

25 October 2021

Dear

**ATISN 15621 - Specific School set exam papers data**

Thank you for your request which I received on 25 October. You asked for information on exams set and taken at GCSE and A Level at Ysgol Bro Hyddgen in Powys specifically for 2017 Exam paper data; 2018 Exam paper data; and 2019 Exam paper data, including the Welsh Exam Board data for this school and numbers of exam papers taken in each language stream. You also asked for data on exam papers provided to the school, exam papers 'sat/taken' and results in each language and each subject at A Level and GCSE.

In addition, you asked for data on the total number of papers delivered to the school in both languages and any other available data on admissions and language streams within Ysgol Bro Hyddgen.

I have established that the information you require is not held by the Welsh Government. Instead, I suggest that you direct your request to the WJEC as they will have the information about qualification entries and outcomes at a school and subject level, this can be done via the following link: [Useful Contacts \(wjec.co.uk\)](https://www.wjec.co.uk). You could also try your Local Authority, contactable at [Make a Freedom of Information request \(or EIR\) - Powys County Council](#).

**Please note: the Welsh Government is facing unprecedented challenges during the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. As a result resources, both finances and people, are being diverted away from many of our usual activities to deal with the pandemic. This will undoubtedly impact on our ability to comply with the normal requirements for information rights work and as a result you may experience delays when making information rights requests during the pandemic. We thank you for your understanding during this time. The following is a link to the blog page of the Information Commissioner's web site where you can find an article entitled "FOI and the coronavirus: a measured approach"**

**<https://ico.org.uk/about-the-ico/news-and-events/icos-blog-on-its-information-rights-work/>**

The request you sent me contains personal information about you - for example, your name and address. The Welsh Government will be the data processor for this information and, in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation, it will be processed in order to fulfil our public task and meet our legal obligations under the Act to provide you with a response. We will only use this personal information to deal with your request and any matters which arise as a result of it. We will keep your

personal information and all other information relating to your request for three years from the date on which your request is finally closed. Your personal information will then be disposed of securely.

Under data protection legislation, you have the right:

- to be informed of the personal data we hold about you and to access it
- to require us to rectify inaccuracies in that data
- to (in certain circumstances) object to or restrict processing
- for (in certain circumstances) your data to be 'erased'
- to (in certain circumstances) data portability
- to lodge a complaint with the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) who is our independent regulator for data protection

For further information about the information which the Welsh Government holds and its use, or if you wish to exercise your rights under the GDPR, please see contact details below:

Data Protection Officer  
Welsh Government  
Cathays Park  
CARDIFF  
CF10 3NQ  
Email: DataProtectionOfficer@gov.wales

The contact details for the Information Commissioner's Office are:

Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
Cheshire  
SK9 5AF

Telephone: 0303 123 1113  
Website: [www.ico.gov.uk](http://www.ico.gov.uk)

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Yours sincerely