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To all local authorities in England

Dear colleagues,

S31 Staying Put Implementation Grant (New Burdens) Determination Letter 2022-2025 [Project_6622] [31/6003]

This Determination is made between:

- (1) **The Secretary of State for Education** and
- (2) **The local authorities listed at Annex A**

Purpose of the grant

The Children and Families Act 2014 introduced a new duty on local authorities to support young people to continue to live with their former foster carers once they turn 18 (the 'Staying Put' duty). This duty came into force on 13 May 2014.

The purpose of the grant is to provide support to local authorities in England for expenditure lawfully incurred or to be incurred by them in respect of a young person aged 18 and their former foster carer who wish to continue to live together in a 'Staying Put' arrangement. For the purposes of this grant 'young person' means a former relevant child who was looked after immediately prior to their 18th birthday. This supported arrangement can continue until the young person's 21st birthday.

Local authorities can spend this grant to support the costs associated with maintaining a 'Staying Put' arrangement. For more information on 'Staying Put' arrangements please see Chapter 7 of the Children Act 1989 statutory guidance: *Volume 3: Planning Transition to Adulthood for Care Leavers*:

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/312530/Planning_Transition_to_Adulthood_for_Care_Leavers.pdf

The methodology for allocating funding remains the same as in previous years. For 2022 to 2025 allocations the reference period for the data used to derive the LA shares was updated from 2016-19 data to 2019-2021 data.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

Yours sincerely,

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**STAYING PUT IMPLEMENTATION GRANT DETERMINATION 2022 - 2025:
[Project_6622] [31/6003]**

The Secretary of State for Education (“the Secretary of State”), in exercise of the powers conferred by section 31 of the Local Government Act 2003, makes the following determination:

Citation

1) This determination may be cited as the Staying Put Grant Determination (2022/25) [No. 31/6003].

Purpose of the grant

2) The purpose of the grant is to provide support to local authorities in England for expenditure lawfully incurred or to be incurred by them in respect of ‘Staying Put’ provision.

Determination

3) The Secretary of State determines the authorities to which grant is to be paid and the amount of grant to be paid. The authorities and the amounts are set out in Annex A.

Payment arrangements

4) Grant will be paid in four instalments of as near equal value as possible, quarterly each year – May, August, November, and February.

Treasury consent

5) Before making this determination in relation to local authorities in England, the Secretary of State obtained the consent of the Treasury.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Education

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STAYING PUT IMPLEMENTATION GRANT ALLOCATIONS 2022-2025

Local Authority	Total allocation 2022-25	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	Quarterly Payment
	£99,834,024	£33,278,008	£33,278,008	£33,278,008	£8,319,502
NORTH EAST					
Darlington	£167,304	£55,768	£55,768	£55,768	£13,942
Durham	£734,280	£244,760	£244,760	£244,760	£61,190
Gateshead	£576,270	£192,090	£192,090	£192,090	£48,023
Hartlepool	£316,020	£105,340	£105,340	£105,340	£26,335
Middlesbrough	£353,196	£117,732	£117,732	£117,732	£29,433
Newcastle upon Tyne	£920,172	£306,724	£306,724	£306,724	£76,681
North Tyneside	£408,966	£136,322	£136,322	£136,322	£34,081
Northumberland	£362,493	£120,831	£120,831	£120,831	£30,208
Redcar and Cleveland	£288,135	£96,045	£96,045	£96,045	£24,011
South Tyneside	£427,554	£142,518	£142,518	£142,518	£35,630
Stockton-on-Tees	£278,841	£92,947	£92,947	£92,947	£23,237
Sunderland	£418,260	£139,420	£139,420	£139,420	£34,855
NORTH WEST					
Blackburn with Darwen	£297,429	£99,143	£99,143	£99,143	£24,786
Blackpool	£390,375	£130,125	£130,125	£130,125	£32,531
Bolton	£436,848	£145,616	£145,616	£145,616	£36,404
Bury	£250,956	£83,652	£83,652	£83,652	£20,913
Cheshire East	£390,375	£130,125	£130,125	£130,125	£32,531
Cheshire West and Chester	£483,324	£161,108	£161,108	£161,108	£40,277
Cumbria	£455,439	£151,813	£151,813	£151,813	£37,953
Halton	£158,010	£52,670	£52,670	£52,670	£13,168
Knowsley	£278,841	£92,947	£92,947	£92,947	£23,237
Lancashire	£1,291,959	£430,653	£430,653	£430,653	£107,663
Liverpool	£994,530	£331,510	£331,510	£331,510	£82,878
Manchester	£1,552,209	£517,403	£517,403	£517,403	£129,351
Oldham	£604,152	£201,384	£201,384	£201,384	£50,346
Rochdale	£511,206	£170,402	£170,402	£170,402	£42,601
Salford	£474,027	£158,009	£158,009	£158,009	£39,502
Sefton	£446,145	£148,715	£148,715	£148,715	£37,179
St. Helens	£418,260	£139,420	£139,420	£139,420	£34,855
Stockport	£418,260	£139,420	£139,420	£139,420	£34,855
Tameside	£520,500	£173,500	£173,500	£173,500	£43,375
Trafford	£483,324	£161,108	£161,108	£161,108	£40,277
Warrington	£297,429	£99,143	£99,143	£99,143	£24,786
Wigan	£446,145	£148,715	£148,715	£148,715	£37,179
Wirral	£734,280	£244,760	£244,760	£244,760	£61,190

