



## EXPENDITURE ON EDUCATION AUSTRALIA 1980-81

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NOTE: From 1 July 1979 outlay on education by the Northern Territory Government and Northern Territory local authorities is included with statistics for State and local governments. Prior to that time outlay on education in the Northern Territory, formed part of Commonwealth Government outlay on education.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

### General

The aim of this publication is to provide information on the extent and direction of both government and private expenditure on education in recent years. The figures have been compiled in accordance with national accounting concepts. For explanation of these concepts reference should be made to the explanatory notes given in *Australian National Accounts: Concepts, Sources and Methods* (5216.0) and *Commonwealth Government Finance, Australia* (5502.0).

2. The emphasis given in this publication to the outlays of the public sector reflects in part the relative importance of that sector in the provision of education services, but is also a reflection of lack of detailed information relating to educational activities in the private sector. Information is given, however, to show the order of magnitude of private sector spending, and also to show aggregate supply of education services and facilities.

### Total expenditure on education

3. Total expenditure on education can be measured by adding to the outlay by the public sector private final expenditure on education less transfers from the public sector. Alternatively, it may be measured by adding together the final expenditures of both sectors. Both approaches involve netting out the public authority transfers to the private sector. However, they provide different measures of the public sector's contribution to the financing of education, either the public sector's total outlay on education or its final expenditure on education. The public sector's total outlay on education does not represent precisely the amount of final educational expenditures which it finances directly and indirectly. This is mainly because a substantial part of the transfers from the public sector to the private sector, which are paid for the purpose of facilitating education, are not intended to be spent on educational services by the private sector. For example, living allowances paid to university and college students would be spent on food, clothing, transport, rent, etc. rather than on educational services. Similarly the public sector's final expenditure on education does not represent precisely the amount of final educational services which it finances directly and indirectly because some private expenditure on educational services is financed by transfers from the public sector.

4. Because a substantial part of the transfers from the public sector to the private sector for educational purposes are in the nature of living allowances, the difference between private sector final expenditure on educational services and transfers from the public sector does not represent the expenditure on educational services which the private sector finances from its own resources. This is especially so since payments to student teachers have been classified as transfers and living allowances paid to other university and college students have increased in significance.

5. The figure derived for total expenditure on education can be regarded as a measure of the aggregate supply of education services and facilities and can therefore be related to the supply of goods and services available from domestic production (i.e. gross domestic product). Final consumption expenditure and capital expenditure on education, by sector, can also be related to the gross domestic product. In addition, public sector outlay on education can be related to the gross domestic product. These relationships are shown in Table 1.

### Private expenditure on education

6. Final expenditure on education by the private sector consists of private final consumption expenditure on education services, and expenditure on new fixed assets—mainly by private non-profit organisations, and financed in part by grants from general government for private capital purposes. These grants are treated as transfers rather than final expenditure of general government as with the current grants, and are recorded as a source of funds for capital formation in the national capital account. This treatment has been adopted because of the difficulty of separating capital formation by private non-profit organisations from total private capital formation. The alternative treatment would be to regard these grants as final (capital) expenditure of general government.

7. Private final consumption expenditure on education services is an estimate of fees paid by persons to government schools (mainly technical and agricultural colleges), fees and gifts to universities and school fees (other than boarding fees) paid to independent schools, business colleges, etc. Expenditure on such items as school books, uniforms, etc. and expenditure by parents' associations on school equipment is not included, being treated in the Australian National Accounts as private final consumption expenditure on other goods and services (such as clothing, books, household durables, etc.). Private gross fixed capital expenditure in the field of education is estimated from statistics of the value of work done on new building and major additions to buildings of private educational institutions.

### Government outlay on education

8. The figures presented here are essentially a reclassification of the 'conventional' accounts of public authorities engaged in providing education services that appear in budget documents, or Annual Reports. Two basic classification schemes—economic type and purpose—are used to reclassify the conventional accounts into a national accounting presentation.

9. The *economic type* classification is designed to analyse the transactions of the groups of economic units which make up the public sector in a way which facilitates study of the impact of these transactions on the rest of the economy. Transactions are broadly divided into three categories:

- (a) real transactions, relating to production and consumption of goods and services;

- (b) transfer payments, i.e., transfers of factor incomes and other transfers of income or capital;
- (c) financing items, relating to changes in financial assets and liabilities.

Categories (a) and (b) above may be further sub-divided into current and capital transactions. In this publication the outlay of public authorities on education is shown to consist of real transactions (i.e., final consumption expenditure, expenditure on new fixed assets, and (net) expenditure on existing fixed assets), and transfers to the private sector (personal benefit payments and grants for private capital purposes). Current grants to private non-profit organisations are included in the final expenditure of public authorities because a separate sector for these organisations has not yet been elaborated in the Australian National Accounts. These organisations obtain most of their revenue from current grants from public authorities and fees and gifts paid by persons which are treated as a component of the private consumption (i.e. final) expenditure of households.

10. The *purpose* classification is intended to bring together outlays with similar objectives to reveal the broad purposes of public sector spending and to indicate the share of total resources available to public authorities being devoted to particular avenues of spending. The figures in this publication therefore relate to those outlays which have been identified as being primarily designed to serve the purposes of education. The definition of 'education' which has been applied in classifying outlays of public authorities to this purpose is that of the United Nations *System of National Accounts* (Studies in Methods, Series F., No. 2, Rev. 3, page 87), i.e.:

### 3. Education

- 3.1. General administration, regulation and research—Administration of ministries or central departments of education; general regulation and promotion of school systems, institutions of higher learning and adult and other educational activities; expenditure on research into objectives, organisation, administration and methodology of all types of education.
- 3.2. Schools, universities and other education facilities—Provision, management, inspection and support of primary and secondary schools, colleges and universities, technical training institutions, schools for the deaf, blind and dumb of a non-custodial character and adult education facilities; scholarships; and loans and similar grants to individuals for educational and training purposes.
- 3.3. Subsidiary services—Transportation of school children, school meals, medical and dental services furnished in schools, and other ancillary services designed to promote and facilitate school attendance.

