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Dear 

Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Information request (ref: FOI_18-120)

We have now considered your request of 29 May 2018 for information relating to pre-sessional English courses leading to enrolment at UEA.

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

On this occasion it is not possible to provide all the requested information. In line with your rights under section 1(1)(a) of the Act to be informed whether information is held, we confirm that the University does not hold information relevant to questions 1 and 2 of your request.

The only pre-sessional English courses at UEA are provided by INTO UEA, a part of the INTO Partnership Group and separate legal entity from UEA. As UEA does not validate any of the pre-sessional English courses run by INTO UEA, we are not provided with nor hold any information on the number of such students or their completion rate. However, we do hold information on which registrants have previously attended INTO UEA and this information is provided as our response to question 3 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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Please quote our reference given at the head of this letter in all correspondence.

Yours sincerely

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Response to Freedom of Information Act 2000 request (FOI_18-120)

For each of the university years 2015-16, 2016-17 and 2017-18:

1. How many international students did the university accept for pre-sessional English improvement courses?

[Information not held - s.1(1)(a), Freedom of Information Act]

The University does not hold the requested information for the reasons noted in the above letter.

2. How many of these students completed their courses?

[Information not held - s.1(1)(a), Freedom of Information Act]

The University does not hold the requested information for the reasons noted in the above letter.

3. How many of these students went on to study for a degree at the university?

Our response is within the table below.

<i>Year</i>	<i>Number of students</i>
2015/16	662
2016/17	589
2017/18	625