

Request Reference: 3423

FOI Request dated 10/06/2025 -

Please provide the following information relating to any activity at your university between 1 April 2022 and the date of this request concerning Gaza or Palestine:

- · Protests, demonstrations, encampments, or events held on campus or organised by university-affiliated individuals or groups
- · Social media posts made by university staff, students, academic departments, or student societies that relate to Gaza or Palestine.

1. Complaints received

- Has the university received any complaints (written, emailed, verbal or otherwise formally recorded) in relation to Palestine or Gaza-related protests or associated student/staff activity (including social media)?
 - o If yes, please provide:
 - The total number of complaints received.
 - The general nature or substance of each complaint (e.g. disruption, safety concerns, alleged antisemitism, reputational concerns).
 - The date the complaint was received.

2. Complaints made on behalf of organisations

- Were any complaints submitted on behalf of external organisations (e.g. charities, think tanks, advocacy organisations, embassies, or government bodies)?
 - o If yes:
 - Please identify the name of the organisation.
 - Indicate whether the complaint was made directly by the organisation or forwarded or relayed by another party (e.g. MP, trustee, alumnus).

3. University response

Where possible, please provide the complaints themselves in redacted form, ensuring that no personal data is included. Please note that the time taken for redactions does not normally contribute towards the cost limit.

Please note: I am not requesting personal data such as the names of individual complainants.

If fulfilling this request for the full time period would exceed the cost limits under the Act, I would be grateful if you could instead provide information from 7 October 2023 to the present.

Further to my email on 11/06/2025, I am writing to provide a brief clarification regarding the FOI request submitted below.

The two bullet points—

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—are not additional questions. They are included to define the **types of activity** to which the request refers.

Specifically, I am requesting information about:

- 1. **Complaints received** in relation to any such activity;
- 2. Complaints made on behalf of external organisations in connection with such activity; and
- 3. The university's response to those complaints.

For each complaint, I am seeking a **simple description** of the protest, event, or post that prompted the complaint — not a comprehensive list of all such activities.

Response

No information held.