

**From:** Edinburgh College Freedom of Information  
**Sent:** 11 November 2019 16:10  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: Student Accommodation

Dear [REDACTED]

**Our Ref: 035/19**

As of 1 October 2012, Edinburgh's Telford College, Jewel & Esk College and Stevenson College merged to create a single college called Edinburgh College.

We refer to your request for information dated 14 October 2019. The College has considered your request as a request for information under section 1 of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 ("FOISA").

**035/19 (1):** Currently how many student accommodation properties does Edinburgh College have?

We have two purpose built on campus accommodation residences available at Milton Road and Granton: <http://www.edinburghcollege.ac.uk/Student-Life/Accommodation>

Please note, the College does not own the Granton student accommodation which is managed by CRM Students.

**035/19 (2):** Currently how many rooms in student accommodation does Edinburgh College have?

Milton Road	Granton
120	110

**035/19 (3):** How many applications for university accommodation did Edinburgh College receive this year? (the study year 2019/2020)

The College has not received any applications for university accommodation.

Please see number of applications received for the College's student accommodation in 2019/20 below:

Milton Road	Granton
63	122

**035/19 (4):** Out of these applications how many were successful and how many were unsuccessful?

Milton Road – 42 applicants progressed to tenancy.

Granton – 85 applicants progressed to tenancy.

The remaining 58 applications did not progress to tenancy.

**035/19 (5):** Currently does Edinburgh College have any empty student accommodation flats or rooms?

Yes.

**035/19 (6):** If so, how many empty flats are there?

Milton Road	Granton
N/A	2

**035/19 (7):** How many empty rooms are there?

Milton Road	Granton
40	15

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You have 40 working days from receipt of this letter to submit a review request to:

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When the review process has been completed and if you are still dissatisfied, you may ask the Scottish Information Commissioner to intervene.

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[www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal](http://www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal)

The online appeal service is available 24/7 and offers you real time help and advice about your appeal.

You must appeal to the Commissioner within six months of receiving the review decision.

You also have the right to appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law following a decision of the Commissioner.

Regards

FOI Team

