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Jack - Young Person, Age 15



Jack asked for support from an advocate as he was unhappy that he'd received no pocket money throughout his time in his former foster placement (from ages 6 -14yrs).

Although the Local Authority had given him a reimbursement of £250, Jack felt that this was not enough. He had researched into pocket money via Rights4Children and had calculated that he should have had circa £2,000.

The advocate supported Jack to submit a Stage 1 complaint to the LA. The complaint was upheld, and new calculations made.

Jack received the £2,000 he felt was owed to him. Jack recalled his experience of being in his former placement as quite negative and this went some way to validate his voice and ensure he felt heard.



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