Expenditure on school medical and dental services and on the provision of free milk for school-children have not been included in the figures for education given in this publication: these expenditures in Australia are at present regarded as primarily serving the purpose of health. Otherwise, this definition has been followed as closely as possible.

11. The items referred to at the end of paragraph 10 provide an example of one of the major difficulties in applying a purpose classification: a particular avenue of expenditure may serve two or more distinct purposes, and there may be an element of arbitrariness in deciding which is the primary purpose. In other cases a recorded expenditure figure may relate to more than one purpose, but it may be very difficult in practice to separate them. Military colleges serve both defence and education purposes. The usual practice is to classify these organisations to defence (as in U.N. S.N.A.); but this practice may be of doubtful validity in the case of military colleges which are affiliated with universities. There are similar problems with the education of nurses. A difficulty here is that of satisfactorily identifying these expenditures in the accounts of hospitals. But even if that problem could be overcome there would still be some question as to whether this expenditure should belong in education or health. The lack of separate data decides the issue for the present—expenditure on the education of nurses in hospitals is classified to health but expenditure on education of nurses in colleges of advanced education is classified to education. Similar difficulties exist with post-graduate medical education. Another class of borderline cases relates to in-service training schemes. Here the usual practice is to classify expenditures to the primary purpose of the organisation providing the training; e.g. all expenditures on cadetship schemes are treated in this way. Allowances paid to trainee teachers are regarded as personal benefit payments—but in this case the primary purpose of these payments happens to be education, so that these payments are included in the public sector outlay on education.

12. Table 8 provides a classification by purpose of the total outlay on education by State and local authorities shown in Table 5. The purpose classification used in this table (and other tables in this publication) is described in *Commonwealth Government Finance: Australia (5502.0)* and *State and Local Government Finance, Australia (5504.0)*. However, differences in institutional structure and accounting practices make it difficult to implement the purpose classification in a way which leads to fully comparable statistics as between the States. For example, all expenditure by the Technical Schools Division of the Education Department in Victoria has been classified as 'primary and secondary education' but a component relating to post secondary technical education should be classified as 'vocational and other higher education' if separate data were available. Expenditure on education of physically handicapped children which is intended to be classified to 'other education programs', is included under 'primary and secondary education' in some States. The development of new categories of educational institutions and evolution in the distribution of functions among categories of institutions impose qualifications on comparisons of the composition of educational expenditure both between States and over time.

#### Northern Territory government authorities

13. On 1 July 1978 the Northern Territory became self-governing with expenditure responsibilities and revenue powers broadly approximating those of a State. However, not all State type functions were fully transferred to the N.T. Government on that date. Responsibility for education services was transferred to the Northern Territory Government on 1 July 1979 and from 1979-80 outlay on education in the Northern Territory is included with the statistics for State and Local Governments. For earlier years outlay on education in the Northern Territory is entirely included in outlay of the Commonwealth Government.

#### Related publications

14. Users may also wish to refer to the following publications which contain related information:

*Australian National Accounts : National Income and Expenditure (5204.0)*—*Issued Annually.*

*Commonwealth Government Finance, Australia (5502.0)*  
—*Issued Annually.*

*State and Local Government Finance, Australia (5504.0)*  
—*Issued Annually.*

15. Current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications, Australia (1101.0)*. The ABS also issues, on Tuesdays and Fridays, a *Publications Advice (1105.0)* which lists publications to be released in the next few days. The Catalogue and Publications Advice are available from any ABS office.

#### Symbols and other usages

— nil or rounded to zero  
n.e.c. not elsewhere classified

16. Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

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TABLE 1. GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE EXPENDITURE ON EDUCATION

	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81
	— \$ million—					
Government—						
Final consumption expenditure	3,425	4,115	4,653	5,063	5,670	6,562
Expenditure on new fixed assets	695	641	717	731	659	648
<i>Final expenditure (1)</i>	<i>4,120</i>	<i>4,756</i>	<i>5,370</i>	<i>5,794</i>	<i>6,329</i>	<i>7,210</i>
Transfer payments and expenditure on existing fixed assets (net)	352	375	392	392	374	385
<b>Outlay</b>	<b>4,472</b>	<b>5,131</b>	<b>5,762</b>	<b>6,186</b>	<b>6,703</b>	<b>7,595</b>
Private—						
Final consumption expenditure	218	243	255	272	293	311
Expenditure on new fixed assets	87	68	89	110	101	137
<i>Final expenditure (2)</i>	<i>305</i>	<i>311</i>	<i>344</i>	<i>382</i>	<i>394</i>	<i>448</i>
<b>Total expenditure on education (1) + (2)</b>	<b>4,425</b>	<b>5,067</b>	<b>5,714</b>	<b>6,176</b>	<b>6,723</b>	<b>7,658</b>
<b>Gross Domestic Product</b>	<b>72,825</b>	<b>83,144</b>	<b>90,251</b>	<b>102,070</b>	<b>114,464</b>	<b>131,855</b>
	— per cent—					
Government outlay as percentage of Gross Domestic Product	6.1	6.2	6.4	6.1	5.9	5.8
Expenditure on education as percentage of Gross Domestic Product	6.1	6.1	6.3	6.1	5.9	5.9
Final consumption expenditure—						
Government	4.7	4.9	5.2	5.0	5.0	5.0
Private	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Expenditure on new fixed assets—						
Government	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.5
Private	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
<b>Total expenditure</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.9</b>

