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[Supplementary Information No. A1]

Hon Alison Xamon asked if the Minister could provide a breakdown of the Local Projects Local Jobs projects being funded.

Answer: See table attached.

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Local Projects Local Jobs Grants administered by the Department of Education (Metropolitan Area)

Recipient of Funds (funds for P&C's paid to school)	Profect Description	Grant Amount
	Support for 10 The Fathering Project groups by way of a \$1,000 grant as seed money to new groups or to go to established groups to run events and activities for children to encourage positive fathering.	11,000
Anne Hamersley Primary School	To improve in-classroom ICT infrastructure, provide a shade sail for early childhood building playground and purchase library books	20,000
Anzac Terrace Primary School	To build a climbing playground for senior students	30,000
Arbor Grove Primary School	Purchase additional playground equipment and shade cloth for the existing junior playground	20,000
Armadale Education Support Centre	Staff room renovations	10,000
Armadale Primary School	Airconditioner for school buildings	10,000
Armadale Primary School	To extend the covered walkway to the undercover area	11,000
Armadale Senior High School	To purchase a computer (GT73VR GRE Titan SL) and virtual reality glasses	26,000
Ashfield Primary School	Installation of solar panels	25,000
Ashfield Primary School	A nature play area for the school, which could also be used by community groups out of school hours	10,000
Ashfield Primary School	To fully enclose the undercover area and build a new stage for assemblies and productions	100,000
Aveley Primary School	Purchase and install shade sails in various places around the school	20,000
Balcatta Primary School	Playground Upgrade	25,000
Baldivis Primary School	To purchase equipment to advance the school's Information and Communications Technology program to provide additional iPads, charging stations, hardware and software to better manage iPads and allow easier administration and expansion of the ICT system through the NDM program	40,000

Recipient of Funds (Gurds for P&Gs paid to school)	Project Description	Grant Almount
Baldivis Secondary College	To purchase an information and display billboard which will keep parents and students informed of school events such as assemblies, fetes and quiz nights as well as reminders to students about sporting events and exams.	50,000
Balga Senior High School	The Department of Health has been working with the Balga Senior High School for over 12 months on an Aboriginal Cultural Garden. The proposal will offer students an opportunity to learn important skills in terms of native plants, garden design and reticulation. The grant will contribute to the development of the area to incorporate a kitchen space in the garden to assist with food preparation.	50,000
Ballajura Community College	To purchase library resources or new playground equipment	20,000
Ballajura Primary School	To purchase library resources or new playground equipment	20,000
Banksia Grove Child And Parent Centre	To purchase library resources or new playground equipment	22,000
Banksia Grove Primary School	To purchase library resources or new playground equipment	20,000
Bannister Creek Primary School	To purchase and plant trees on the school grounds	10,000
Bassendean Primary School	Contribution towards construction of a nature play installation	20,000
Beaumaris Primary School	Shade projects at the school including a shade structure over the Yr 4/5/6 Playground	40,000
Beechboro Christian School	Nature playground and library resources	22,000
Beechboro Primary School	To replace existing out-dated play equipment and to provide a safer play experience for students	30,000
Beldon Primary School	To purchase smart boards, additional resources in the classroom and towards an equipment upgrade in the canteen.	40,000
Belmay Primary School	For hard cover for the junior play areas to provide protection from all weather conditions AND utilise remaining funds for nature playground	50,000
Belmont City College	To upgrade the toilets and change room facilities in the gym	80,000
Belmont Primary School	Upgrades to the netball courts	50,000
Bertram Primary School	To complete stage one of the nature plan facility planned	50,000
Bibra Lake Primary School	A shade structure over the playground	50,000

