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Dear [REDACTED]

Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Information request (ref: FOI_15-204)

We have now considered your request of 20 October 2015 for information relating to students withdrawing from studies at UEA. Our response is on page 2 of this letter, together with a copy of your request, and we hope this will meet your requirements.

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Yours sincerely

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Response to Freedom of Information Act 2000 request (FOI_15-204)

Under the Freedom of Information Act I would like to request the following information:

1. *How many undergraduate students permanently withdrew from University of East Anglia before completing their registered degree or qualification in the academic years 2009-2010, 2010-2011, 2011-2012, 2012-2013, 2013-2014 and 2014-2015*

Please refer to the 'Dropout' column and 'Total' row intersection for each year in the table below.

2. *Of these undergraduate students that permanently withdrew from University of East Anglia before completing their registered degree or qualification in the academic years 2009-2010, 2010-2011, 2011-2012, 2012-2013, 2013-2014 and 2014-2015, how many were registered as disabled with the University?*

Please refer to the 'Dropout' column and 'Disability' row intersection for each year in the table below.

3. *What was the total number of students registered on undergraduate courses at the beginning of academic years 2009-2010, 2010-2011, 2011-2012, 2012-2013, 2013-2014 and 2014-2015 (including those who withdrew)?*

Please refer to the 'Total' column and 'Total' row intersection for each year in the table below.

4. *What was the total number of undergraduates were registered with the University as having a disability in the academic years 2009-2010, 2010-2011, 2011-2012, 2012-2013, 2013-2014 and 2014-2015?*

Please refer to the 'Total' column and 'Disability' row intersection for each year in the table below.

FOI_15-204 Response ¹				
Academic Year	Disability status	Student outcome		
		Continue	Dropout	Total
2009/10	No disability	8558	461	9019
	Disability	1073	64	1137
	Total	9631	525	10156
2010/11	No disability	8860	445	9305
	Disability	1215	59	1274
	Total	10075	504	10579
2011/12	No disability	9050	368	9418
	Disability	1333	49	1382
	Total	10383	417	10800

¹ These figures exclude visiting students and students studying on courses which do not lead to one of a degree, Higher National Diploma (HND) or Diploma in Higher Education (DipHE). They include students who registered but did not attend as well as students who are intercalating or dormant.

Academic Year	Disability status	Student outcome		
		Continue	Dropout	Total
2012/13	No disability	9069	392	9461
	Disability	1427	60	1487
	Total	10496	452	10948
2013/14	No disability	9171	301	9472
	Disability	1500	56	1556
	Total	10671	357	11028
2014/15	No disability	8811	323	9134
	Disability	1461	57	1518
	Total	10272	380	10652