TABLE 2. GOVERNMENT : OUTLAY ON EDUCATION, CLASSIFIED BY ECONOMIC TYPE

	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81
	— \$ million —					
<b>Commonwealth Authorities—</b>						
Final consumption expenditure	195.1	234.6	256.3	286.9	250.2	284.2
Personal benefit payments	162.5	194.0	212.6	224.9	225.2	244.3
Transfers overseas	—	—	—	—	—	0.2
Grants for private capital purposes	5.5	3.5	4.2	4.0	3.1	3.3
Expenditure on new fixed assets	73.4	62.2	54.2	50.8	33.2	31.6
Expenditure on existing fixed assets (net)	-0.3	-0.5	—	—	0.1	0.1
Grants to the States—						
Current	1,133.8	1,390.8	1,517.8	1,592.3	1,771.2	2,046.8
Capital	319.2	327.8	343.1	363.7	325.1	321.2
<b>Total Commonwealth</b>	<b>1,889.2</b>	<b>2,212.3</b>	<b>2,988.3</b>	<b>2,522.7</b>	<b>2,608.1</b>	<b>2,931.7</b>
<b>State authorities—</b>						
Final consumption expenditure	3,222.8	3,872.0	4,388.4	4,766.8	5,409.2	6,265.7
Personal benefit payments	124.1	123.4	120.2	103.5	97.4	96.2
Grants for private capital purposes	33.0	25.4	32.2	40.4	30.1	29.2
Expenditure on new fixed assets	618.2	574.2	659.9	677.6	623.5	614.8
Expenditure on existing fixed assets (net)	26.9	29.0	21.3	17.8	17.2	10.6
Grants to local government authorities	8.5	13.3	10.8	10.1	10.7	11.8
Other(a)	-0.1	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7
<b>Total State</b>	<b>4,033.4</b>	<b>4,638.0</b>	<b>5,233.4</b>	<b>5,616.8</b>	<b>6,188.8</b>	<b>7,029.0</b>
<b>Less Grants from Commonwealth Government for education purposes</b>	<b>1,453.1</b>	<b>1,718.5</b>	<b>1,860.9</b>	<b>1,956.0</b>	<b>2,096.3</b>	<b>2,368.0</b>
<b>Outlay financed from States' own resources and from non-specific Commonwealth Government grants</b>	<b>2,580.3</b>	<b>2,919.5</b>	<b>3,372.5</b>	<b>3,660.8</b>	<b>4,092.5</b>	<b>4,661.0</b>
<b>Local Authorities—</b>						
Final consumption expenditure	7.4	8.5	8.5	9.5	10.3	11.7
Expenditure on new fixed assets	3.2	4.2	2.8	2.8	2.3	1.4
Expenditure on existing fixed assets (net)	—	—	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.5
<b>Total local</b>	<b>10.6</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>13.6</b>
<b>Less Grants from State authorities for education purposes</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>10.8</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>11.8</b>
<b>Outlay financed from local authorities' own resources</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>1.8</b>
<b>Total outlay on education</b>	<b>4,471.6</b>	<b>5,131.2</b>	<b>5,762.1</b>	<b>6,186.2</b>	<b>6,703.0</b>	<b>7,594.5</b>
<b>Total outlay on all purposes</b>	<b>27,602.6</b>	<b>31,788.6</b>	<b>35,810.2</b>	<b>38,847.2</b>	<b>43,214.9</b>	<b>49,848.2</b>
	— per cent —					
<b>Outlay on education as percentage of total outlay</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>15.9</b>	<b>15.5</b>	<b>15.2</b>

(a) Mainly subsidies for teacher housing.

TABLE 3. GOVERNMENT OUTLAY ON EDUCATION FROM UNTIED REVENUE (a) CLASSIFIED BY ECONOMIC TYPE AND PURPOSE, 1980-81  
(£ million)

Purpose	Final consumption expenditure	Personal benefit payments	Grants for private capital purposes	Expenditure on new fixed assets	Expenditure on existing assets (net)	Other (c)	Intergovernmental grants (b)	Outlay from untiéd revenue (a)
Transportation of students—								
Commonwealth authorities	2.6	—	—	—	—	—	—	2.6
State and local authorities	165.0	51.3	—	1.4	-0.1	—	—	217.6
Total	167.6	51.3	—	1.4	-0.1	—	—	220.2
Primary and secondary education—								
Commonwealth authorities	91.8	27.2	3.1	5.6	—	—	819.6	947.3
State and local authorities	4,009.9	14.1	28.6	366.3	4.0	0.8	-819.6	3,604.0
Total	4,101.7	41.3	31.7	371.9	4.0	0.8	—	4,551.3
University education—								
Commonwealth authorities	92.8	79.4	—	6.0	—	0.2	774.2	952.6
State and local authorities	731.3	1.2	—	45.4	—	—	-774.2	3.6
Total	824.1	80.6	—	51.4	—	0.2	—	956.2
Other higher education—								
Commonwealth authorities	26.5	66.6	—	9.6	—	—	547.4	650.1
State and local authorities	539.0	28.2	—	42.5	-0.3	-0.2	-547.4	61.8
Total	565.5	94.8	—	52.1	-0.3	-0.2	—	711.9
Vocational training—								
Commonwealth authorities	14.1	29.0	—	10.4	—	—	187.5	241.0
State and local authorities	432.1	0.4	—	134.1	3.0	0.1	-187.5	382.2
Total	446.2	29.4	—	144.5	3.0	0.1	—	623.2
Other education programs—								
Commonwealth authorities	29.3	42.0	0.2	—	—	—	38.2	109.7
State and local authorities	236.3	0.1	0.6	13.8	0.6	—	-38.2	213.2
Total	265.6	42.1	0.8	13.8	0.6	—	—	322.9
Unallocated (including general administration)—								
Commonwealth authorities	27.2	—	—	—	0.1	—	1.0	28.5
State and local authorities	163.9	1.0	—	12.8	3.8	—	-1.0	180.5
Total	191.1	1.0	—	12.8	3.9	—	—	208.8
Total education—								
Commonwealth authorities	284.2	244.3	3.3	31.6	0.1	0.2	2,368.0	2,931.7
State and local authorities	6,277.4	96.2	29.2	616.2	11.1	0.7	-2,368.0	4,662.8
Total	6,561.6	340.5	32.5	647.8	11.2	0.9	—	7,594.5

(a) Outlay on education less specific purpose grants received from other levels of government. In the case of Commonwealth authorities this simply represents their total outlay but in the case of State and local authorities it represents outlay financed from their own resources and non-specific Commonwealth grants. (b) Specific purpose grants from the Commonwealth government to State and local governments. The amounts concerned are shown as a deduction from outlay in the rows for State and local authorities. (c) Mainly subsidies for teacher housing.