YORKSHIRE AND THE HUMBER					
Barnsley	£334,608	£111,536	£111,536	£111,536	£27,884
Bradford	£957,351	£319,117	£319,117	£319,117	£79,779
Calderdale	£325,314	£108,438	£108,438	£108,438	£27,110
Doncaster	£585,564	£195,188	£195,188	£195,188	£48,797
East Riding of Yorkshire	£371,787	£123,929	£123,929	£123,929	£30,982
Kingston Upon Hull, City of	£659,922	£219,974	£219,974	£219,974	£54,994
Kirklees	£780,753	£260,251	£260,251	£260,251	£65,063
Leeds	£1,793,871	£597,957	£597,957	£597,957	£149,489
North East Lincolnshire	£204,483	£68,161	£68,161	£68,161	£17,040
North Lincolnshire	£278,841	£92,947	£92,947	£92,947	£23,237
North Yorkshire	£808,635	£269,545	£269,545	£269,545	£67,386
Rotherham	£362,493	£120,831	£120,831	£120,831	£30,208
Sheffield	£957,351	£319,117	£319,117	£319,117	£79,779
Wakefield	£390,375	£130,125	£130,125	£130,125	£32,531
York	£362,493	£120,831	£120,831	£120,831	£30,208
EAST MIDLANDS					
Derby	£399,672	£133,224	£133,224	£133,224	£33,306
Derbyshire	£920,172	£306,724	£306,724	£306,724	£76,681
Leicester	£520,500	£173,500	£173,500	£173,500	£43,375
Leicestershire	£529,797	£176,599	£176,599	£176,599	£44,150
Lincolnshire	£817,932	£272,644	£272,644	£272,644	£68,161
Northamptonshire	£1,059,591	£353,197	£353,197	£353,197	£88,299
Nottingham	£724,983	£241,661	£241,661	£241,661	£60,415
Nottinghamshire	£1,106,064	£368,688	£368,688	£368,688	£92,172
Rutland	£9,294	£3,098	£3,098	£3,098	£775
WEST MIDLANDS					
Birmingham	£2,202,837	£734,279	£734,279	£734,279	£183,570
Coventry	£687,804	£229,268	£229,268	£229,268	£57,317
Dudley	£752,868	£250,956	£250,956	£250,956	£62,739
Herefordshire	£390,375	£130,125	£130,125	£130,125	£32,531
Sandwell	£594,858	£198,286	£198,286	£198,286	£49,572
Shropshire	£278,841	£92,947	£92,947	£92,947	£23,237
Solihull	£641,331	£213,777	£213,777	£213,777	£53,444
Staffordshire	£1,022,412	£340,804	£340,804	£340,804	£85,201
Stoke-on-Trent	£334,608	£111,536	£111,536	£111,536	£27,884
Telford and Wrekin	£288,135	£96,045	£96,045	£96,045	£24,011
Walsall	£529,797	£176,599	£176,599	£176,599	£44,150
Warwickshire	£1,394,199	£464,733	£464,733	£464,733	£116,183
Wolverhampton	£613,449	£204,483	£204,483	£204,483	£51,121
Worcestershire	£864,405	£288,135	£288,135	£288,135	£72,034
EAST OF ENGLAND					
Bedford	£232,368	£77,456	£77,456	£77,456	£19,364
Central Bedfordshire	£241,662	£80,554	£80,554	£80,554	£20,139
Cambridgeshire	£855,108	£285,036	£285,036	£285,036	£71,259

