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**3523. Mr M Bagraim (DA) to ask the Minister of Social Development:**

How many (a) boys and (b) girls were resident at the Don Mattera Child and Youth Care Centre in Edenvale in each month from September 2016 to date? NW3950E

**Reply: (a)** The information below indicates the number of boys resident at Don Mattera Child and Youth Care Centre in each month from September 2016 to date:

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| **Month** | **Number of boys** |
| September 2016 | 35 |
| October 2016 | 36 |
| November 2016 | 38 |
| December 2016 | 38 |
| January 2017 | 37 |
| February 2017 | 42 |
| March 2017 | 42 |
| April 2017 | 42 |
| May 2017 | 37 |
| June 2017 | 41 |
| July 2017 | 39 |
| August 2017 | 36 |
| September 2017 | 27 |
| October 2017 | 27 |
| November 2017 | 27 |

**(b)** The information below indicates the number of girls resident at Don Mattera Child and Youth Care Centre in each month from September 2016 to date:

|  |  |
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| **Month** | **Number of girls** |
| September 2016 | 36 |
| October 2016 | 36 |
| November 2016 | 37 |
| December 2016 | 37 |
| January 2017 | 32 |
| February 2017 | 35 |
| March 2017 | 38 |
| April 2017 | 36 |
| May 2017 | 38 |
| June 2017 | 39 |
| July 2017 | 38 |
| August 2017 | 39 |
| September 2017 | 32 |
| October 2017 | 34 |
| November 2017 | 34 |