TABLE 4. COMMONWEALTH AUTHORITIES: OUTLAY ON EDUCATION, CLASSIFIED BY PURPOSE

	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81
	—\$ million—					
General administration, regulation and research—						
Department of Education—						
Salaries, etc., n.e.c.	17.4	18.8	19.4	20.4	21.2	24.2
Administration expenses, n.e.c.	7.0	7.8	8.0	8.9	8.5	8.0
Tertiary Education Commission	—	—	0.7	1.9	2.2	2.7
Building and works, office equipment, etc.	0.2	—	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.2
Grants to the States—						
Research and development	1.1	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.0
Other	0.1	0.7	0.8	0.5	-1.0	-7.7
<i>Total general administration, etc.</i>	25.8	28.3	30.0	32.6	31.9	28.4
Transportation of students—						
School bus service—						
Australian Capital Territory	1.4	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.6
Northern Territory	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.3	—	—
<i>Total transportation</i>	2.3	2.7	3.1	3.4	2.1	2.6
Primary and secondary education—						
Schools Commission	2.8	2.8	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.6
Education Commission—						
Australian Capital Territory	61.0	64.8	64.8	66.3	66.8	76.2
Northern Territory	33.6	38.0	40.7	46.0	—	—
School broadcasts	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.0
Student assistance	6.8	7.0	9.2	9.9	10.5	12.7
Child migrant education program	3.9	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.7	4.5
Assistance to isolated children	10.4	11.7	14.1	13.1	12.2	14.5
Grants to non-government schools—						
Australian Capital Territory	8.9	9.9	12.0	12.9	14.4	17.2
Northern Territory	1.3	1.4	1.8	2.4	—	—
Grants to the States—						
Non-government schools—						
Recurrent grants	123.6	171.7	191.4	221.9	263.5	327.8
Capital grants	28.7	19.9	32.0	38.4	29.8	34.7
Government schools—						
Recurrent grants	186.7	225.8	235.5	242.5	262.8	302.4
Capital grants	113.8	127.2	151.2	140.5	115.1	103.8
Child migrant education(a)	9.0	0.2	0.3	1.9	2.7	0.1
Schools—						
Joint programs	22.7	24.9	29.0	27.0	25.4	28.6
Grants to the Northern Territory—						
Recurrent grants	—	—	—	—	3.9	5.0
Capital grants	—	—	—	—	1.7	2.3
Other	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	2.5	11.9
<i>Total primary and secondary</i>	615.7	708.7	788.2	829.5	817.7	947.3
Vocational training—						
Commission on Technical and Further Education	0.6	0.6	0.3	—	—	—
Canberra School of Music	0.5	—	—	—	—	—
Technical and further education in the A.C.T.	9.6	13.1	15.4	16.8	20.6	24.6
Darwin Community College	5.6	6.7	9.3	10.0	—	—
Student assistance	20.2	23.8	25.6	29.3	30.4	28.7
Grants to the States—						
T.A.F.E.—						
Apprentice training	0.6	—	—	—	—	—
Recurrent grants	40.1	44.2	45.6	51.7	62.8	84.2
Other Capital grants	24.0	33.7	46.4	65.0	78.8	97.1
Grants to the Northern Territory—						
Recurrent grants	—	—	—	—	3.7	4.0
Capital grants	—	—	—	—	2.5	2.3
Other	0.4	1.1	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.1
<i>Total vocational training</i>	101.5	123.2	143.4	173.7	199.7	241.0

(a) From January 1976 grants to the States for child migrant education under the Schools Commission program are included under various other grants to the States for Schools.

TABLE 4. COMMONWEALTH AUTHORITIES: OUTLAY ON EDUCATION, CLASSIFIED BY PURPOSE—continued

	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81
	— \$ million—					
University education—						
Australian Universities Commission	0.7	0.7	0.3	0.2	—	—
Australian National University—						
Student assistance	1.9	1.8	2.2	2.4	2.5	2.3
Other	56.6	70.1	67.9	75.6	81.2	95.5
Student assistance—						
Undergraduate	53.6	66.9	71.7	74.4	74.8	68.4
Post-graduate	7.7	8.6	9.4	9.0	8.5	8.8
Grants to Australian National University residential colleges	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine (Sydney University)	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.6	2.9	3.1
Grants to the States—						
Universities	475.2	568.5	626.9	645.7	704.9	774.2
Other	0.3	0.3	0.2	—	—	0.3
<i>Total university</i>	<i>597.9</i>	<i>719.2</i>	<i>781.0</i>	<i>810.1</i>	<i>875.0</i>	<i>952.6</i>
Other higher education—						
Commission on Advanced Education	0.7	0.7	0.3	—	—	—
Canberra College of Advanced Education	13.0	14.5	16.7	15.2	17.3	18.9
Canberra School of Music	2.3	1.1	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.4
Australian Film and Television School	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.8	4.0	4.5
Student assistance	41.8	50.9	53.0	55.5	51.7	66.1
Commonwealth Teaching Service scholarships	1.1	1.3	1.2	0.9	0.6	0.3
Grants to the States—						
Colleges of Advanced Education and Teachers Colleges	373.5	446.5	449.5	481.7	497.2	547.4
Grants to the Northern Territory—						
Recurrent Grants	—	—	—	—	—	0.2
Other	—	1.0	1.0	4.2	11.3	11.3
<i>Total other higher education</i>	<i>436.0</i>	<i>519.5</i>	<i>526.3</i>	<i>562.2</i>	<i>583.2</i>	<i>650.1</i>
Other education programs—						
Aboriginal education—						
Study grants	1.8	2.3	3.6	5.2	7.4	10.2
Secondary grants	8.6	10.0	12.1	13.0	14.0	17.4
Grants to private non-profit organisations	3.9	3.9	4.5	6.0	3.9	4.4
Grants to the States	6.9	5.9	6.4	6.2	6.2	7.0
Other	22.3	17.5	18.0	18.1	0.2	0.3
Soldiers'children education scheme	3.6	3.5	3.4	2.9	2.6	2.4
Migrant education programs	8.2	9.0	13.1	18.8	23.5	29.0
Pre-school and child care programs—						
Grants to States and local authorities	47.0	49.0	45.9	32.7	32.7	30.8
Grants to the Northern Territory	—	—	—	—	0.3	0.3
Other	3.7	2.8	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.4
Adult education programs	3.2	4.6	5.0	4.8	4.2	4.4
Queen's Silver Jubilee Appeal	—	2.0	—	—	—	—
Other	0.6	0.1	1.0	0.3	0.3	0.1
<i>Total other programs</i>	<i>109.9</i>	<i>110.7</i>	<i>116.3</i>	<i>111.0</i>	<i>98.6</i>	<i>109.7</i>
<b>Total outlay on education</b>	<b>1,889.2</b>	<b>2,212.3</b>	<b>2,388.3</b>	<b>2,522.7</b>	<b>2,608.1</b>	<b>2,931.7</b>
<i>Of which—</i>						
Current outlay	1,491.3	1,819.3	1,986.8	2,104.2	2,246.6	2,575.5
Capital outlay	397.8	393.0	401.5	418.5	361.5	356.2
<b>Total outlay on all purposes</b>	<b>22,297.2</b>	<b>25,142.9</b>	<b>28,063.5</b>	<b>30,196.8</b>	<b>33,200.9</b>	<b>37,779.3</b>
	— per cent—					
<b>Outlay on education as a percentage of total outlay on all purposes</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>7.8</b>



