



Sheffield's Auto Award Process

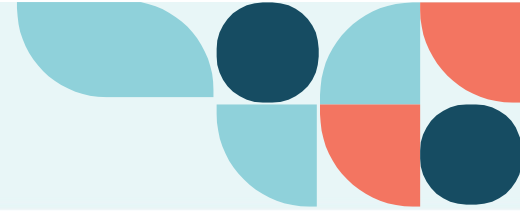
June 2024



Summary

- Introduction of the Auto Award Process in 2016
- Families are identified that have claimed Housing Benefit or Council Tax Support but have not applied for FSM
- They are then contacted to ensure that they are claiming everything they are entitled to
- Undertaken annually in Aug/Sept (School Census)

Sheffield Case Study



Since 2016:

**Additional number of children eligible for FSM:
5,603**

**Additional Pupil Premium funding available to schools:
Approx £4million (Does not include the cumulative, year on year effect of Ever 6. It is estimated
that the real total is over £10m.)**



Linked data processes

