

SCHOOLS — LAND SIZE

5887. Mr D.J. Kelly to the Minister representing the Minister for Education:

- (1) what is the standard size of the land necessary for a new metropolitan public primary school up to year 6 and for a public secondary school 7–12 years?
- (2) what is the land size for each of the primary and secondary public schools in the electorate of Bassendean?

Mrs L.M. Harvey replied:

- (1) Since the implementation of Western Australian Planning Commission (WAPC) Policy DC 2.4 in October, 1998, WAPC has adopted the following as a general guide for the desirable size of school sites:

Primary school (Kindergarten – Year 6) – 4 hectares (ha) or 3.5ha if the school site has shared abutting public open space; and

Secondary school (Years 7 – 12) – 10ha.

- (2) Land sizes of existing schools in the electorate of Bassendean are as follows:

School	Site area (hectares)	Date School Established
Anzac Terrace Primary School	4.38	1969
Ashfield Primary School	3.24	1955
Bassendean Primary School	1.86	1906
Beechboro Primary School	3.93	1988
Caversham Primary School	3.96	1904
Cyril Jackson Senior Campus	10.63	1962
East Beechboro Primary School	3.54	1979
Eden Hill Primary School	3.1	1915
Hampton Senior High School	10.89	1966
Kiara College	11.15	1974
Lockridge Primary School	4.21	1971
West Beechboro Primary School	3.99	1992