Recipient of Funds (funds for P&Cs paid to school)	Project Description	Grant Amount
Bicton Primary School	To resurface two basketball courts and build shade cover for oval play areas	110,000
Bullsbrook College	Shade and Shelter project	20,000
Cannington Community College	To install a sound wall in the arts centre that will allow the use of the music room at the same time as the adjoining class room	70,000
Caralee Community School	Construction of a Nature Play area	50,000
Carlisle Primary School	Nature Playground	50,000
Caversham Primary School	To purchase library resources or new playground equipment	20,000
Cecil Andrews College	Establishment of TV Studio	26,000
Cecil Andrews College	To support the Follow the Dream program	3,000
Challis Community Primary School	Contributions to mini-basketball courts	10,000
Chidlow Primary School	To purchase a stage for class assembly/school events, and play equipment including a rope frame and ladders and soft fall ground matt	20,000
Cloverdale Primary School	To establish two nature play areas	50,000
Comet Care School	Comet is an independent CaRE school for students - this grant will allow greater resources at the school and increased enrolment for those in need.	55,000
Connolly Primary School	To purchase new smart boards, 3D printers and establish two nature play areas	40,000
Coolbellup Community School	For a second Basketball court at the school to accommodate more students	60,000
Coolbinia Primary School	To assist with school maintenance and bushland management	50,000
furrambine Primary School	To construct a memorial for Remembrance Day and ANZAC Day.	50,000
ale Christian School	Outside seating for students and upgrade of IT server and WIFI access points.	11,000
ianella Heights Primary School	Toilet upgrade	60,000
ianella Primary College	To upgrade, replace and purchase new ICT resources.	10,000
ianella Secondary College	Funds to upgrade STEM learning spaces and assist in rebranding to Dianella SC (new signs, upgraded entry etc.)	80,000
Ourham Road School	To purchase a wheelchair accessible merry go round to complement their specialised playground equipment	10,000

Recipient of Punds (funds for P&C's paid to school)	Project Description	6.40
East Beechboro Primary School	To provide additional shade structures and to provide additional seating for students in the lunch area	Grant Amount 30,000
East Hamersley Primary School	Playground upgrade	25,000
East Kenwick Primary School	Resurface the basketball courts	40,000
East Victoria Park Primary School	Allocation to contribute to building of Early Childhood Playground	20,000
Eastern Hills Senior High School	To purchase specifically cushioned seating booths and tables which is part of the ongoing renovation and upgrade of the Library	20,000
Eden Hill Primary School	Shade cover for two play areas	40,000
Edney Primary School	Air-conditioning for Building the Education Revolution (BER) Assembly area, Music Equipment and cover for Basketball area	50,000
Ellen Stirling Primary School	Provide Shade and structures over play equipment in kindy, pre-primary, junior and senior play areas to provide sun protection for 800+ students.	25,000
Ellenbrook Primary School	To provide shade to the nature playground for kindy and pre-primary students and towards the development of an Anzac Day commemorative garden	20,000
Ellenbrook Secondary College	Money to go towards building a brick wall to enclose the playground. The wall will feature artwork and interactive mediums.	20,000
Embleton Primary School	New playground equipment and landscaping for the school's oval. The project includes the installation of a rope gym with a fireman pole, an obstacle course and a balance beam. Landscaping elements to be included in this project consist of limestone placement and softfall mulch.	30,000
Gidgegannup Primary School	To update the fundraising catering equipment - BBQ, handle trolley, eski, gazebo, storage container, Urn, Coffee Machine and to establish and develop a nature playground to including shrubs, rocks, piles of wood, creating a natural environment for play time.	20,000
Glendale Primary School	Playground Upgrade	25,000
Good Shepherd Catholic School	Funding towards a nature playground for the junior students.	11,000
Grovelands Primary School	Contribution to multi-play court resurfacing	18,000

Recipient of Funds (funds for P&Cis paid to school)	Project Description	Grent Amount
Gwynne Park Education Support Centre	Contribution to outdoor classroom	10,000
Gwynne Park Primary School	Native Playground	11,000
Halidon Primary School	Foyer and administration redevelopment	150,000
Hampton Park Primary School	To provide a nature play area and provide shade sails and seating for students	25,000
Hampton Senior High School	To create a STEM room and set up an ICT Aboriginal Excel Program	160,000
Hampton Senior High School	The canteen facilities at Hampton Senior High School are very out-dated (more than 50 years old). The upgrade will expand the food preparation area which will give students greater options for lunch.	20,000
Harrisdale Primary School	To purchase 4 new shade covers	224,300
Hawker Park Primary School	Supply and installation of nature play musical wall	3,500
Heathridge Primary School	For playground upgrades including softfall and/or nature play	40,000
Helena College	For the Glen Forrest campus to purchase and install up to three cricket practice nets with synthetic sports turf	33,000
Herne Hill Primary School	To purchase library resources or new playground equipment	20,000
Highgate Primary School	Provision of new lawn and reticulation for play area	15,000
Hudson Park Primary School	Re-surfacing of netball courts at Hudson Park Primary School	15,000
Huntingdale Primary School	Nature play ground	40,000
Jarrahdale Primary School	Redevelopment of school entrance and pre-kindy playspace	10,000
John Wollaston Anglican Community School	Creation of a native playground	11,000
Kalamunda Senior High School	To resurface the tennis and basketball courts	250,000
Kalamunda Senior High School Education Support Centre	Repurpose of funds away from multipurpose hall to purpose-built area outside new demountable and veranda renovations.	30,000
Kardinya Primary School	Upgrade to the school library	50,000
Kelmscott Primary School	Modify part of the administration block	10,000
Kelmscott Senior High School	Resurfacing of the Pries Centre (Outdoor assembly area)	26,000
Kewdale Primary School	To create a small nature play area	50,000
Kiara College	Upgrade and fit-out existing science labs at the school	150,000

