From: Foi Enquiries
To: [redacted]
Subject: FOI-18-0585 - Reference Spend
Date: 20 April 2018 15:23:00
Attachments: Further Information - Right to Review & Appeal.pdf
FOI-18-0585 - DIGITAL SUBSCRIPTIONS 2014-19.xlsx

Dear [redacted]

Thank you for your information request of 6 April 2018. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

Can you tell me for each of the last 5 financial years:

1 How much was spent on books for the reference collection
Please see below:

	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18
Reference	33,823	31,837	33,722	29,598	20,246

2. Which online reference resources were subscribed to e.g. Britannica Online, Kompasss or Oxford Dictionary of National Biography online
Please refer to the attached spreadsheet FOI-18-0585 – Digital Subscriptions 2014-19.

3. How much was spent on the reference online resources
Please see below:

	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18
Online Resources	77,599	87,901	87,635	72,625	73,858

We hope this helps with your request.

Yours sincerely,

Anna Buchan
Information Compliance Officer

INFORMATION ABOUT THE HANDLING OF YOUR REQUEST

ACC handled your request for information in accordance with the provisions of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002. Please refer to the attached PDF for more information about your rights under FOISA.

Information Compliance Team | Customer Feedback|Customer Experience
Aberdeen City Council, Business Hub 17, 3rd Floor North, Marischal College, Broad Street, Aberdeen, AB10 1AQ
Tel 03000 200 292
Email foienquiries@aberdeencity.gov.uk

www.aberdeencity.gov.uk

*03000 numbers are free to call if you have ‘free minutes’ included in your mobile call plan.
Calls from BT landlines will be charged at the local call rate of 10.24p per minute (the same as 01224s).

Adult/ Child	***TITLE***
Child	ISSUES (1 SUB +1 ONLINE ONLY)
Child	ISSUES (4 SUB +5 ONLINE ONLY)
Child	WOOD OF WORDS (Stories from the web)
Child	WORLD BOOK ONLINE

Adult	19TH CENT BRIT LIB NEWSPAPER SUB
Adult	ANCESTRY
Adult	BRITANNICA ONLINE
Adult	BRITISH NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE
Adult	BRITISH STANDARDS ONLINE
Adult	CITIZENS ADVICE NOTES SERVICE (CANS)
Adult	EI DATA SERVICE ONLINE
Adult	EMPLOYABILITY ONLINE
Adult	FIND MY PAST
Adult	GAZETTEERS PLUS
Adult	GO CITIZEN
Adult	GRANTS FOR INDIVIDUALS
Adult	ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS
Adult	KOMPASS
Adult	MINT UK (shared sub with Econ Dev)
Adult	OFFSHORE TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS
Adult	OXFORD UNIVERSITY PRESS ONLINE
Adult	SCOTSMAN ARCHIVE
Adult	SCRAN

Adult	SPECIALIST INFO & GP INFO
Adult	TELL ME MORE
Adult	THEORY TEST PRO
Adult	TIMES DIGITAL ARCHIVE
Adult	UK NEWSSTAND
Adult	UK PRESS ONLINE
Adult	VENTURE
Adult	WHO ELSE WRITES LIKE? / WHO NEXT

Adult/ Child	***TITLE***
Child	ISSUES (1 SUB +1 ONLINE ONLY)
Child	ISSUES (4 SUB +5 ONLINE ONLY)
Child	WOOD OF WORDS (Stories from the web)
Child	WORLD BOOK ONLINE

Adult	19TH CENT BRIT LIB NEWSPAPER SUB
Adult	ANCESTRY
Adult	BRITANNICA ONLINE
Adult	BRITISH NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE
Adult	BRITISH STANDARDS ONLINE
Adult	CITIZENS ADVICE NOTES SERVICE (CANS)
Adult	EI DATA SERVICE ONLINE
Adult	EMPLOYABILITY ONLINE
Adult	FIND MY PAST
Adult	GAZETTEERS PLUS
Adult	GO CITIZEN
Adult	GRANTS FOR INDIVIDUALS
Adult	ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS
Adult	KOMPASS
Adult	MINT UK (shared sub with Econ Dev)
Adult	OFFSHORE TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS
Adult	OXFORD UNIVERSITY PRESS ONLINE
Adult	SCOTSMAN ARCHIVE
Adult	SCRAN
Adult	SPECIALIST INFO & GP INFO

