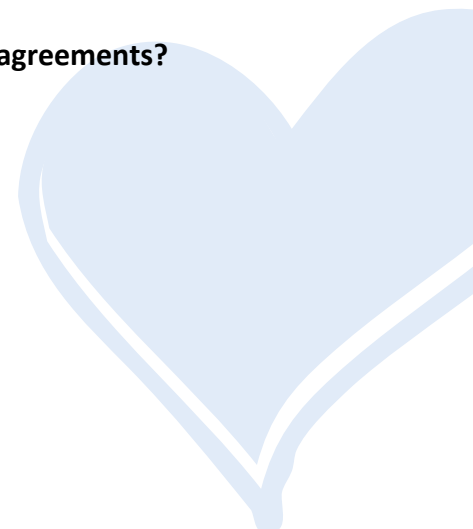
Data again taken from SSDA903 financial years, 180 day counts inside each year only. Some children may be present in multiple years as a result.

3. **How many children in Q1 had parents who did not speak English?**

	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Non-nationals	0	0	1

4. **How many children from Q1 had written accommodation agreements?**

	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Non-nationals	0	0	2



5. **How many children from Q1 had written accommodation agreements translated into another language?**

	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Non-nationals	0	0	1

6. **How many children from Q1 were accommodated for a consecutive period over 180 days in 2016/2017/2018?**

	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Non-nationals >180 days	1	4	2

7. **What are the age breakdowns of children from Q1 and Q2?**

Age at start of placement:

Q1	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
0-5	0	1	1
6-11	1	0	2
12-17	5	6	1

Q2	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
0-5	4	6	4
6-11	3	4	8
12-17	60	50	37

8. **How many children from Q1 and Q2 have plans in place for:**

- a. **A care order under section 31 Children Act 1989?**

Q1	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Care order	1	0	1

Q2	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Care order	4	6	2

b. A placement order under section 21 Adoption and Children Act 2002

Q1	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Placement order	0	0	0

Q2	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Placement order	0	0	0

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