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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/26/017199/Z

I write in connection with your request for information dated 08/07/2026, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Please would you let me know in writing if you hold information of the following description, relating to sexual offences recorded in schools:

For the following years: 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 and 2025:

1) The total number of reports received by the constabulary for the crimes listed below that have taken place in schools in the area covered by the force:

Result of Searches

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police (GMP) to locate information relevant to your request. I can confirm that the information you have requested is held by GMP.

CAVEATS

In July 2019, GMP implemented one of the largest IT infrastructure changes in UK policing. The systems are in continual development and the data provided for this request is what the systems currently hold.

The data provided is based on the HO Codes provided for crimes recorded between 01/01/2021 and 31/12/2025.

The results have then been searched on the keyword 'school' in the MO & Description field and then manually reviewed to establish if the incident occurred on school premises.

Where possible duplicates have been removed.

Data has not been provided separately for incidents involving multiple offenders as 1 x crime per offender would be submitted.

The data provided for this request is subject to change as crimes are progressed and/ or updated.

The data does include crimes that occurred on school trips but not those occurring on transport to/ from school.

The data is based on the date the crime was recorded and not when the incident occurred.

Due to low numbers being returned for some crimes, some of the totals have been replaced with X, as by providing exact figures as you have requested would significantly increase the likelihood of identifying the individual(s) concerned, and as such the exemption under S40(2) – Personal Information, would be engaged and result in information being refused. By replacing this data in this way, it can be provided in its entirety.

Home Office code	Offence category	Offence	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
017/13	17A Sexual Assault on a Male aged 13 and over	Assault on a male by penetration	-	X	X	6	X
017/14	17B Sexual Assault on a Male Child under 13	Assault on a male child under 13 by penetration	5	X	X	5	6
017/15	17A Sexual Assault on a Male aged 13 and over	Sexual assault on a male	5	25	45	45	46
017/16	17B Sexual Assault on a Male Child under 13	Sexual assault on a male child under 13	25	41	45	49	43
019/07	19D Rape of a Female Child under 16	Rape of a female aged under 16	X	X	X	9	X
019/08	19C Rape of a Female aged 16 and over	Rape of a female aged 16 or over	X	X	X	-	X
019/09	19G Rape of a Male Child under 16	Rape of a male aged under 16	X	5	5	X	X
019/10	19F Rape of a Male aged 16 and over	Rape of a male aged 16 or over	-	-	-	X	-
019/11	19D Rape of a Female Child under 16	Attempted rape of a female aged under 16	-	-	X	-	-

019/12	19C Rape of a Female aged 16 and over	Attempted rape of a female aged 16 or over	-	-	-	-	-
019/13	19G Rape of a Male Child under 16	Attempted rape of a male aged under 16	-	-	-	-	-
019/14	19F Rape of a Male aged 16 and over	Attempted rape of a male aged 16 or over	-	-	-	-	-
019/16	19E Rape of a Female Child under 13	Rape of a female child under 13 by a male	X	6	X	X	X
019/17	19H Rape of a Male Child under 13	Rape of a male child under 13 by a male	-	5	5	5	7
019/18	19E Rape of a Female Child under 13	Attempted rape of a female child under 13 by a male	-	X	-	-	-
019/19	19H Rape of a Male Child under 13	Attempted rape of a male child under 13 by a male	-	-	-	-	-
020/03	20A Sexual Assault on a Female aged 13 or over	Assault on a female by penetration	X	-	X	6	X
020/04	20B Sexual Assault on a Female Child under 13	Assault of a female child under 13 by penetration	5	X	5	X	7
020/05	20A Sexual Assault on a Female aged 13 or over	Sexual assault on a female	54	83	101	77	85
020/06	20B Sexual Assault on a Female Child under 13	Sexual assault of a female child under 13	38	53	63	54	80
021/02	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity - Female child penetration	-	-	-	-	-
021/03	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity - Female child - no penetration	X	X	X	X	6
021/04	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity - Male child penetration	X	-	-	-	X
021/05	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity - Male child - no penetration	X	X	X	X	X
021/10	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Engaging in sexual activity in the presence of a child under 13 by an offender over 18 years old	-	-	-	X	X
021/11	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Causing a child under 13 to watch a sexual act - Offender aged 18 or over	-	-	-	-	X

