

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

**QUESTION ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2017 - 2018**

Outcome: Schools and Youth

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000669

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Calls to schools

Question

Senator Birmingham: I have phoned some schools, yes.

Senator JACINTA COLLINS: Which schools have you phoned?

Senator PATERSON: What a remarkably hands-on approach. Congratulations, Minister.

Senator Birmingham: I would have to take that on notice. There have been a few.

Senator JACINTA COLLINS: What is a few? Is that five or is that 100?

Senator Birmingham: It is not hundreds, but there have been a few where there has been contact made. I will take it on notice.

Answer

The Minister regularly speaks with principals and parents from schools across Australia.