TABLE 7. COMMONWEALTH AUTHORITIES: GRANTS TO THE STATES AND THE NORTHERN TERRITORY  
FOR EDUCATION PURPOSES  
(\$'000)

	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES</b>						
<b>Current grants—</b>						
Research and development in education	253	259	184	159	170	368
Non-government schools	45,808	59,799	70,164	79,172	93,818	117,380
Government schools	71,860	83,674	91,721	92,925	101,584	113,947
Schools—joint programs	7,727	7,680	9,655	8,642	8,405	9,285
Technical and further education	17,652	16,714	19,184	21,061	23,546	26,214
Universities	168,831	199,633	222,893	230,197	252,856	282,878
Colleges of advanced education and teachers colleges	69,089	90,831	98,303	105,103	115,272	139,213
Aboriginal education	904	931	1,013	690	756	1,022
Child migrant education	2,720	67	165	727	1,008	1,181
Pre-school education	8,605	7,878	7,934	7,130	7,130	7,130
School-to-work transition activities	—	—	—	—	1,886	7,438
<i>Total current</i>	<i>393,449</i>	<i>467,466</i>	<i>521,216</i>	<i>545,806</i>	<i>606,431</i>	<i>696,056</i>
<b>Capital grants—</b>						
Government schools	35,587	42,349	47,851	44,882	36,988	32,446
Non-government schools	10,083	6,208	10,064	14,072	9,279	13,217
Schools—joint programs	216	126	38	—	—	—
Child migrant education	405	2	—	—	9	—
Technical and further education	8,919	12,262	15,162	19,279	28,054	34,554
Universities	21,754	17,553	17,909	21,840	25,353	18,634
Colleges of advanced education including teachers and pre-school teachers colleges	23,716	27,200	11,886	20,070	12,087	9,390
Pre-school education	3,165	6,592	3,053	—	—	—
Aboriginal education	505	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Total capital</i>	<i>104,350</i>	<i>112,293</i>	<i>105,963</i>	<i>120,143</i>	<i>111,770</i>	<i>108,241</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>497,799</b>	<b>579,758</b>	<b>627,179</b>	<b>665,949</b>	<b>718,201</b>	<b>804,297</b>
<b>VICTORIA</b>						
<b>Current grants—</b>						
Research and development in education	431	314	240	302	318	315
Non-government schools	42,175	58,590	59,674	73,130	87,390	108,626
Government schools	51,855	69,450	71,107	71,856	76,204	85,756
Schools—joint programs	6,324	6,899	7,469	7,076	6,020	7,666
Technical and further education	9,653	13,866	11,163	13,509	16,087	19,048
Universities	110,717	134,763	152,808	158,860	173,556	194,070
Colleges of advanced education and teachers colleges	111,307	135,960	141,522	146,456	159,680	179,566
Aboriginal education	212	576	634	633	931	1,002
Child migrant education	3,559	46	41	521	1,045	1,230
Pre-school education	10,913	11,749	12,244	9,015	9,015	7,108
School-to-work transition activities	—	—	—	—	515	5,409
<i>Total current</i>	<i>347,146</i>	<i>432,213</i>	<i>456,902</i>	<i>481,358</i>	<i>530,761</i>	<i>609,796</i>
<b>Capital grants—</b>						
Government schools	38,279	37,656	40,882	36,313	33,440	30,055
Non-government schools	10,779	7,259	10,301	12,668	10,478	10,460
Schools—joint programs	227	141	91	12	—	—
Child migrant education	943	5	—	88	22	33
Technical and further education	7,376	9,333	12,728	19,592	15,467	27,634
Universities	9,516	10,460	11,842	10,849	10,679	9,283
Colleges of advanced education including teachers and pre-school teachers colleges	34,313	25,971	18,968	23,112	19,190	16,793
Pre-school education	1,345	4,160	3,500	—	—	—
Aboriginal education	87	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Total capital</i>	<i>102,865</i>	<i>94,985</i>	<i>98,312</i>	<i>102,634</i>	<i>89,276</i>	<i>94,258</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>450,011</b>	<b>527,197</b>	<b>555,214</b>	<b>583,992</b>	<b>620,037</b>	<b>704,054</b>

TABLE 7. COMMONWEALTH AUTHORITIES: GRANTS TO THE STATES AND THE NORTHERN TERRITORY FOR EDUCATION PURPOSES—continued  
(*\$'000*)

