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Proposals for a new funding model - Gonski

Question

Has the Department conducted any assessment of the impact that funding delivered under the 'Gonski model' has had on educational outcomes?

- If so, how has that assessment been conducted?
- What indicators are used?

Answer

The Department of Education and Training assesses the National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) results and other information provided on *My School*, including financial information as well as other benchmark measures such as Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study (TIMSS) and the Programme for International Student Assessment (PISA), to examine changes in student outcomes.