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## Request

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information from the relevant department.

Please could you provide me with:

- 1. The number of Portuguese people in your authority area, categorised by:
  - Nationality
  - Country of birth
  - Language spoken (if available)
  - Descent (if available)

2. Educational attainment rates for Portuguese people in your authority area, if such data is collected and available.

3. Details of any councillors of Portuguese nationality, country of birth, or descent who are currently serving or have served in your authority in the past five years.

Please provide the information in the form of an electronic spreadsheet or other similar document format.

If it is not possible to provide the information requested due to the information exceeding the cost of compliance limits identified in Section 12, please provide advice and assistance, under the Section 16 obligations of the Act, as to how I can refine my request.

If you can identify any ways that my request could be refined, I would be grateful for any further advice and assistance.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me via email or phone, and I will be happy to clarify what I am asking for and discuss the request. My details are outlined below.

## Response

1. The council do not hold this information.

However, please refer to the results on the Census 2021 which are available on the council's website, I have included the link below. Census 2021 - Winchester City Council

- 2. We do not deal with the Education service. This service is delivered by Hampshire County Council; they can be contacted at: <u>https://www.hants.gov.uk/aboutthecouncil/informationandstats/freedomofinformation,</u>
- 3. We do not collect the ethnicity information for councillors either on the nomination form or once elected.