	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81
<b>QUEENSLAND</b>						
<b>Current grants—</b>						
Research and development in education	190	216	166	131	124	109
Non-government schools	19,161	25,696	30,198	34,127	40,050	49,757
Government schools	24,355	26,761	24,708	28,208	30,510	39,352
Schools—joint programs	2,646	3,601	4,947	4,483	4,354	4,502
Technical and further education	4,643	4,537	4,885	5,222	6,932	7,965
Universities	57,185	69,427	78,127	80,980	89,684	100,776
Colleges of advanced education and teachers colleges	33,999	48,962	56,616	60,465	67,445	76,325
Aboriginal education	866	836	858	904	724	801
Child migrant education	195	2	15	172	262	508
Pre-school education	5,104	6,437	6,958	6,605	6,605	6,605
School-to-work transition activities	—	—	—	—	951	5,089
<i>Total current</i>	<i>148,344</i>	<i>186,475</i>	<i>207,478</i>	<i>221,297</i>	<i>247,641</i>	<i>291,789</i>
<b>Capital grants—</b>						
Government schools	18,298	24,809	29,506	23,753	19,464	15,541
Non-government schools	3,847	3,077	4,704	5,717	5,145	5,474
Schools—joint programs	218	204	54	5	—	—
Child migrant education	11	—	—	40	15	3
Technical and further education	3,334	4,439	8,735	15,078	12,717	12,277
Universities	6,453	11,638	7,335	6,042	8,755	6,253
Colleges of advanced education including teachers and pre-school teachers colleges	9,181	14,630	7,899	10,712	5,056	5,674
Pre-school education	2,584	314	—	—	—	—
Aboriginal education	971	8	84	57	41	33
<i>Total capital</i>	<i>44,897</i>	<i>59,119</i>	<i>58,317</i>	<i>61,404</i>	<i>51,193</i>	<i>45,255</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>193,241</b>	<b>245,593</b>	<b>265,795</b>	<b>282,701</b>	<b>298,834</b>	<b>337,044</b>
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIA</b>						
<b>Current grants—</b>						
Research and development in education	116	139	135	124	107	113
Non-government schools	7,085	10,971	12,415	13,918	16,592	20,726
Government schools	17,985	21,628	23,478	23,449	25,256	29,728
Schools—joint programs	2,382	2,439	2,673	2,379	2,866	2,835
Technical and further education	3,770	4,502	4,737	5,116	6,661	7,801
Universities	43,107	51,000	56,872	57,917	63,161	70,280
Colleges of advanced education and teachers colleges	28,838	38,221	41,724	42,477	46,612	52,182
Aboriginal education	990	1,151	1,479	1,560	1,642	1,795
Child migrant education	514	22	16	180	180	301
Pre-school education	4,788	5,173	5,194	3,730	3,730	3,730
School-to-work transition activities	—	—	—	—	374	1,765
<i>Total current</i>	<i>109,575</i>	<i>135,246</i>	<i>148,723</i>	<i>150,850</i>	<i>167,181</i>	<i>191,256</i>
<b>Capital grants—</b>						
Government schools	9,735	13,309	14,335	13,469	13,000	11,248
Non-government schools	1,102	1,300	2,723	2,709	1,821	2,027
Schools—joint programs	219	63	11	—	—	—
Child migrant education	275	31	—	—	—	20
Technical and further education	1,208	2,320	4,837	6,901	8,697	8,718
Universities	3,421	6,426	6,634	6,439	3,482	3,599
Colleges of advanced education including teachers and pre-school teachers colleges	6,886	4,276	8,457	5,177	4,666	3,237
Pre-school education	1,498	160	—	—	—	5
Aboriginal education	377	233	50	149	23	—
<i>Total capital</i>	<i>24,721</i>	<i>28,118</i>	<i>37,047</i>	<i>34,844</i>	<i>31,689</i>	<i>28,854</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>134,296</b>	<b>163,365</b>	<b>185,770</b>	<b>185,694</b>	<b>198,870</b>	<b>220,110</b>

TABLE 7. COMMONWEALTH AUTHORITIES: GRANTS TO THE STATES AND THE NORTHERN TERRITORY FOR EDUCATION PURPOSES—continued  
(\$'000)

	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81
<b>WESTERN AUSTRALIA</b>						
<b>Current grants—</b>						
Research and development in education	59	70	75	74	111	99
Non-government schools	7,335	13,133	14,989	16,669	19,905	24,491
Government schools	14,179	17,768	17,551	18,834	21,432	24,166
Schools—joint programs	1,680	2,620	2,753	3,238	2,682	3,000
Technical and further education	3,322	3,606	4,521	5,160	4,780	9,032
Universities	32,891	40,795	46,532	48,318	53,190	59,443
Colleges of advanced education and teachers colleges	36,522	46,342	48,080	49,560	53,290	60,064
Aboriginal education	1,979	2,035	2,184	1,996	2,047	2,218
Child migrant education	233	2	41	140	125	367
Pre-school education	4,183	4,553	5,110	4,860	4,860	4,860
School-to-work transition activities	—	—	—	—	482	2,567
<i>Total current</i>	<i>102,383</i>	<i>130,824</i>	<i>141,836</i>	<i>148,849</i>	<i>162,904</i>	<i>190,307</i>
<b>Capital grants—</b>						
Government schools	7,929	5,230	13,838	18,414	8,411	11,153
Non-government schools	2,472	1,731	2,869	2,558	2,599	2,926
Schools—joint programs	163	38	6	—	—	—
Child migrant education	19	—	—	—	—	—
Technical and further education	2,876	3,690	2,993	3,726	10,481	9,148
Universities	5,094	9,822	7,664	5,185	3,006	3,199
Colleges of advanced education including teachers and pre-school teachers colleges	7,344	5,074	5,198	5,863	3,044	2,773
Pre-school education	1,441	144	79	—	—	—
Aboriginal education	25	119	61	159	23	21
<i>Total capital</i>	<i>27,335</i>	<i>25,848</i>	<i>32,708</i>	<i>35,905</i>	<i>27,564</i>	<i>29,220</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>129,718</b>	<b>156,671</b>	<b>174,544</b>	<b>184,754</b>	<b>190,468</b>	<b>219,527</b>
<b>TASMANIA</b>						
<b>Current grants—</b>						
Research and development in education	14	14	9	11	11	19
Non-government schools	2,068	3,477	3,942	4,845	5,709	6,817
Government schools	6,429	6,486	6,916	7,274	7,819	9,469
Schools—joint programs	830	1,086	1,262	1,171	1,089	1,279
Technical and further education	1,087	969	1,110	1,673	2,005	2,407
Universities	13,658	15,938	17,234	18,315	20,227	24,740
Colleges of advanced education and teachers colleges	7,011	8,678	9,256	9,436	10,068	11,249
Aboriginal education	27	32	36	28	29	63
Child migrant education	149	2	—	—	3	5
Pre-school education	1,639	1,853	1,922	1,410	1,410	1,410
School-to-work transition activities	—	—	—	—	222	971
<i>Total current</i>	<i>32,912</i>	<i>38,535</i>	<i>41,687</i>	<i>44,163</i>	<i>48,592</i>	<i>58,429</i>
<b>Capital grants—</b>						
Government schools	3,958	3,861	4,816	3,685	3,780	3,388
Non-government schools	466	360	1,370	699	500	609
Schools—joint programs	53	45	1	—	—	—
Child migrant education	45	—	—	—	4	10
Technical and further education	887	1,665	1,970	394	3,400	4,772
Universities	2,589	1,061	1,008	788	918	1,043
Colleges of advanced education including teachers and pre-school teachers colleges	5,313	404	1,598	3,221	810	952
Pre-school education	1,764	5	—	—	—	—
Aboriginal education	1	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Total capital</i>	<i>15,076</i>	<i>7,401</i>	<i>10,763</i>	<i>8,787</i>	<i>9,412</i>	<i>10,765</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>47,988</b>	<b>45,937</b>	<b>52,450</b>	<b>52,950</b>	<b>58,004</b>	<b>69,194</b>

