

22 August 2019

Dear [REDACTED]

**Freedom of Information Act 2000– Information request (ref: FOI\_19-254)**

We have now considered your request of 05 August 2019 for the following information:

*‘What are the numbers of students who identify as LGBT(Q)+ at UEA for the past five years (2014/15 to the present day)?’*

Our response is as follows:

<i>Academic Year</i>	<i>No. of students identifying as LGBT(Q)</i>
2018-19	1,638
2017-18	1,478
2016-17	1,257
2015-16	1,009
2014-15	844

Please note it is not compulsory for students to disclose their sexual orientation, therefore the figures provided above are the number of students who have self-declared this information to the University.

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 40 working days of the date of this letter. In line with section 5.3 of the UK Government’s Freedom of Information Act Code of Practice, we are not obliged to accept internal reviews after this date.

You also have a subsequent right of appeal to the Information Commissioner’s Office. Further information is available on their website:

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Yours sincerely

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