Recipient of Funds (funds for P&C's paid to school)	Project Description	Ghan-G A
Kingsley Primary School	Student toilets upgrade	Grant Amount
Kinross College	Purchase a new bus	10,000
Kinross Primary School	Construction of a nature playground	70,000
Kyilla Primary School	To construct a new nature playground on the school grounds	50,000
Lockridge Primary School	Provide shade for the senior playground. Provide security fencing along a	100,000
	school boundary that adjoins a vacant block. Bike track for the early childhood area.	10,000
Lockridge Primary School	Replacement of junior play area	30,000
Lumen Christi College	New cafeteria space	22,000
Makybe Rise Primary School	Remove a demountable and construct a nature playground in its place	50,000
Malvern Springs Primary School	Purchase oscillating and exhaust fans for undercover area and a running track around school oval	20,000
Mary Mackillop Catholic Community School	Nature playground and library resources	22,000
Melville Primary School	Refurbish classrooms affected by recent fires and replace equipment	100,000
Middle Swan Primary School	To install a fence around the oval is address the concerns about drug	25,000
	paraphernalia, broken glass and other dangerous items found on the oval	23,000
Morley Primary School	Upgrade, replace and purchase additional ICT items	10,000
Morley Primary School	Upgrades to kindy area and Canteen	8,500
Mount Hawthorn Primary School	Second stage improvements to the sporting field	50,000
Mount Helena Primary School	Provide a cricket wicket and cricket pitch nets on the primary school oval. Artwork design on school building walls for the school "leader in me" program	20,000
Mount Lawley Primary School	Assist the school in purchasing specialist equipment to expand the specialist program of teaching robotics in the class room	20,000
Neerigen Brook Primary School	Native playground	10,000
Nollamara Primary School	Nature Playground for local school	60,000
Noranda Primary School	Shade sails to cover play equipment in Early Childhood Centre	20,000
North Parmelia Primary School	Repair and upgrades to existing facilities	20,000

Recipient of Funds (funds for P&Cs paid to school)	Project Description	Grand Amound
North Perth Primary School	Extension of the North Perth Primary School Undercover Area.	450,000
Osborne Primary School	Playground upgrade	25,000
Palmyra Primary School	Installation of solar panels to become a carbon neutral school	50,000
Palmyra Primary School	\$10 000 for a nature playground in the new ECE building area. \$5000 to the Kitchen Garden Program. \$15 000 for the seating and tables for the students along with a few café blinds outside the canteen	30,000
Palmyra Primary School	To purchase more ICT equipment	
Pioneer Village School	Reading books and shelving.	20,000
Poseidon Primary School	Nature Playground and new library books	5,500 40,000
Redcliffe Primary School	Redcliffe Primary School would like a cover for one of the netball courts for weather protection.	50,000
Rivergums Primary School	A grant of \$40,000 to the Rivergums Primary School P and C. This grant would be for air conditioning to be installed in the undercover assembly area. This would include air conditioners, metal ducting work and outlets. Approval from DPC to utilise remaining funds to purchase storage shed.	40,000
Riverlands Montessori School	Nature playground and library resources	22,000
Rivervale Primary School	Previously submitted - upgraded to match other school funding Rivervale Primary School would like an upgrade to their play equipment including a slide and Table Tennis Table.	50,000
Salvado Catholic College	Nature Playground and Shade Sails	11,000
Samson Primary School	Upgrade to the existing canteen area and other school facilities	50,000
Serpentine Primary School	Purchase of Ipads	10,000
Servite College	Development of student social areas	44,000
Settlers Primary School	Resurfacing of the school undercover area	25,000
Settlers Primary School	To purchase an information and display billboard	25,000
Sir David Brand School	To provide for learning equipment upgrade	50,000
South Ballajura Education Support Centre	To purchase library resources or new playground equipment	20,000

