7 August 2025
Dear ,

ATISN 24952 - Freedom of Information request - Number of Specialist Settings

Information requested

Thank you for your request which I received on 15 July 2025. You asked for:

- 1. The number of English Medium Specialist Settings (special schools) for each local authority in Wales
- 2. The number of Welsh Medium Specialist Settings (special schools) for each local authority in Wales
- 3. Within the Welsh Medium Specialist Settings, the type of additional learning need is being support, e.g. Moderate Learning Difficulties

Our response

Following a search of our paper and electronic records, I have established that the information you require is not held by the Welsh Government. Local authorities may have this information. Contact details for all 22 are available here.

If you wish to refine your search, a list of schools is also available here.

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: freedomofinformation@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