

Senate Community Affairs Committee
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Outcome Number: 1.11 Student Payments

Question No: SQ15-000246

Topic: Schoolkids Bonus

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Senator Brown, Carol asked:

Please provide the number of children who received the Schoolkids bonus in the January 2015 payment, by:

- (a) state/territory;
- (b) electorate
- (c) age of child
- (d) indigenous status, and
- (e) other payments received

Answer:

The data requested for the January 2015 payment (as at 28 February 2015) are in *Attachment A*.

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ATTACHMENT A

Number of children who received the Schoolkids bonus in the January 2015 payment (as at 28 February 2015) by:

(a) State/territory	Number of children
New South Wales	561,004
Victoria	424,934
Queensland	398,752
South Australia	134,934
Western Australia	151,274
Tasmania	51,402
Northern Territory	21,097
Australian Capital Territory	16,537
Others	3,501
TOTAL	1,763,435

Source: Department of Human Services Administrative Data (DSS extract)

(b) Electorate	Number of children
Banks	10,614
Barton	9,364
Bennelong	6,902
Berowra	5,448
Blaxland	23,787
Bradfield	4,321
Calare	13,438
Charlton	11,260
Chifley	23,924
Cook	5,859
Cowper	16,499
Cunningham	8,607
Dobell	14,373
Eden-Monaro	11,150
Farrer	12,895
Fowler	21,941
Gilmore	12,635

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(b) Electorate	Number of children
Grayndler	5,603
Greenway	12,944
Hughes	9,259
Hume	12,554
Hunter	13,165
Kingsford Smith	6,328
Lindsay	15,121
Lyne	13,972
Macarthur	15,261
Mackellar	5,560
Macquarie	10,447
McMahon	16,150
Mitchell	7,041
New England	15,615
Newcastle	8,346
North Sydney	3,077
Page	15,607
Parkes	15,964
Parramatta	13,699
Paterson	12,263
Reid	10,014
Richmond	14,150
Riverina	14,102
Robertson	10,803
Shortland	10,982
Sydney	3,209
Throsby	12,799
Warringah	3,694
Watson	18,268
Wentworth	2,637
Werriwa	19,353
Aston	9,367
Ballarat	13,918

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(b) Electorate	Number of children
Batman	7,760
Bendigo	13,345
Bruce	11,360
Calwell	19,296
Casey	11,991
Chisholm	6,467
Corangamite	10,696
Corio	12,569
Deakin	8,028
Dunkley	11,607
Flinders	12,409
Gellibrand	9,559
Gippsland	13,231
Goldstein	4,005
Gorton	21,196
Higgins	2,775
Holt	22,952
Hotham	9,655
Indi	12,608
Isaacs	11,408
Jagajaga	6,844
Kooyong	3,130
La Trobe	12,167
Lalor	21,903
Mallee	14,415
Maribyrnong	10,634
McEwen	18,035
McMillan	15,893
Melbourne	5,380
Melbourne Ports	3,373
Menzies	6,336
Murray	15,246
Scullin	13,819

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(b) Electorate	Number of children
Wannon	12,570
Wills	8,987
Blair	18,855
Bonner	8,875
Bowman	11,012
Brisbane	3,128
Capricornia	10,671
Dawson	11,230
Dickson	11,130
Fadden	14,992
Fairfax	13,011
Fisher	12,202
Flynn	11,887
Forde	18,595
Griffith	5,101
Groom	13,797
Herbert	14,855
Hinkler	15,818
Kennedy	17,277
Leichhardt	18,591
Lilley	8,763
Longman	18,291
Maranoa	16,101
McPherson	12,534
Moncrieff	10,667
Moreton	9,388
Oxley	17,870
Petrie	14,719
Rankin	23,159
Ryan	5,419
Wide Bay	15,510
Wright	15,304
Adelaide	7,172

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(b) Electorate	Number of children
Barker	15,056
Boothby	7,548
Grey	13,448
Hindmarsh	7,662
Kingston	15,726
Makin	12,348
Mayo	10,400
Port Adelaide	17,002
Sturt	8,132
Wakefield	20,440
Brand	14,577
Canning	13,118
Cowan	11,144
Curtin	2,642
Durack	13,965
Forrest	11,834
Fremantle	8,016
Hasluck	12,534
Moore	7,593
O'Connor	12,952
Pearce	14,240
Perth	7,241
Stirling	7,687
Swan	7,959
Tangney	5,772
Bass	10,344
Braddon	10,874
Denison	8,061
Franklin	9,636
Lyons	12,487
Lingiari	14,195
Solomon	6,902
Canberra	7,677

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(b) Electorate	Number of children
Fraser	8,860
Others	3,501
TOTAL	1,763,435

Source: Department of Human Services Administrative Data (DSS extract).

(c) Age of child	Number of children
4 and under	71,670
5	111,913
6	145,493
7	154,923
8	148,518
9	141,919
10	139,750
11	138,527
12	138,598
13	138,926
14	139,583
15	137,657
16	113,589
17	32,088
18	3,198
19 and over	55
Unknown	7,028
TOTAL	1,763,435

Source: Department of Human Services Administrative Data (DSS extract)

(d) Indigenous status	Number of children
Not Indigenous	1,650,581
Indigenous	112,854
TOTAL	1,763,435

Source: Department of Human Services Administrative Data (DSS extract)

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(e) Payment type (i.e. payment types that are eligible for Schoolkids Bonus)	Number of children
ABSTUDY	2,222
Carer Payment	39
Disability Support Pension	3,979
Family Tax Benefit	1,749,583
Parenting Payment Partnered	10
Parenting Payment Single	155
Special Benefit	228
Youth Allowance	7,219
TOTAL	1,763,435

Source: Department of Human Services Administrative Data (DSS extract).