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To all local authorities in England

Dear colleagues,

**S31 Staying Put Implementation Grant (New Burdens) Determination Letter 2021-22  
[GR1000153] [31/2380]**

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 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. This supported arrangement can continue until the young person's 21<sup>st</sup> 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](https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/312530/Planning_Transition_to_Adulthood_for_Care_Leavers.pdf)

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

Yours sincerely,

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**STAYING PUT IMPLEMENTATION GRANT DETERMINATION 2021/22:  
[GR1000153] [No.31/2380]**

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 (2021/22) [No.31/2380].

**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, on, or by, 25 May 2021, 31 August 2021, 30 November 2021, and 22 February 2022.

**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



John Myers (Deputy Director)  
For and on behalf of Department of Education  
Adoption, Family Justice and Care Leavers Division  
Social Care, Mobility and Equalities Directorate (SCME)

## STAYING PUT IMPLEMENTATION GRANT ALLOCATIONS 2021/22

		England Total 21/22 £	33,278,001
<b>Ecode</b>	<b>Class</b>	<b>Local Authority</b>	<b>2021/22 £</b>
E5030	LB	Barking and Dagenham London Borough	£203,367
E5031	LB	Barnet London Borough	£171,087
E4401	MD	Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council	£83,929
E0101	UA	Bath and North East Somerset Council	£116,210
E0202	UA	Bedford UA	£67,789
E5032	LB	Bexley London Borough	£158,175
E4601	MD	Birmingham City Council	£639,155
E2301	UA	Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council	£80,701
E2302	UA	Blackpool Borough Council	£122,666
E4201	MD	Bolton Metropolitan Borough Council	£148,490
E1204	UA	Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Council	£164,631
E0301	UA	Bracknell Forest Borough Council	£71,017
E4701	MD	City of Bradford Metropolitan District Council	£261,472
E5033	LB	Brent London Borough	£200,139
E1401	UA	Brighton and Hove Council	£306,665
E0102	UA	Bristol Council	£429,331
E5034	LB	Bromley London Borough	£161,403
E0402	UA	Buckinghamshire County Council	£171,087
E4202	MD	Bury Metropolitan Borough Council	£83,929
E4702	MD	Calderdale Metropolitan Borough Council	£112,982
E0521	SC	Cambridgeshire County Council	£209,823
E5011	LB	Camden London Borough	£100,070
E0203	UA	Central Bedfordshire UA	£58,105
E0603	UA	Cheshire East UA	£112,982
E0604	UA	Cheshire West and Chester UA	£174,315
E5010	LB	City of London	£41,965
E0801	UA	Cornwall County UA	£213,052
E4602	MD	Coventry City Council	£222,736
E5035	LB	Croydon London Borough	£1,255,713
E0920	SC	Cumbria County Council	£154,947
E1301	UA	Darlington Borough Council	£54,877
E1001	UA	Derby City Council	£161,403
E1021	SC	Derbyshire County Council	£303,437
E1121	SC	Devon County Council	£455,155
E4402	MD	Doncaster Metropolitan Borough Council	£203,367
E1203	UA	Dorset Council	£219,508
E4603	MD	Dudley Metropolitan Borough Council	£271,156
E1302	UA	Durham County UA	£206,595
E5036	LB	Ealing London Borough	£209,823
E2001	UA	East Riding of Yorkshire Council	£164,631
E1421	SC	East Sussex County Council	£296,981
E5037	LB	Enfield London Borough	£264,700

E1521	SC	Essex County Council	£551,997
E4501	MD	Gateshead Metropolitan Borough Council	£229,192
E1620	SC	Gloucestershire County Council	£361,542
E5012	LB	Greenwich London Borough	£316,349
E5013	LB	Hackney London Borough	£255,016
E0601	UA	Halton Borough Council	£58,105
E5014	LB	Hammersmith and Fulham London Borough	£209,823
E1721	SC	Hampshire County Council	£687,575
E5038	LB	Haringey London Borough	£232,420
E5039	LB	Harrow London Borough	£77,473
E0701	UA	Hartlepool Council	£132,350
E5040	LB	Havering London Borough	£119,438
E1801	UA	County of Herefordshire District Council	£158,175
E1920	SC	Hertfordshire County Council	£555,225
E5041	LB	Hillingdon London Borough	£196,911
E5042	LB	Hounslow London Borough	£164,631
E2101	UA	Isle of Wight Council	£93,614
E5015	LB	Islington London Borough	£361,542
E5016	LB	Kensington and Chelsea Royal Borough	£83,929
E2221	SC	Kent County Council	£1,091,082
E2002	UA	Kingston Upon Hull City Council	£267,928
E5043	LB	Kingston upon Thames Royal Borough	£77,473
E4703	MD	Kirklees Metropolitan Borough Council	£245,332
E4301	MD	Knowsley Metropolitan Borough Council	£96,842
E5017	LB	Lambeth London Borough	£313,121
E2321	SC	Lancashire County Council	£519,717
E4704	MD	Leeds City Council	£516,489
E2401	UA	Leicester City Council	£225,964
E2421	SC	Leicestershire County Council	£138,806
E5018	LB	Lewisham London Borough	£406,735
E2520	SC	Lincolnshire County Council	£300,209
E4302	MD	Liverpool City Council	£309,893
E0201	UA	Luton Borough Council	£151,718
E4203	MD	Manchester City Council	£529,401
E2201	UA	Medway Borough Council	£164,631
E5044	LB	Merton London Borough	£138,806
E0702	UA	Middlesbrough Borough	£164,631
E0401	UA	Milton Keynes Council	£158,175
E4502	MD	Newcastle upon Tyne Metropolitan District Council	£245,332
E5045	LB	Newham London Borough	£338,946
E2620	SC	Norfolk County Council	£513,260
E2003	UA	North East Lincolnshire Council	£32,281
E2004	UA	North Lincolnshire Council	£77,473
E0104	UA	North Somerset Council	£116,210
E4503	MD	North Tyneside Metropolitan Borough Council	£138,806
E2721	SC	North Yorkshire County Council	£242,104
E2820	SC	Northamptonshire County Council	£358,314
E2901	UA	Northumberland County UA	£135,578

