

WBCIR:19567
Household Support Fund

I am currently working on a research project regarding the implementation of the Household Support Fund and am seeking information on the number of applications received by your council.

- 1. Would you please be able to provide the number of applications that match the criteria in each column of the table below? Where this information is incomplete or not recorded, please indicate this in the table.**

We do not hold all the information you have requested. However, please see table below for the information that we do hold.

Household Support Fund - Number of Approved Applications				
	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25*
Food	74	1,809	1,006	1,219
Energy	880	3,531	1,739	674
School Holiday Food	1,201	2,402	2,555	2,709
Wider Essentials	1	365	591	475
Housing	0	60	113	6
Combination of above	12	n/a	n/a	n/a
Advice	n/a	n/a	1,467	1,187
Total number of households	2,168	8,167	7,471	6,270

* to date