59797 Cyber Attacks

The number of cyber attacks your local authority has been subject to for each of the past ten years, beginning with 2015.

While we can confirm that attempted cyberattacks occur daily, we will not be providing details of specific instances or numbers. Disclosing such information could highlight potential vulnerabilities and weaknesses and would therefore pose a risk to the security of our systems and data.

The Council operates a defence-in-depth approach to cybersecurity. This layered approach combines technical controls, continuous monitoring, and staff awareness to ensure that most attempted attacks are identified and repelled before they can cause any harm.