**TABLE 7. COMMONWEALTH AUTHORITIES : GRANTS TO THE STATES AND THE NORTHERN TERRITORY FOR EDUCATION PURPOSES—continued**  
 (\$'000)

	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81
<b>NORTHERN TERRITORY</b>						
<b>Current grants—</b>						
Research and development in education	—	—	—	—	13	—
Non-government schools	—	—	—	—	1,030	1,466
Government schools	—	—	—	—	1,265	—
Schools—joint programs	—	—	—	—	116	504
Technical and further education	—	—	—	—	1,887	518
Universities	—	—	—	—	—	—
Colleges of advanced education and teachers colleges	—	—	—	—	1,859	3,352
Aboriginal education	—	—	—	—	—	—
Child migrant education	—	—	—	—	2	131
Pre-school education	—	—	—	—	340	340
Schools commission	—	—	—	—	1,167	2,650
School-to-work transition activities	—	—	—	—	17	191
<i>Total current</i>	—	—	—	—	7,695	9,152
<b>Capital grants—</b>						
Government schools	—	—	—	—	669	—
Non-government schools	—	—	—	—	322	879
Schools—joint programs	—	—	—	—	—	—
Child migrant education	—	—	—	—	—	—
Technical and further education	—	—	—	—	2,522	2,292
Universities	—	—	—	—	—	—
Colleges of advanced education including teachers and pre-school teachers colleges	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pre-school education	—	—	—	—	—	—
Aboriginal education	—	—	—	—	—	—
Schools commission	—	—	—	—	694	1,415
<i>Total capital</i>	—	—	—	—	4,207	4,586
<b>Total</b>	—	—	—	—	<b>11,902</b>	<b>13,738</b>
<b>ALL STATES</b>						
<b>Current grants—</b>						
Research and development in education	1,062	1,012	809	801	854	1,024
Non-government schools	123,632	171,666	191,382	221,862	264,494	329,264
Government schools	186,663	225,767	235,481	242,545	264,069	302,416
Schools—joint programs	21,589	24,325	28,759	26,989	25,533	29,071
Technical and further education	40,127	45,194	45,600	51,741	61,898	72,986
Universities	426,389	511,556	574,465	594,587	652,674	732,187
Colleges of advanced education and teachers colleges	286,766	368,894	395,501	413,497	454,225	511,951
Aboriginal education	4,978	5,561	6,203	5,811	6,128	6,901
Child migrant education	7,370	140	278	1,740	2,623	3,723
Pre-school education	35,232	37,643	39,362	32,750	33,090	31,183
Schools commission	—	—	—	—	1,167	2,650
School-to-work transition activities	—	—	—	—	4,446	23,428
<i>Total current</i>	<i>1,133,806</i>	<i>1,390,758</i>	<i>1,517,840</i>	<i>1,592,322</i>	<i>1,771,200</i>	<i>2,046,784</i>
<b>Capital grants—</b>						
Government schools	113,786	127,214	151,227	140,516	115,752	103,830
Non-government schools	28,749	19,935	32,030	38,423	30,144	35,582
Schools—joint programs	1,096	617	201	17	—	—
Child migrant education	1,670	39	—	129	50	66
Technical and further education	24,600	33,709	46,425	64,972	81,338	99,395
Universities	48,827	56,958	52,392	51,142	52,192	42,011
Colleges of advanced education including teachers and pre-school teachers colleges	86,753	77,555	54,006	68,155	44,853	38,819
Pre-school education	11,797	11,375	6,632	—	—	—
Aboriginal education	1,966	361	195	364	86	59
Schools commission	—	—	—	—	694	1,415
<i>Total capital</i>	<i>319,246</i>	<i>327,763</i>	<i>343,108</i>	<i>363,718</i>	<i>325,109</i>	<i>321,177</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,453,052</b>	<b>1,718,521</b>	<b>1,860,949</b>	<b>1,956,039</b>	<b>2,096,312</b>	<b>2,367,961</b>

**TABLE 8. STATE AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES : OUTLAY ON EDUCATION, CLASSIFIED BY PURPOSE(a)**  
 (\$ million)