Recipient of Funds (funds for P&Os paid to school)	Project Description	Great Amount
South Ballajura Primary School	Purchase 2x Prowise Interactive TVs for classrooms (\$12000) and a teaching block of three rooms carpet replacement (\$8000).	20,000
South Lake Primary School	Upgrades to school facilities	50,000
St Helena's Catholic Primary School	Purchase and install shade sail over the nature playground	22,000
St John Paul II Catholic Primary School	Nature playground and library resources	22,000
St Kieran Catholic Primary School	Playground upgrade	27,500
St Lawrence Primary School	Playground Upgrade	27,500
St Michael's School	Nature playground	11,000
Sutherland Dianella Primary School	To assist with maintenance backlog and as needed minor repairs	50,000
Swan Christian College	Nature playground and library resources	22,000
Swan Valley Anglican Community School	Purchase early childhood play equipment (indoor) and furniture for school use	22,000
Takari Primary School	Playground Upgrade	25,000
Tapping Primary School	Further funding for the Undercover area that was included in the Education package (\$200,000)	175,000
Tranby College	A grant to the P & F for the part-funding of a nature play facility. Tranby P & F has been working on plans for and has costed the total project at around \$100,000. This grant would substantially assist the student body in providing a nature playground.	55,000
Treetops Montessori School	Create an extended play space, consisting of decking area and sand pit for early childhood and playgroup children \$20,000 Create a nature play and edible fruits garden play area \$10,000	33,000
Tuart Hill Primary School	Court resurfacing	25,000
Tuart Rise Primary School	Provision of enclosures for two existing bike racks and an enclosure for a new bike rack at the school's Early Learning Centre	25,000
Upper Swan Primary School	Electronic sign board at the front of the school	20,000
Waikiki Primary School	To provide permanent fixed outdoor seating and tables for use by Year Six students and to purchase and plant mature shade trees to provide shade and increase the comfort of those using the facility	15,000

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Walliston Primary School	Court and oval maintenance	30,000
Wanneroo Secondary College	A 12-seater minibus (A Toyota Automatic Commuter Bus) to enable the school to drive around small groups, especially the education support group.	70,000
Warwick Senior High School	To create a new Entry Statement for Warwick Senior High School	10,000
Warwick Senior High School	Relining of swimming pool	150,000
Wattle Grove Primary School	The development of Park'n'Ride verge parking bays on St John Road	150,000
Weld Square Primary School	Install a nature playground for students and to be used as an outdoor classroom	60,000
West Balcatta Primary School	Playground Upgrade	25,000
West Beechboro Primary School	Creation of a pitstop playground will help children from diverse backgrounds to learn about road safety in a fun environment	23,000
West Morley Primary School	To assist with school maintenance.	50,000
Westfield Park Primary School	Renovate and upgrade to the STEM room	10,700
Willandra Primary School	Purchase and establishment of Boys' shed	10,000
Woodland Grove Primary School	Funding for school P&C	10,000
Woodvale Primary School	Supply and installation of nature play musical wall	3,500
Wooroloo Primary School	Playground Shade and upgrade	20,000
Xavier Catholic School	Patio shade construction, fitness and sporting equipment.	11,000

Local Projects Local Jobs Grants administered by the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development (Regional Areas) – Educational purpose

Recipient of Funds (funds for P&C's paid to school)	Project Description	Grant Amount (\$)
Albany PCYC	New telephone and computer systems, replacement of ageing CCTV cameras with digital ones.	30,000
Albany Primary School	Upgrade to senior playground with new equipment	11,000
Albany Senior High School	New secure bike storage area	25,000
Allanson Primary School	Water pump for reticulation from water tank for gardens	30,000
Allendale Primary School	Enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff	15,000
Amaroo Primary School	Development of an outdoor learning environment	20,000
Balingup Primary School	Shade shelter	7,000
Bayulu Remote Community School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	5,000
Beachlands Primary School	Enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff	15,000
Birlirr Ngawiyiwu Catholic School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment (to be discussed between P&C's and parents)	5,000
Bluff Point Primary School	Enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff	15,000
Boyanup Primary School	Upgrade to facilities	10,000
Bremer Bay Primary School	Development of a new oval to enable a 100 or 400m running track	50,000
Broome North Primary School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	5,000
Capel Primary School	Upgrade of existing car park	100,000
Carey Park Primary School	To support the purchase of a large outdoor TV to be used for community sing-alongs and large group exercise classes. To be installed in the school assembly area to enable participatory activities involving not just students but also parents and other community members	2,000
Christ The King Catholic School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment (to be discussed between P&C's and parents)	5,000
Dardanup Primary School	New car park	60,000