Adult	TELL ME MORE
Adult	THEORY TEST PRO
Adult	TIMES DIGITAL ARCHIVE
Adult	UK NEWSSTAND
Adult	UK PRESS ONLINE
Adult	VENTURE
Adult	WHO ELSE WRITES LIKE? / WHO NEXT

Adult/ Child	***TITLE***
Child	BUSYTHINGS
Child	GRID CLUB
Child	ISSUES (1 SUB +1 ONLINE ONLY)
Child	ISSUES (4 SUB +5 ONLINE ONLY)
Child	ROCKS BACKPAGES
Child	WOOD OF WORD (stories from the web)
Child	WORLD BOOK ONLINE
Child	WORLD BOOK E BOOKS

Adult	19TH CENT BRIT LIB NEWSPAPER SUB
Adult	ANCESTRY
Adult	BENEZIT Dictionary of Artists
Adult	BRITANNICA ONLINE
Adult	BRITISH NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE AND FIND MY PAST
Adult	BRITISH STANDARDS
Adult	COBRA COMPLETE BUSINESS ADVISOR
Adult	EI DATA SERVICE ONLINE
Adult	ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS
Adult	IMAGE QUEST
Adult	KOMPASS
Adult	OFFSHIRE TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS
Adult	OXFORD UNIVERSITY PRESS ONLINE
Adult	SCOTSMAN ARCHIVE
Adult	SCRAN
Adult	THEORY TEST PRO and go citizen
Adult	TIMES DIGITAL ARCHIVE
Adult	TOTAL PATENT
Adult	UK NEWSSTAND

Adult	UK PRESS ONLINE
Adult	WHO ELSE WRITES LIKE? / WHO NEXT

Interactive training	ATOMIC TRAINING SUPSCRIPTION
Interactive training	TRANSPARENT LANGUAGE ONLINE

Adult/ Child	***TITLE***
Child	BUSYTHINGS
Child	GRID CLUB
Child	ISSUES (1 SUB +1 ONLINE ONLY)
Child	ISSUES (4 SUB +5 ONLINE ONLY)
Child	ROCKS BACKPAGES
Child	WORLD BOOK E BOOKS

Adult	19TH CENT BRIT LIB NEWSPAPER SUB
Adult	ANCESTRY
Adult	BRITANNICA ONLINE
Adult	BRITISH NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE AND FIND MY PAST
Adult	BRITISH STANDARDS
Adult	COBRA COMPLETE BUSINESS ADVISOR
Adult	EI DATA SERVICE ONLINE
Adult	ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS
Adult	IMAGE QUEST
Adult	KOMPASS
Adult	OFFSHIRE TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS
Adult	OXFORD UNIVERSITY PRESS ONLINE
Adult	SCOTSMAN ARCHIVE
Adult	SCRAN
Adult	THEORY TEST PRO and go citizen
Adult	TIMES DIGITAL ARCHIVE
Adult	TOTAL PATENT
Adult	UK NEWSSTAND
Adult	UK PRESS ONLINE
Adult	WHO ELSE WRITES LIKE? / WHO NEXT

Interactive training	ATOMIC TRAINING SUPSCRIPTION
Interactive training	TRANSPARENT LANGUAGE ONLINE

Adult/ Child	***TITLE***
Child	BUSYTHINGS
Child	GRID CLUB
Child	ISSUES (1 SUB +1 ONLINE ONLY)
Child	ISSUES (4 SUB +5 ONLINE ONLY)
Child	ROCKS BACKPAGES

Adult	19TH CENT BRIT LIB NEWSPAPER SUB
Adult	ANCESTRY
Adult	BRITANNICA ONLINE
Adult	BRITISH NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE AND FIND MY PAST
Adult	BRITISH STANDARDS
Adult	COBRA COMPLETE BUSINESS ADVISOR
Adult	EUROPEAN NEWSTREAM
Adult	EI DATA SERVICE ONLINE
Adult	IMAGE QUEST
Adult	KOMPASS
Adult	OFFSHIRE TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS
Adult	OXFORD UNIVERSITY PRESS ONLINE
Adult	SCOTSMAN ARCHIVE
Adult	SCRAN
Adult	THEORY TEST PRO and go citizen
Adult	TIMES DIGITAL ARCHIVE
Adult	TOTAL PATENT
Adult	UK PRESS ONLINE

Interactive training	ATOMIC TRAINING SUPSCRIPTION
Interactive training	TRANSPARENT LANGUAGE ONLINE