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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: FOI/26/016954/G

I write in connection with your request for information dated 27/05/2026 received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Please can you send all crime statistics for westhoughton north. this is for audit purposes for our children's home for ofsted purposes.

I require this for the last three years for westhoughton north.

Please can you send through this as a pdf as i can't access this through the website for all crimes.

Result of Searches

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police (GMP) to locate the requested information. I can confirm the information 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.

- This data contains crimes with a created date between 1st January 2023 and 31st December 2025, excluding cancelled crimes and crimes classified as fraud. Further information about cancelled crimes can be obtained from the Home Office Counting Rules. Details regarding fraud crime can be obtained by contacting the NFIB.
- We have used the crime location beat 'Westhoughton North'

- Some offences may only be available for part of this time period i.e. they may have started or stopped being used during this period.

Due to low numbers being returned, some of the totals have been replaced with X, as by providing all this information 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.

Offence	2023	2024	2025
All other theft offences	61	52	45
Bicycle theft	X	0	X
Business and community burglary	9	10	X
Criminal damage and arson offences	79	52	47
Homicide	0	0	0
Miscellaneous crimes against society	28	19	26
Other sexual offences	18	17	21
Possession of drugs	9	11	13
Possession of weapon offences	10	5	7
Public order offences	101	71	81
Rape	11	7	6
Residential burglary	42	26	16
Robbery of business property	0	X	X
Robbery of personal property	X	X	X
Shoplifting	73	53	40
Stalking and harassment	181	109	146
Theft from the person	X	X	X
Trafficking of drugs	6	10	7
Vehicle offences	66	44	40
Violence with injury	84	60	63
Violence without injury	118	104	141