

Key data collection - calendar year 2025

Name of organisation:	Durham University
Date of most recent data collection:	08/07/2026

Data to collect	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
	1 Jan to 31 Mar	1 Apr to 30 Jun	1 Jul to 30 Sept	1 Oct to 31 Dec
Total requests received	139	154	149	116
Total open requests	0	0	0	0
Total of open requests with permitted extensions – public interest test	0	0	0	0
Total of open requests with permitted extensions – complex and voluminous	0	0	0	0
Total requests closed	139	154	149	116
Total requests closed within statutory timescale	132	139	138	103
Total requests closed with a permitted extension	1	1	0	2
Total requests closed outside statutory timescale	5	10	5	4
Total closed requests where information was granted in full	40	42	50	36
Total closed requests where information was withheld in full	24	19	26	17
Total closed requests where information was partially provided	5	15	5	8
Total internal reviews received	4	11	9	5
Total requests with a stopped clock for clarification	0	0	0	0
Total requests with a paused clock for fees notice	0	0	0	0

Additional data collection - calendar year 2025

Name of organisation:	Durham University
Date of most recent data collection:	13/07/2026

Data to Collect	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
	1 Jan to 31 Mar	1 Apr to 30 Jun	1 Jul to 30 Sept	1 Oct to 31 Dec
Compliance rate	95%	90%	93%	89%
Total FOI requests received	139	151	149	116
Total EIR requests received	0	3	0	0
Total of overdue requests	0	0	0	0
Total of overdue requests over one month old	0	0	0	0
Total of overdue requests over three months old	0	0	0	0
Total of overdue requests over six months old	0	0	0	0
Total of overdue requests over nine months old	0	0	0	0
Total of overdue requests over one year old	0	0	0	0
Exemptions and exceptions applied	See Exemptions and exceptions tab, please use the additional tables provided			
Total closed requests where information was withheld under the provision at section 12	10	8	12	14
Total closed requests where information was withheld under the provision at section 14	19	17	14	12
Total internal reviews closed	4	11	9	5
Total internal reviews closed within code of practice and statutory timescales	1	7	8	0
Total internal reviews closed outside code of practice and statutory timescales	3	4	1	5
Total internal reviews closed and fully upheld	2	8	6	3
Total internal reviews closed and partially upheld	1	0	0	1
Total internal reviews closed and overturned	1	3	3	1
Total internal reviews open	0	0	0	0

Exemptions and exceptions data collection - calendar year 2025

Name of organisation:	Durham University
Date of most recent data collection:	15/07/2026

Exemptions applied (FOIA)

Exemption	Quarter 1 1 Jan to 31 Mar	Quarter 2 1 Apr to 30 Jun	Quarter 3 1 Jul to 30 Sept	Quarter 4 1 Oct to 31 Dec
Section 21 - Information accessible by other means	13	8	5	6
Section 22 - Information Intended for Future Publication	5	6	1	3
Section 22A - Research Information	0	0	0	0
Section 23 - National Security (Security Bodies)	0	0	0	0
Section 24 - National Security	0	2	0	0
Section 26 - Defence	0	0	0	0
Section 27 - International Relations	0	0	0	0
Section 28 - Relations within the UK	0	0	0	0
Section 29 - The Economy	0	0	0	0
Section 30 - Investigations and Proceedings Conducted by Public Authorities	0	0	0	0
Section 31 - Law Enforcement	0	3	0	2
Section 32 - Court Records	0	0	0	0
Section 33 - Audit Function	0	0	0	
Section 34 - Parliamentary Privilege	0	0	0	0
Section 35 - Formulation of government policy and Ministerial Communications	0	0	0	0
Section 36 - Effective Conduct of Public Affairs	0	0	0	1
Section 37 - Communications with the Royal Family and the granting of honours	0	0	0	0
Section 38 - Health and Safety	1	1	2	1
Section 39 - Environmental Information	0	0	0	0
Section 40(1) - Personal Information of the requester	0	0	0	0
Section 40(2) - Personal Information	25	19	12	7
Section 41 - Information provided 'In Confidence'	0	0	1	0
Section 42 - Legal Professional Privilege	0	1	0	0
Section 43 - Commercial Interest	13	14	32	9
Section 44 - Prohibitions on Disclosure	0	0	0	0

Exceptions applied (EIR)

Exception	Quarter 1 1 Jan to 31 Mar	Quarter 2 1 Apr to 30 Jun	Quarter 3 1 Jul to 30 Sept	Quarter 4 1 Oct to 31 Dec
Regulation 12(4)(a) - Information not held	0	0	0	0
Regulation 12(4)(b) - Manifestly unreasonable requests	0	0	0	0
Regulation 12(4)(c) - Requests formulated in too general a manner	0	0	0	0
Regulation 12(4)(d) - Material in the course of completion, unfinished documents and incomplete data	0	0	0	0
Regulation 12(4)(e) - Internal communications	0	0	0	0
Regulation 12(5)(a) - International relations, defence, national security or public safety	0	0	0	0
Regulation 12(5)(b) - The course of justice and inquiries exception	0	0	0	0
Regulation 12(5)(c) - Intellectual property rights	0	0	0	0
Regulation 12(5)(d) - Confidentiality of proceedings	0	0	0	0
Regulation 12(5)(e) - Confidentiality of commercial or industrial information	0	0	0	0
Regulation 12(5)(f) - Interests of the person who provided the information to the public authority	0	0	0	0
Regulation 12(5)(g) - Protection of the environment	0	0	0	0
Regulation 13 - Personal information	0	0	0	0