

## EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

### SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2006-2007 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

**Outcome:** 1  
**Output Group:** 1.1 – Funding for Schools

#### DEST Question No. E305\_07

Senator Wong provided in writing.

#### Question:

Please provide detailed information of grants that have been approved under the Investing in our schools program in 2005 and 2006 (to date), under the following headings:

- a. Government, Catholic and independent schools separately
- b. State and territory
- c. School
- d. Federal electorate
- e. Amount of grant
- f. Brief description of project
- g. Other information as appropriate

#### Answer:

##### *Grant information*

The Non Government school (Catholic and Independent schools) element of the IOSP has not made any public announcements of projects approved in 2006, therefore the answers below only relate to 2005 projects announced as approved for the non government sector. For this programme DEST does not distinguish between Catholic and Independent schools and classes both only as Non Government schools. The answers below are as at 1 June 2006 and are shown in millions (\$'000,000).

- A. Total Government school grants approved - \$329.8m  
Total Non government school grants approved - \$71.2m  
Total School Grants approved - \$401.0m
- B. State and territory break up:

	Government Schools \$m	Non Government Schools \$m	Total \$m
ACT	7.5	1.7	9.2
NSW	107.5	23.7	131.2
NT	6.6	0.5	7.1
QLD	58.1	14.9	73.0
SA	8.3	5.6	13.9
TAS	10.0	1.4	11.5
VIC	97.2	17.6	114.8
WA	34.4	5.8	40.2
Total	329.8	71.2	401.0

C. to F. - Please see the websites –

Government Schools -

[http://www.dest.gov.au/sectors/school\\_education/programmes\\_funding/general\\_funding/capital\\_grants/iios/2005\\_approved\\_grants.htm](http://www.dest.gov.au/sectors/school_education/programmes_funding/general_funding/capital_grants/iios/2005_approved_grants.htm)

Non Government Schools –

[http://www.dest.gov.au/sectors/school\\_education/programmes\\_funding/general\\_funding/capital\\_grants/iios/2005\\_approved\\_grants\\_nongov.htm](http://www.dest.gov.au/sectors/school_education/programmes_funding/general_funding/capital_grants/iios/2005_approved_grants_nongov.htm)