

**Child Trust Fund: Accounts opened  
by Government Office Region**

Government Office Region	Number of vouchers issued.	Number of accounts opened by parents / guardians to date	Accounts to be opened <sup>4</sup> or accounts opened by HMRC.	% of accounts opened by parents / guardians to date
North East	107,874	72,445	35,429	67.2%
North West	309,906	208,423	101,483	67.3%
Yorkshire & The Humber	231,240	159,452	71,788	69.0%
East Midlands	187,948	135,211	52,737	71.9%
West Midlands	251,533	173,678	77,855	69.0%
East	247,099	186,816	60,283	75.6%
London	406,013	285,728	120,285	70.4%
South East	362,646	274,395	88,251	75.7%
South West	204,579	154,288	50,291	75.4%
<b>England</b>	<b>2,308,838</b>	<b>1,650,436</b>	<b>658,402</b>	<b>71.5%</b>
<b>Wales</b>	<b>124,219</b>	<b>86,705</b>	<b>37,514</b>	<b>69.8%</b>
<b>Scotland</b>	<b>207,451</b>	<b>136,525</b>	<b>70,926</b>	<b>65.8%</b>
<b>Northern Ireland</b>	<b>85,604</b>	<b>54,158</b>	<b>31,446</b>	<b>63.3%</b>
Missing or unknown postcode <sup>3</sup>	23,315	15,139	8,176	64.9%
<b>All</b>	<b>2,749,427</b>	<b>1,942,963</b>	<b>806,464</b>	<b>70.7%</b>

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**Notes:**

- 1 These numbers do not fall under National Statistics. This table is based on an extract from the CTF computer system on 18th December 2006, showing vouchers issued and accounts reported as being opened by 17 December.
2. Each account was assigned to its Government Office Region by matching to the May 2006 All Fields Postcode Directory using the address postcode on the CTF system.
3. There were around 24,000 cases where the postcode was missing or could not be matched to the Westminster Parliamentary Constituency or Government Office Region.
4. These figures include vouchers that have not yet been used by parents and have not yet expired.