	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES</b>						
Transportation of students	50.1	56.3	76.2	84.3	100.5	118.2
Primary and secondary education	876.1	946.3	1,099.9	1,186.9	1,311.2	1,520.2
University education	191.2	218.2	241.3	261.1	285.5	304.6
Other higher education	137.6	157.9	147.2	160.0	155.7	165.2
Vocational training	96.9	112.8	139.2	157.3	193.4	238.9
Other education programs	15.4	21.8	20.3	21.7	25.3	31.2
Unallocated (including general administration)	25.1	28.0	30.0	34.7	40.9	46.0
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,392.4</i>	<i>1,541.4</i>	<i>1,754.0</i>	<i>1,906.0</i>	<i>2,112.4</i>	<i>2,424.3</i>
<b>VICTORIA</b>						
Transportation of students	23.0	27.0	29.7	32.8	37.9	44.1
Primary and secondary education	760.7	864.9	1,003.5	1,077.6	1,160.0	1,304.3
University education	120.3	147.1	165.9	170.9	183.7	202.4
Other higher education	185.7	197.3	192.0	190.7	198.0	215.7
Vocational training	34.1	55.7	52.0	80.5	89.7	111.6
Other education programs	41.2	57.1	64.3	68.8	74.7	82.2
Unallocated (including general administration)	18.0	21.8	29.8	29.8	29.6	33.3
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,183.0</i>	<i>1,370.6</i>	<i>1,537.1</i>	<i>1,651.2</i>	<i>1,773.6</i>	<i>1,993.7</i>
<b>QUEENSLAND</b>						
Transportation of students	9.8	12.0	14.1	16.1	18.4	21.1
Primary and secondary education	326.1	391.1	447.3	462.0	504.9	581.2
University education	64.2	82.0	85.1	87.9	98.1	107.0
Other higher education	57.7	78.6	77.8	81.0	77.2	83.5
Vocational training	28.5	33.2	45.0	54.6	61.5	72.5
Other education programs	38.7	43.0	47.0	50.4	58.6	67.5
Unallocated (including general administration)	8.4	9.0	8.9	9.1	8.7	14.3
<i>Total</i>	<i>533.3</i>	<i>648.9</i>	<i>725.1</i>	<i>761.0</i>	<i>827.3</i>	<i>947.0</i>
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIA</b>						
Transportation of students	6.1	7.0	7.9	8.9	9.3	10.4
Primary and secondary education	260.4	301.7	341.2	357.0	379.3	434.1
University education	46.6	57.5	63.1	65.0	66.4	73.6
Other higher education	49.1	54.3	59.2	55.9	55.0	60.6
Vocational training	28.2	34.5	41.8	46.7	45.6	51.4
Other education programs	17.2	21.5	28.9	29.7	32.4	41.0
Unallocated (including general administration)	8.8	11.9	14.4	24.2	29.4	34.6
<i>Total</i>	<i>416.4</i>	<i>488.4</i>	<i>556.5</i>	<i>587.5</i>	<i>617.4</i>	<i>705.9</i>

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**TABLE 8. STATE AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES : OUTLAY ON EDUCATION, CLASSIFIED BY PURPOSE(a)—continued**  
 (\$ million)

	1975-76	1976-77	1977-78	1978-79	1979-80	1980-81
<b>WESTERN AUSTRALIA</b>						
Transportation of students	8.1	9.7	11.0	11.9	13.9	17.0
Primary and secondary education	206.9	241.7	282.1	312.8	335.9	379.9
University education	39.0	52.0	55.9	55.5	58.1	63.5
Other higher education	59.9	67.6	69.5	55.9	58.7	65.8
Vocational training	27.4	32.6	38.1	48.5	57.7	62.2
Other education programs	13.5	11.9	9.5	18.3	19.0	19.0
Unallocated (including general administration)	8.5	6.9	12.0	15.5	17.1	18.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>363.2</b>	<b>422.2</b>	<b>478.1</b>	<b>518.4</b>	<b>560.4</b>	<b>626.3</b>
<b>TASMANIA</b>						
Transportation of students	3.9	4.4	4.9	5.3	6.1	6.8
Primary and secondary education	89.2	98.5	109.2	112.7	125.2	138.8
University education	16.4	17.3	18.7	19.8	21.5	26.3
Other higher education	17.3	15.5	18.3	20.1	17.1	14.6
Vocational training	7.5	12.1	12.8	15.0	20.9	24.4
Other education programs	3.1	2.9	3.3	3.5	3.7	6.7
Unallocated (including general administration)	9.8	14.9	16.5	19.2	20.4	18.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>165.6</b>	<b>183.7</b>	<b>195.6</b>	<b>214.9</b>	<b>235.6</b>
<b>NORTHERN TERRITORY</b>						
Transportation of students	—	—	—	—	—	—
Primary and secondary education	—	—	—	—	55.5	65.1
University education	—	—	—	—	—	0.3
Other higher education	—	—	—	—	3.4	3.7
Vocational training	—	—	—	—	8.3	9.0
Other education programs	—	—	—	—	2.9	3.9
Unallocated (including general administration)	—	—	—	—	15.0	16.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>85.1</b>	<b>98.0</b>
<b>ALL STATES</b>						
Transportation of students	100.9	116.4	143.7	159.3	186.1	217.6
Primary and secondary education	2,519.4	2,844.3	3,283.4	3,509.0	3,871.8	4,423.6
University education	477.7	573.9	630.0	660.1	713.2	777.8
Other higher education	507.2	571.2	563.9	563.5	565.2	609.2
Vocational training	222.7	280.9	328.9	402.7	477.1	569.7
Other education programs	129.0	158.1	173.4	192.4	216.5	251.4
Unallocated (including general administration)	78.6	92.4	111.5	132.6	161.2	181.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,035.5</b>	<b>4,637.4</b>	<b>5,234.8</b>	<b>5,619.5</b>	<b>6,191.2</b>	<b>7,030.8</b>

(a) Figures shown in this table are not fully comparable between the States owing to differences in institutional structure and accounting practices—see Explanatory notes, paragraph 12.