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Dear [REDACTED]

Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Information request (ref: FOI_17-032)

We have now considered your request of 03 February 2017 for information relating to the numbers of students studying postgraduate courses.

Our response is on page 2 of this letter, together with a copy of your request.

We hope this information will meet your requirements, however if you are not satisfied you have the right of appeal. If you wish to appeal, please set out in writing your reasons for appealing and send to the above address. You must appeal within 60 calendar days of the date of this letter. Any appeal received after that date will not be considered nor acknowledged. This policy has been reviewed and approved by the Information Commissioner's Office.

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Yours sincerely

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Response to Freedom of Information Act 2000 request (FOI_17-032)

I would like to know how many students are currently studying postgraduate courses at UEA (I appreciate this is probably quite changeable, so your last available figure would be great) this academic year please.

I would also like that same figure for the following academic years:

2012/2013

2013/2014

2014/2015

2015/2016

If possible, could these also be broken down into masters degrees, postgraduate diplomas and postgraduate certificates.

Our response is provided in the table below. It has not been possible to separate the PG Diplomas and Certificate figures.

Please note, as the Taught Postgraduate (PGT) course start dates vary throughout the academic year, the figures for 2016/17 are not comparable with the previous years. Published PGT figures are collated from a snapshot taken on 1st December each year.¹

	Student numbers by academic year				
	2016/17	2015/16	2014/15	2013/14	2012/13
PG Masters degrees	2250	2498	2417	2173	1941
PG Diplomas and Certificates	937	1517	1371	1422	1355

¹ Annual facts and figures are published on the web at <https://portal.uea.ac.uk/planningoffice/biu/planning-and-management/facts-and-figures>