Dear

Thank you for your Freedom of Information (FOI) request dated 31 December 2019, reference J/19/536.

Your request read:

“I am requesting attainment data from the academic years 2013/14 - 2017/18. I am requesting this information to be organised by student ethnicity (BAME/White/Unknown) and religion or belief (religious belief/no religion or belief/unknown). Please complete the attached excel document"

The University of Leeds holds this information.

As requested, we have completed the Excel document you provided as part of your request. Please note the following caveats:

- We have completed the template provided, but have added some more fields for ‘Classification not available’, as these weren’t used for all rows. There is also a tab explaining the HESA codes that were used.
- All numbers are rounded to the nearest 5, in line with HESA methodology.
- The Ethnicity and Religion fields are self-reported and may not reflect all possible circumstances (for example, if a student’s religion or belief changes during their period of study).

We hope this information is helpful. If you have any questions about this email, however, please do not hesitate to contact us on foi@leeds.ac.uk

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you can request an Internal Review. Requests for Internal Review should be made in writing using the following contact information:

Post: Mr D Wardle
Deputy Secretary
The University of Leeds
Leeds
LS2 9JT

Email: foi@leeds.ac.uk

Requests for Internal Review should be submitted within 40 working days of receiving the University’s response to your request. Further information about how the University manages Freedom of Information requests and about our complaints procedure is also available on our website (www.leeds.ac.uk).

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the review/complaints procedure
provided by the University. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner’s Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Sincerely

Chloe Wilkins
Freedom of Information Officer
University of Leeds