



10 October 2019

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Tēnā koe Emma,

I am writing to you in regards to your email of 23 September 2019 to the Ministry of Education requesting the following information:

- “1. How many teacher aide support applications have been made by all Taupo Primary Schools in the past 2 years?
1a. Please can you specify the amount of applications made by each school?
2. How many teacher aide support applications have been refused?
3. What reasons for refusals were given?”*

On 30 September 2019, we wrote to you, for the reason that your request for ‘*how many teacher aid support applications*’ is very broad in nature and scope and, as currently worded, would likely be refused under section 18(f) of the Act, as the requested information cannot be made available without substantial collation and research.

As we have several funding groups within the teacher aide support applications, we invited you to contact Dawid de Villiers at (07)5717828 or email at: Dawid.deVilliers@education.govt.nz who will be able assist you with identifying the specific application you are requesting and clarifying your request. To date no contact has been made by you. I would be grateful if you could contact with Dawid by **16 October 2019**, failure in doing so will likely result in your request being refused.

Nāku noa, nā

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