Recipient of Funds (funds for P&C's paid to school)	Project Description	Grant Amount (\$)
Dawul Remote Community School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	5,000
Djugerari Remote Community School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	5,000
Donnybrook District High School	Bus to transport students	50,000
Fairview Primary School	To be confirmed	20,000
Flinders Park Primary School	To finish the outfitting of the assembly hall	30,000
Flinders Park Primary School	Establishment of a nature playground	30,000
Geraldton Flexible Learning Centre	To enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff.	5,000
Geraldton Grammar School	To enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff.	10,000
Geraldton Primary School	Enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff	15,000
Geraldton Senior College	Enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff	30,000
Geraldton University Centre Audio Integration System	Funding for the purchase of an improved audio integration system and software to enable web conferencing for students who are studying remotely to access lectures and tutorials held at the Geraldton University Centre.	25,000
Holland Street School	Enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff	5,000
Holy Rosary School Derby	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment (to be discussed between P&C's and parents)	5,000
Jerramungup District High School	Establishment of a nature playground	10,000
Jigalong Remote Community School	Library resources or new playground equipment	10,000
John Pujajangka-Piyirn Catholic School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment (to be discussed between P&C's and parents)	5,000
John Willcock College	Enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff	30,000

Recipient of Funds (funds for P&C's paid to school)	Project Description	Grant Amount (\$)
Jungdranung Remote Community School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	5,000
Kalumburu Remote Community School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	5,000
Kirup Primary School	Purchase ICT-laptops and i-pads	10,000
Kururrungka Catholic Education Centre	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment (to be discussed between P&C's and parents)	5,000
La Grange Remote Community School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	5,000
Leaning Tree Community School	To enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff.	5,000
Little Grove Primary School	Establishment of an integrated nature play area	64,000
Looma Remote Community School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	5,000
Luurnpa Catholic School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment (to be discussed between P&C's and parents)	5,000
Marble Bar Primary School	Library resources or new playground equipment	10,000
Mount Lockyer Primary School	Purchase and installation of two practice cricket pitches and nets	20,000
Mount Manypeaks Primary School	Establishment of a nature playground	32,000
Mount Tarcoola Primary School	Enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff	15,000
Muludja Remote Community School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	5,000
Nagle Catholic College	To enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff.	10,000
Ngalangangpum School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment (to be discussed between P&C's and parents)	5,000
Ngalapita Remote Community School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	5,000
North Albany Senior High School	Purchase of Solar PV panels to generate power to the high school and Albany Secondary Education Support Centre	60,000
Nullagine Primary School	Library resources or new playground equipment	10,000

Recipient of Funds (funds for P&C's paid to school)	Project Description	Grant Amount (\$)
One Arm Point Remote Community School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	
Parngurr Remote School	Library resources and updated computing equipment at Parngurr Remote School	10,000
Port Hedland School Of The Air	Library resources or new playground equipment	10,000
Punmu Remote School	Library resources and updated computing equipment at Punmu Remote School	10,000
Rangeway Primary School	Enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff	15,000
River Valley Primary School	Upgrade outdoor undercover area and contribution to uniform expenditure	10,000
Sacred Heart School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment (to be discussed between P&C's and parents)	5,000
Spencer Park Primary School	Nature playground, replacement of standing baseball hoops, upgrade to junior primary playground	60,000
St Brigid's Primary School	Nature playground	3,000
St Francis Xavier Primary School	To enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff.	5,000
St John's School	To enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff.	5,000
St Lawrence's School	To enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff.	5,000
Strathalbyn Christian College	To enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff.	10,000
Strelley Community School	Library resources and updated computing equipment at Strelley Community School	10,000
Waggrakine Primary School	Enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff	15,000
Walkaway Primary School	Enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff	5,000
Wanalirri Catholic School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment (to be discussed between P&C's and parents)	5,000
Wananami Remote Community School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	5,000

Recipient of Funds (funds for P&C's paid to school)	Project Description	Grant Amount (\$)
Wandina Primary School	Enable the purchase of IT related capital improvements or professional development for staff	15,000
Wangkatjungka Remote Community School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment	5,000
Warlawurru Catholic School	Kitchen facilities, library books, sporting equipment (to be discussed between P&C's and parents)	5,000
Wellstead Primary School	Construction of an outdoor presentation area	10,000
Wilson Park Primary School	Fencing for oval	20,000
Yakamia Primary School	Climbing structure for upper primary students	10,000
Yandeyarra Remote Community School	Library resources or new playground equipment	10,000

Total \$1,249,000

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[Supplementary Information No. A2]

Hon Colin de Grussa asked to be provided with information about the proportion of students in both public and non-government schools receiving the boarding away from home allowance who are attending regional residential colleges versus schools in Perth.