Essex	£1,710,219	£570,073	£570,073	£570,073	£142,518
Hertfordshire	£1,338,432	£446,144	£446,144	£446,144	£111,536
Luton	£548,385	£182,795	£182,795	£182,795	£45,699
Norfolk	£1,449,969	£483,323	£483,323	£483,323	£120,831
Peterborough	£548,385	£182,795	£182,795	£182,795	£45,699
Southend-on-Sea	£371,787	£123,929	£123,929	£123,929	£30,982
Suffolk	£1,041,003	£347,001	£347,001	£347,001	£86,750
Thurrock	£594,858	£198,286	£198,286	£198,286	£49,572
LONDON					
INNER LONDON					
Camden	£381,081	£127,027	£127,027	£127,027	£31,757
City of London	£102,240	£34,080	£34,080	£34,080	£8,520
Hackney	£966,645	£322,215	£322,215	£322,215	£80,554
Hammersmith and Fulham	£604,152	£201,384	£201,384	£201,384	£50,346
Haringey	£715,689	£238,563	£238,563	£238,563	£59,641
Islington	£975,939	£325,313	£325,313	£325,313	£81,328
Kensington and Chelsea	£306,723	£102,241	£102,241	£102,241	£25,560
Lambeth	£1,031,709	£343,903	£343,903	£343,903	£85,976
Lewisham	£1,217,601	£405,867	£405,867	£405,867	£101,467
Newham	£882,993	£294,331	£294,331	£294,331	£73,583
Southwark	£1,115,361	£371,787	£371,787	£371,787	£92,947
Tower Hamlets	£613,449	£204,483	£204,483	£204,483	£51,121
Wandsworth	£418,260	£139,420	£139,420	£139,420	£34,855
Westminster	£492,618	£164,206	£164,206	£164,206	£41,052
OUTER LONDON					
Barking and Dagenham	£687,804	£229,268	£229,268	£229,268	£57,317
Barnet	£613,449	£204,483	£204,483	£204,483	£51,121
Bexley	£557,679	£185,893	£185,893	£185,893	£46,473
Brent	£669,216	£223,072	£223,072	£223,072	£55,768
Bromley	£613,449	£204,483	£204,483	£204,483	£51,121
Croydon	£3,141,597	£1,047,199	£1,047,199	£1,047,199	£261,800
Ealing	£687,804	£229,268	£229,268	£229,268	£57,317
Enfield	£659,922	£219,974	£219,974	£219,974	£54,994
Greenwich	£994,530	£331,510	£331,510	£331,510	£82,878
Harrow	£213,777	£71,259	£71,259	£71,259	£17,815
Havering	£548,385	£182,795	£182,795	£182,795	£45,699
Hillingdon	£371,787	£123,929	£123,929	£123,929	£30,982
Hounslow	£483,324	£161,108	£161,108	£161,108	£40,277
Kingston upon Thames	£250,956	£83,652	£83,652	£83,652	£20,913
Merton	£566,976	£188,992	£188,992	£188,992	£47,248
Redbridge	£585,564	£195,188	£195,188	£195,188	£48,797
Richmond upon Thames	£241,662	£80,554	£80,554	£80,554	£20,139
Sutton	£353,196	£117,732	£117,732	£117,732	£29,433
Waltham Forest	£659,922	£219,974	£219,974	£219,974	£54,994
SOUTH EAST					

Bracknell Forest	£139,419	£46,473	£46,473	£46,473	£11,618
Brighton and Hove	£836,520	£278,840	£278,840	£278,840	£69,710
Buckinghamshire	£613,449	£204,483	£204,483	£204,483	£51,121
East Sussex	£808,635	£269,545	£269,545	£269,545	£67,386
Hampshire	£2,416,614	£805,538	£805,538	£805,538	£201,385
Isle of Wight	£288,135	£96,045	£96,045	£96,045	£24,011
Kent	£2,741,925	£913,975	£913,975	£913,975	£228,494
Medway	£492,618	£164,206	£164,206	£164,206	£41,052
Milton Keynes	£343,902	£114,634	£114,634	£114,634	£28,659
Oxfordshire	£864,405	£288,135	£288,135	£288,135	£72,034
Portsmouth	£873,699	£291,233	£291,233	£291,233	£72,808
Reading	£176,598	£58,866	£58,866	£58,866	£14,717
Slough	£260,250	£86,750	£86,750	£86,750	£21,688
Southampton	£585,564	£195,188	£195,188	£195,188	£48,797
Surrey	£1,682,334	£560,778	£560,778	£560,778	£140,195
West Berkshire	£278,841	£92,947	£92,947	£92,947	£23,237
West Sussex	£1,115,361	£371,787	£371,787	£371,787	£92,947
Windsor and Maidenhead	£306,723	£102,241	£102,241	£102,241	£25,560
Wokingham	£250,956	£83,652	£83,652	£83,652	£20,913
SOUTH WEST					
Bath and North East Somerset	£278,841	£92,947	£92,947	£92,947	£23,237
Bristol, City of	£1,171,128	£390,376	£390,376	£390,376	£97,594
Cornwall	£678,510	£226,170	£226,170	£226,170	£56,543
Devon	£1,375,611	£458,537	£458,537	£458,537	£114,634
Dorset	£455,439	£151,813	£151,813	£151,813	£37,953
Gloucestershire	£1,152,540	£384,180	£384,180	£384,180	£96,045
North Somerset	£371,787	£123,929	£123,929	£123,929	£30,982
Plymouth	£483,324	£161,108	£161,108	£161,108	£40,277
Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole	£799,341	£266,447	£266,447	£266,447	£66,612
Somerset	£724,983	£241,661	£241,661	£241,661	£60,415
South Gloucestershire	£446,145	£148,715	£148,715	£148,715	£37,179
Swindon	£659,922	£219,974	£219,974	£219,974	£54,994
Torbay	£343,902	£114,634	£114,634	£114,634	£28,659
Wiltshire	£715,689	£238,563	£238,563	£238,563	£59,641