021/12	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Sexual activity with a child under 13 - Female child penetration - Offender under 18	X	X	-	X	-
021/13	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Sexual activity with a child under 13 - Male child penetration - Offender under 18	X	-	-	-	-
021/14	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity - Female child penetration- Offender under 18	-	-	-	-	-
021/15	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity - Male child - Offender under 18	-	X	-	X	-
021/16	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Engaging in sexual activity in the presence of a child under 13 - Offender under 18	-	-	-	-	-
021/17	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Causing a child under 13 to watch a sexual act - Offender aged under 18	-	-	X	X	-
021/22	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Sexual activity with a child under 13 - Female child - no penetration - Offender under 18	X	X	-	-	-
021/23	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Sexual activity with a child under 13 - Male child - no penetration - Offender under 18	-	-	-	-	-
021/24	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity - Female child - no penetration - Offender under 18	X	-	X	x	X
021/25	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Causing or inciting a child under 13 to engage in sexual activity - Male child - no penetration - Offender under 18	X	-	-	-	X
021/26	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Arrange / facilitate the rape / assault by penetration of a child under 13	-	-	-	-	-
021/27	21 Sexual Activity involving a Child under 13	Arrange / facilitate commission of offence of cause / incite child under 13 to engage in sexual activity - penetration	-	-	-	-	-
022/02	22A Causing Sexual Activity without Consent	Causing a person to engage in sexual activity without consent - Female person	-	-	-	-	-
022/03	22A Causing Sexual Activity without Consent	Causing a person to engage in sexual activity without consent - Male person	-	-	-	-	-
022/04	22A Causing Sexual Activity without Consent	Causing a person to engage in sexual activity without consent - Female person - no penetration	-	X	-	-	-
022/05	22A Causing Sexual Activity without Consent	Causing a person to engage in sexual activity without consent - Male person - no penetration	-	-	-	-	-
022/06	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Sexual activity with a child under 16 - Female child penetration	-	X	X	X	X

022/07	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Sexual activity with a child under 16 - Male child penetration	-	X	X	-	-
022/08	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity - Female child penetration	-	-	-	-	X
022/09	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity - Male child	-	-	-	-	-
022/10	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Engaging in sexual activity in the presence of a child under 16	-	-	X	X	5
022/11	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Causing a child under 16 to watch a sexual act	-	-	-	-	-
022/12	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Sexual activity with a child under 16 - Female child penetration - Offender under 18	X	X	-	-	-
022/13	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Sexual activity with a child under 16 - Male child penetration - Offender under 18	X	-	X	-	-
022/14	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity - Female child penetration- Offender under 18	-	X	-	-	-
022/15	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity - Male child penetration - Offender under 18	-	-	-	-	-
022/16	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Engaging in sexual activity in the presence of a child under 16 - Offender under 16	-	-	-	-	-
022/17	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Causing a child under 16 to watch a sexual act - Offender under 18	-	-	-	-	-
022/18	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Sexual activity with a child under 16 - Female child - no penetration	-	-	-	X	-
022/19	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Sexual activity with a child under 16 - Male child - no penetration	-	-	X	-	-
022/20	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity - Female child - no penetration	-	-	X	-	X
022/21	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity - Male child -no penetration	-	-	-	-	-
022/22	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Sexual activity with a child under 16 - Female child - no penetration - Offender under 18	X	-	-	-	X
022/23	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Sexual activity with a child under 16 - Male child - no penetration - Offender under 18	-	X	-	-	-

