

## Senate Committee: Education and Employment

### QUESTION ON NOTICE Additional Estimates 2016 - 2017

**Outcome: Schools and Youth**

**Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000527**

Senator Collins, Jacinta provided in writing.

#### ***Weighted or deemed SES averages***

##### **Question**

How are the weighted or deemed SES averages for approved authorities calculated, as per the Australian Education (SES scores) Determination 2013, that was tabled during the hearing on 1 March 2017.

##### **Answer**

System weighted SES scores are calculated by:

1. Multiplying the individual school SES score by the number of enrolments at each system member school.
2. Summing this calculation.
3. Dividing the total by the total number of enrolments in that system.
4. Rounding the result to the nearest whole number.

Source:

<https://aeaguide.education.gov.au/content/f1131-process-determination-ses-score-legislative-instrument>