Dear

ATISN 19506 - Welsh Language

Information requested

Thank you for your request which I received on 16 April 2024. You asked for:

The amount of funding allocated to support the Welsh language in 2024 – 2025

Our response

In Welsh Government's Final Budget for 2024-25 published on 27 February, the budget allocation for the Welsh language (including Welsh in Education) within the Education and Welsh Language MEG is £43.839m (£43.789m resource and £0.050m capital). This information is available here.

This expenditure is allocated to implement the Welsh language strategy, <u>Cymraeg 2050:</u> <u>A million Welsh Speakers</u>, published in 2017.

Next steps

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit, Welsh Government, Cathays Park, Cardiff, CF10 3NQ

or Email: Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House,

Water Lane,

Wilmslow.

Cheshire,

SK9 5AF.

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely