



Our Ref: 003967/20

Your Ref:

Address Correspondence to: Information Management

Date 30 November 2020

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I write further to your request for information received 27/11/2020.

I note you seek access to the following information:

Please can you tell me the following information for the last 10 financial years: 2009/10; 2010/11; 2011/12; 2012/13; 2013/14; 2014/15; 2015/16; 2016/17; 2017/18; 2018/19

1) Number of crimes committed by children aged under 10

2) Nature of the crimes

Following receipt of your request, searches were conducted within Leicestershire Police to locate information relevant to your request.

Your request for information has now been considered and the information asked for is as follows: -

Leicestershire Police have recorded the below crimes that have been discontinued due to the identified involved person being under 10, and therefore below the age of criminal responsibility:

	2015/16*	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19
ARSON AND CRIMINAL DAMAGE	8	16	20	23
BURGLARY			3	2
MISCELLANEOUS CRIMES AGAINST SOCIETY		3	3	6
POSSESSION OF WEAPONS	1	4	3	3
PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES	1	1	6	6
SEXUAL OFFENCES	14	9	14	19
STALKING AND HARASSMENT			1	1
THEFT	3	4	3	7
VEHICLE OFFENCES	1			
VIOLENCE WITH INJURY	11	8	16	15
VIOLENCE WITHOUT INJURY	22	20	40	32
Grand Total	61	65	109	114

*Please note, Leicestershire Police are only able to provide information from April 28th 2015 onwards due to a change in recording.

Leicestershire Police provides you the right to ask for a re-examination of your request under its review procedure. Letters should be addressed to Information Manager, Corporate Services Department at the above address. If you decide to request such a review and having followed the Force's full process you are still dissatisfied, then you have the right to direct your comments to the Information Commissioner who will give it consideration.

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Officer
Leicestershire Police

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