

REQUEST

I would like to know the number of reports received by the police of offensive weapons in schools or on school property in the years 2023 (up to October), 2022, 2021, 2020 and 2019.

Year	Total
2019	107
2020	22
2021	78
2022	64
2023	45
Total	316

Prior to 2020 we were unable to identify school within our systems, we were only able to identify "Educational" therefore data for this year will include all Educational establishments for example College, Universities, Higher Educational Establishments.

I would like to know the number of reports received by police of violence by pupils towards school staff in schools or on school property in the years 2023 (up to October), 2022, 2021, 2020 and 2019.

The cost of providing you with the information is above the amount to which we are legally required to respond i.e. the cost of locating and retrieving the information exceeds the 'appropriate level' as stated in the Freedom of Information (Fees and Appropriate Limit) Regulations 2004.