

**Senate Committee: Education and Employment**

**QUESTION ON NOTICE  
Additional Estimates 2016 - 2017**

**Outcome: Agency: ACARA**

**Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000265**

Senator Hanson-Young, Sarah provided in writing

*Also refer to previous hearing Question No. SQ16-000860*

***ACARA - Index of Community Socio-Educational Advantage (ICSEA) bands - funding***

**Question**

Please provide the following funding figures for Government, Catholic and Independent schools in each of the following ICSEA bands for 2013 to 2016 - under 800; 800-849; 850-999; 900-949; 950-999; 1000-1049; 1050-1099; 1100-1149; 1150-1199; 1200+:

- a) Average Australian Government recurrent funding per student
- b) Average state/territory government recurrent funding per student
- c) Average income from fees, charges and parent contributions per student
- d) Average income from other sources per student
- e) Total average gross recurrent income per student
- f) Total average net recurrent income per student

**Answer**

*The Australian Curriculum Assessment & Reporting Authority (ACARA) has provided the following response:*

See Attachments A and B. Please note that 2016 finance data will be available in March 2018. We have assumed that the reference to the '850-999' ICSEA band was meant to be '850-899'.

The 2013 data are not currently available in a format that would allow for this analysis to be undertaken. To prepare the data and undertake this analysis would involve an unreasonable diversion of resources from ACARA's core work.

**Attachment A**

**2014 aggregate funding figures by sector and ICSEA band (\$AUD per student)**

Sector	ICSEA Band	Average Australian Government recurrent funding per student	Average state/territory government recurrent funding per student	Average income from fees, charges and parent contributions per student	Average income from other private sources per student	Average total gross income per student	Average total net recurrent income per student
Government	Under 800	4,641	16,847	180	466	22,133	22,116
Government	800-849	3,145	13,871	245	197	17,458	17,425
Government	850-899	2,855	12,228	251	202	15,535	15,519
Government	900-949	2,443	10,904	292	208	13,846	13,801
Government	950-999	2,084	9,762	394	220	12,461	12,441
Government	1000-1049	1,853	8,904	472	220	11,449	11,438
Government	1050-1099	1,746	8,375	675	217	11,013	10,986
Government	1100-1149	1,608	7,906	726	260	10,499	10,466
Government	1150-1199	1,538	7,496	813	287	10,134	10,089
Government	1200+	1,838	9,957	1,608	535	13,937	13,856
Catholic	Under 800	22,625	4,473	2,032	1,273	30,403	29,160
Catholic	800-849	12,006	2,243	567	652	15,469	15,134
Catholic	850-899	13,434	3,233	1,627	761	19,054	18,462
Catholic	900-949	10,080	2,790	2,082	486	15,437	14,628
Catholic	950-999	8,767	2,622	2,050	448	13,886	13,155
Catholic	1000-1049	7,916	2,483	2,608	496	13,502	12,705
Catholic	1050-1099	7,042	2,243	3,368	570	13,223	12,177
Catholic	1100-1149	6,467	2,161	4,018	572	13,218	12,329
Catholic	1150-1199	5,739	1,840	8,218	1,236	17,033	15,129
Catholic	1200+	6,408	2,025	2,952	1,138	12,522	11,662
Independent	Under 800	21,887	4,075	1,740	2,020	29,722	29,660
Independent	800-849	19,707	3,683	1,499	1,665	26,555	24,830
Independent	850-899	10,323	3,208	1,792	864	16,187	16,106
Independent	900-949	9,224	2,885	2,188	645	14,942	14,311
Independent	950-999	8,762	3,044	2,635	684	15,125	14,362
Independent	1000-1049	7,518	2,503	3,659	876	14,557	13,524
Independent	1050-1099	6,824	2,205	5,996	514	15,540	14,054
Independent	1100-1149	5,763	1,857	11,603	1,141	20,364	17,940
Independent	1150-1199	3,707	1,331	20,202	1,845	27,085	23,889
Independent	1200+	2,816	1,455	22,832	2,733	29,836	25,683

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Sector	ICSEA Band	Average Australian Government recurrent funding per student	Average state/territory government recurrent funding per student	Average income from fees, charges and parent contributions per student	Average income from other private sources per student	Average total gross income per student	Average total net recurrent income per student
Government	Under 800	4,398	17,910	160	449	22,918	22,902
Government	800–849	3,351	14,764	243	187	18,544	18,514
Government	850–899	3,002	12,835	289	256	16,383	16,366
Government	900–949	2,568	11,159	317	205	14,249	14,205
Government	950–999	2,226	9,929	413	221	12,788	12,765
Government	1000–1049	2,019	9,034	508	229	11,789	11,778
Government	1050–1099	1,838	8,460	704	228	11,229	11,202
Government	1100–1149	1,756	8,087	805	259	10,907	10,880
Government	1150–1199	1,674	7,591	855	305	10,424	10,374
Government	1200+	1,928	9,519	1,767	490	13,703	13,606
Catholic	Under 800	27,350	5,039	2,641	2,742	37,773	35,331
Catholic	800–849	18,512	4,604	618	1,054	24,788	24,502
Catholic	850–899	14,229	3,631	1,607	947	20,415	19,894
Catholic	900–949	11,259	3,493	1,682	685	17,119	16,444
Catholic	950–999	9,597	2,901	2,193	510	15,200	14,405
Catholic	1000–1049	8,350	2,559	2,709	471	14,090	13,229
Catholic	1050–1099	7,371	2,263	3,594	533	13,761	12,752
Catholic	1100–1149	6,717	2,145	4,151	573	13,586	12,559
Catholic	1150–1199	6,017	1,846	8,188	1,921	17,971	15,209
Catholic	1200+	6,526	1,979	3,081	663	12,248	11,563
Independent	Under 800	23,708	4,298	1,643	1,280	30,929	30,562
Independent	800–849	-	-	-	-	-	-
Independent	850–899	10,553	2,851	1,929	619	15,952	15,779
Independent	900–949	9,839	3,102	2,025	867	15,833	15,008
Independent	950–999	8,589	2,773	3,571	571	15,503	14,630
Independent	1000–1049	8,103	2,729	3,586	656	15,074	14,128
Independent	1050–1099	7,173	2,303	6,291	587	16,353	14,921
Independent	1100–1149	6,070	1,982	11,955	946	20,952	18,623
Independent	1150–1199	3,941	1,387	20,628	1,725	27,681	24,547
Independent	1200+	2,940	1,450	23,802	2,458	30,650	26,305

NB: There were no independent schools with an ICSEA score between 800 and 849 in 2015