

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2010-2011**

Outcome 2 - Schools

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Senator Mason provided in writing.

Question

SCHOOL EDUCATION FUNDING

Budget Paper No. 1 (BP1) explains (on p. 6-17) that the major components of the line item 'School education – specific funding' in Table 7, Statement 6 (p. 6-15), are the Digital Education Revolution, Universal Access to Early Childhood Education, Trade Training Centres and Closing the Gap elements. Is it possible to get a complete listing of what programs are included in this line item, with their funding and where relevant, with the funding disaggregated by government and non-government sector?

Answer

The Department of Finance and Deregulation and the Department of Treasury have provided the following breakdown of the line item 'School education – specific funding' in Table 7 of Budget Paper No. 1.

School Education - specific funding	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14
<i>\$million</i>					
National Partnership Payments - School Education					
Digital Education Revolution	161.3	63.0	126.0	126.0	126.0
Early childhood education - universal access to early childhood	88.5	97.0	297.0	447.0	460.4
Trade training centres in schools	371.1	100.2	158.2	164.9	171.8
Closing the Gap - Northern Territory					
<i>Teacher housing</i>	11.0	-	-	-	-
<i>Quality teaching, accelerated literacy</i>	15.7	16.3	12.3	-	-
<i>Supporting remote schools - additional teachers</i>	17.7	29.2	32.3	12.4	-
East Kimberley development package - education related payments	26.7	27.5	4.2	-	-
Fort Street High School - noise insulation	4.0	6.0	4.5	-	-
School pathways program	2.3	0.9	1.9	1.7	1.3
Payments to the States (Schools - Non-Government)					
National Partnership payments					
Digital Education Revolution	75.0	37.0	74.0	74.0	74.0
Trade training centres in schools	105.9	42.9	105.5	109.9	114.5
Youth attainment and transitions -					
<i>Maximising engagement, attain & Transitions</i>	18.8	37.5	37.5	37.5	18.8
<i>Year 12 attainment and transition</i>	-	-	50.0	-	50.0
Other payments not made to State/Territories	560.2	472.6	349.2	442.3	353.9
Total	1,458.1	930.2	1,252.6	1,415.7	1,370.7

Source: Department of Treasury and Department of Finance and Deregulation