

Date Provided: 31 October 2017

Apprenticeships

Ref: FOI / 5833

Information Request and Response by Lewes District Council

Under the government's new funding arrangements for training apprenticeships, how much has your local authority contributed to the apprenticeship levy for this financial year 2017/2018?

0 (the size of the payroll is not large enough to trigger the apprenticeship levy)

Please can you:

Supply a copy of your model apprenticeship agreement or/and apprenticeship policy/ guidelines. If you do not have one, please state.

Not applicable

State which of the following levels of apprenticeship training is available by your local authority and state the apprentice full time weekly pay for each:

Level 2

Level 3

Level 4

Level 5

Other (please specify)

If the authority decided to offer apprenticeships this could be up to level 7.

Apprentices employed on a contract of training of one year or more will receive annual incremental pay rises. Please supply a copy of the currently agreed pay scales applicable to apprentices employed by your local authority.

We do not have specific pay rates for apprentices currently as there are no specific apprentice posts within the organisation.

For 2015, what was the:

Total number of new apprentices employed:

Full time 1

Part time 0

Total number of existing staff employed on an apprenticeship scheme:

Full time 0

Part time 0

Total number of apprenticeships that were completed 1

Total number of new apprentices that gained further employment 1

For 2016, what was the:

Total number of new apprentices employed:

Full time 0

Part time 0

Total number of existing staff employed on an apprenticeship scheme:

Full time 0

Part time 0

Total number of apprenticeships completed **Not applicable**

Total number of new apprentices that gained employment **Not applicable**

For the current year 2017, please:

State the total number of new apprentices employed:

Full time 0

Part time 0

State the total number of existing staff employed on an apprenticeship scheme:

Full time 0

Part time 0

State the total number of apprenticeships completed **Not applicable**

Total number of new apprentices that have gained employment up to September 2017 **Not applicable**

Supply a breakdown showing the current number of apprentices employed for each job role/function **Not applicable**

Supply a breakdown showing the current number of new and existing apprentices by race, disability, gender identity and sexual orientation
Not applicable

What terms and conditions are all your apprentices employed on?

Not applicable, but if we did have any they would be on NJC terms and conditions

When creating new and existing apprenticeships in your local authority, does your recruitment policy and procedures encourage managers not to create apprenticeship opportunities to replace jobs which have been deleted and not to replace employees in any circumstances? **No**

*Does your local authority add apprenticeships clauses to relevant tender specifications and encourage existing contractors to implement apprenticeship programmes in their contracts? **Yes***