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Information request

Under the Freedom of Information Act I would like to request details about the Youth Contract.

Please provide me with the answers to the following questions:

- 1. How many employers have signed up to the wage subsidy scheme?*
- 2. How many young people have moved into meaningful employment following placement on the wage subsidy scheme?*

I request that the period covered for questions 1 and 2 is from April 2012 until May 2013.

DWP response

Following the collection and quality assurance of this data, the first set of Official Statistics on the wage incentive should be available in the next few months.

The Department is working to guidelines set by the UK Statistics Authority to ensure we publish statistics that meet high quality standards at the earliest opportunity.