E3001	UA	Nottingham City Council	£219,508
E3021	SC	Nottinghamshire County Council	£387,366
E4204	MD	Oldham Metropolitan Borough Council	£116,210
E3120	SC	Oxfordshire	£271,156
E0501	UA	Peterborough City Council	£190,455
E1101	UA	Plymouth City Council	£180,771
E1701	UA	Portsmouth City Council	£235,648
E0303	UA	Reading Borough Council	£116,210
E5046	LB	Redbridge London Borough	£242,104
E0703	UA	Redcar and Cleveland Borough Council	£80,701
E5047	LB	London Borough of Richmond upon Thames	£83,929
E4205	MD	Rochdale Metropolitan Borough Council	£122,666
E4403	MD	Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council	£177,543
E2402	UA	Rutland County Council District Council	£12,912
E4206	MD	Salford Metropolitan District Council	£158,175
E4604	MD	Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council	£203,367
E4304	MD	Sefton	£203,367
E4404	MD	Sheffield City Council	£280,841
E3202	UA	Shropshire County UA	£61,333
E0304	UA	Slough Borough Council	£80,701
E4605	MD	Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council	£135,578
E3320	SC	Somerset County Council	£219,508
E0103	UA	South Gloucestershire Council	£154,947
E4504	MD	South Tyneside Metropolitan Borough Council	£116,210
E1702	UA	Southampton City Council	£183,999
E1501	UA	Southend-on-Sea Borough Council	£171,087
E5019	LB	Southwark London Borough	£406,735
E4303	MD	St Helens Metropolitan Borough Council	£138,806
E3421	SC	Staffordshire County Council	£358,314
E4207	MD	Stockport Metropolitan Borough Council	£171,087
E0704	UA	Stockton-on-Tees Borough Council	£74,245
E3401	UA	Stoke-on-Trent City Council	£100,070
E3520	SC	Suffolk County Council	£332,489
E4505	MD	Sunderland City Council	£158,175
E3620	SC	Surrey County Council	£687,575
E5048	LB	Sutton London Borough	£80,701
E3901	UA	Swindon Borough Council	£219,508
E4208	MD	Tameside Metropolitan Borough Council	£171,087
E3201	UA	Telford and Wrekin Council	£64,561
E1502	UA	Thurrock Council	£171,087
E1102	UA	Torbay Borough Council	£116,210
E5020	LB	Tower Hamlets London Borough	£229,192
E4209	MD	Trafford Metropolitan Borough Council	£142,034
E4705	MD	Wakefield Metropolitan District Council	£164,631
E4606	MD	Walsall Metropolitan Borough Council	£196,911
E5049	LB	Waltham Forest London Borough	£213,052
E5021	LB	Wandsworth London Borough	£112,982
E0602	UA	Warrington Borough Council	£80,701

E3720	SC	Warwickshire County Council	£516,489
E0302	UA	West Berkshire District Council	£132,350
E3820	SC	West Sussex County Council	£358,314
E5022	LB	Westminster City Council	£142,034
E4210	MD	Wigan Metropolitan Borough Council	£154,947
E3902	UA	Wiltshire County UA	£193,683
E0305	UA	Windsor and Maidenhead Royal Borough Council	£64,561
E4305	MD	Wirral Metropolitan Borough Council	£255,016
E0306	UA	Wokingham District Council	£93,614
E4607	MD	Wolverhampton Metropolitan Borough Council	£200,139
E1821	SC	Worcestershire County Council	£280,841
E2701	UA	City of York Council	£119,438