Answer: In 2016, of the students who received the Boarding Away from Home Allowance, 47% (736.25 students) boarded in regional Western Australia, with 567.25 students attending public schools and 169 attending non-government schools. Conversely, 53% of students (819.75 students) boarded in the metropolitan area, with 81 students attending public schools and 738.75 attending non-government schools.

Numbers may be fractional for one of two reasons: a student might have boarded for only part of the year; or a student may have moved between a public and a non-government school within a single year. For example, a student boarding for the full year at a residential college may have attended a public school for one term, and then moved to a non-government school with a boarding facility for three terms, so would have been applied as 0.25 for public and 0.75 for non-government.

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[Supplementary Information No. A3]

Hon Donna Faragher asked for a list of the current number of permanent employees requiring placement with a breakdown of the current number in primary and secondary schools and their positions.

Answer:

a) Permanent employees requiring placement at 30 September 2017

Staff Category	Hendeound	inie
Teachers	237	199.78
School Psychologists		
School Administrators	28	28
Education Assistants	124	68.86
School Support Staff (other)	35	17.72
Central/Regional Office	4	4
TOTAL	428	318.36

b) Permanent teachers requiring placement – primary and secondary – as at 30 September 2017

Primary/Secondary	Headcount	FTE
Primary*	155	132.18
Secondary	82	67.6
TOTAL	237	199.78

^{*}Includes primary teachers not located in a primary school (e.g. in a district high school)

c) Permanent teachers requiring placement by position title/subject area as at 30 September 2017

Subject Areas	Headcount	FTE
Art	6	4.9
Business Education/Computing	9	7.6
Career and Vocational Education	1	0.6
Design and Technology	5	4.8
Early Childhood Education	23	21.3
Education Support	4	3.6
English	7	6.2
Home Economics	4	2.4
Language other than English	15	7.71
Mathematics	5	4.6
Music	1	0.5
Physical Education	14	11.4
Primary	120	104.97
Science	10	8.6
Secondary Generalist	2	2
Society and Environment	11	8.6
TOTAL	237	199.78

Permanent teachers requiring placement by primary and secondary schools, and position title/subject area as at 30 September 2017

Primary/Secondary	Subject Area	Headcount	FTE
Primary*	Early Childhood Education	23	21.3
	Education Support	1	1
	Language other than English	11	4.91
	Primary	120	104.97
Primary Total		155	132.18
	Art	6	4.9
	Business Education/Computing	9	7.6
	Career and Vocational Education	1	0.6
	Design and Technology	5	4.8
	Education Support	3	2.6
	English	7	6.2
Secondary	Home Economics	4	2.4
	Language other than English	4	2.8
	Mathematics	5	4.6
	Music	1	0.5
	Physical Education	14	11.4
	Science	10	8.6
	Secondary Generalist	2	2
	Society and Environment	11	8.6
Secondary Total		82	67.6
TOTAL		237	199.78

^{*}Includes primary teachers not located in a primary school (e.g. in a district high school)



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[Supplementary Information No. A4]

Hon Martin Aldridge asked whether there was anything the state could do to try and resolve the issue of regional schools being unable to access funding as, because of religious requirements, they cannot attract a chaplain.

Answer: Under the current arrangements for both the Commonwealth and State-funded in-school chaplaincy programs, schools are limited to purchasing the services of a qualified school chaplain. The nature of the chaplaincy services to be provided, including the religious affiliation of the school chaplain, is decided by the school and its community.

Schools funded under the In School State Funded Chaplaincy Program (ISSFCP) are currently required to employ chaplains who meet the requirements stipulated by the Commonwealth, as the original intent of the ISSFCP was to expand the number of schools funded under the Commonwealth program. The State program was modelled on the Commonwealth program.

It is acknowledged that regional and remote schools may find it difficult to attract a chaplain; attracting suitably qualified secular personnel to provide a pastoral care service would also be a challenge in these locations.

There are ways to address demand for chaplaincy services in remote and regional locations built into the current agreement with YouthCARE. These include itinerant chaplains and fly-in-fly-out support chaplains.

Agreements for both the Commonwealth and State funded in-school chaplaincy programs expire at the end of 2018. The option for schools to choose a chaplain or a secular pastoral care service can be considered in planning for the State-funded component of this service for 2019 and beyond.

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