022/24	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity - Female child - no penetration - Offender under 18	-	-	-	-	-
022/25	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Causing or inciting a child under 16 to engage in sexual activity - Male child -no penetration - Offender under 18	-	-	-	X	X
022/26	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Arrange / facilitate sexual activity with a child / incite a child to engage - penetration	-	-	-	-	-
022/30	22B Sexual Activity involving a Child under 16	Arrange / facilitate a sexual offence committed by a child / young person	-	-	-	-	-
071/01	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Arrange / facilitate sexual activity in the presence of a child / cause a child to watch a sexual act	-	-	-	X	-
071/02	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Paying for the sexual services of a child - Female child under 13	-	-	-	-	-
071/03	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Paying for the sexual services of a child - Male child under 13	-	-	-	-	-
071/04	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Paying for the sexual services of a child - Female child under 16 - no penetration	-	-	-	-	-
071/05	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Paying for the sexual services of a child - Male child under 16 - no penetration	-	-	-	-	-
071/06	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Paying for the sexual services of a child - Female child under 18	-	-	-	-	-
071/07	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Paying for the sexual services of a child - Male child under 18	-	-	-	-	-
071/08	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Cause or incite the sexual exploitation of a child - Child 13 - 17	X	-	-	-	X
071/09	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Controlling a child subject to sexual exploitation - Child 13 - 17	-	-	-	-	-
071/10	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Arranging or facilitating the sexual exploitation of a child - Child 13 - 17	-	-	-	-	-

071/11	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Cause or incite the sexual exploitation of a child - Child under 13	X	-	-	-	X
071/12	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Controlling a child subject to sexual exploitation - Child under 13	-	-	-	-	-
071/13	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Arranging or facilitating the sexual exploitation of a child - Child under 13	-	-	-	-	-
071/14	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Paying for the sexual services of a child - Female child under 16	-	-	-	-	-
071/15	71 Abuse of Children through Sexual Exploitation	Paying for the sexual services of a child - Male child under 16	-	-	-	-	-
071/17	88A Sexual Grooming	Engage in sexual communication with a child	X	X	5	X	10
073/07	73 Abuse of Position of Trust of a Sexual Nature	Abuse of position of trust: sexual activity with a child - Female child aged 13 - 17	X	-	X	X	X
073/08	73 Abuse of Position of Trust of a Sexual Nature	Abuse of position of trust: sexual activity with a child - Male child aged 13 - 17	X	-	X	-	X
073/09	73 Abuse of Position of Trust of a Sexual Nature	Abuse of position of trust: causing or inciting a child to engage in sexual activity - Female child aged 13 - 17	-	-	X	X	X
073/10	73 Abuse of Position of Trust of a Sexual Nature	Abuse of position of trust: causing or inciting a child to engage in sexual activity - Male child aged 13 - 17	X	-	-	-	X
073/11	73 Abuse of Position of Trust of a Sexual Nature	Abuse of position of trust: sexual activity in the presence of a child. Offender 18 or over - Child aged 13 - 17	-	-	-	-	-
073/12	73 Abuse of Position of Trust of a Sexual Nature	Abuse of position of trust: causing a child to watch a sexual activity. Offender 18 or over - Child aged 13 - 17	-	X	-	-	-
073/13	73 Abuse of Position of Trust of a Sexual Nature	Abuse of position of trust: sexual activity with a child - Female child under 13	X	-	X	-	-
073/14	73 Abuse of Position of Trust of a Sexual Nature	Abuse of position of trust: sexual activity with a child - Male child under 13	-	-	X	-	-
073/15	73 Abuse of Position of Trust	Abuse of position of trust: causing or inciting a child to engage in	-	-	-	-	-

	of a Sexual Nature	sexual activity - Female child under 13					
073/16	73 Abuse of Position of Trust of a Sexual Nature	Abuse of position of trust: causing or inciting a child to engage in sexual activity - Male child under 13	-	-	-	-	-
073/17	73 Abuse of Position of Trust of a Sexual Nature	Abuse of position of trust: sexual activity in the presence of a child. Offender 18 or over - Child under 13	-	-	-	-	X
073/18	73 Abuse of Position of Trust of a Sexual Nature	Abuse of position of trust: causing a child to watch a sexual activity. Offender 18 or over - Child under 13	-	-	-	-	-