

**Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment - Education**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
Budget Estimates 2014-2015**

**Outcome 2 - Schools and Youth**

**Department of Education Question No. ED0261\_15**

**Senator Wright provided in writing.**

**Question**

**Schools funding per student**

What is the total budgeted amount of schools funding per student that is being provided to each state and territory government for public schools in 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017. What is the total budgeted amount of schools funding per student that is being provided to Catholic school authorities in each state and territory in 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017. What is the average budgeted amount of schools funding per student that is being provided to Independent schools in each state and territory in 2014, 2015, 2016 and 2017.

**Answer**

The department can provide an estimate of the Commonwealth per-student amounts of recurrent funding by state and sector as follows:

**Table:** Commonwealth per-student amount by State and Sector, 2014-2017

<b>State</b>	<b>Sector</b>	<b>2014 \$</b>	<b>2015 \$</b>	<b>2016 \$</b>	<b>2017 \$</b>
NSW	G	1,951	2,153	2,361	2,766
NSW	C	7,364	7,755	8,153	8,632
NSW	I	5,871	6,150	6,441	6,790
VIC	G	1,998	2,247	2,383	2,533
VIC	C	7,329	7,721	8,109	8,504
VIC	I	5,609	5,930	6,266	6,607
QLD	G	2,026	2,298	2,573	2,868
QLD	C	7,378	7,824	8,190	8,555
QLD	I	6,283	6,624	6,987	7,359
SA	G	2,210	2,333	2,465	2,596
SA	C	7,575	7,930	8,311	8,699
SA	I	6,365	6,668	6,995	7,329

<b>State</b>	<b>Sector</b>	<b>2014 \$</b>	<b>2015 \$</b>	<b>2016 \$</b>	<b>2017 \$</b>
WA	G	1,919	2,112	2,285	2,471
WA	C	7,314	7,698	8,090	8,491
WA	I	5,897	6,190	6,523	6,867
TAS	G	2,562	2,763	2,992	3,221
TAS	C	7,720	8,348	8,944	9,593
TAS	I	6,504	7,026	7,516	8,053
ACT	G	2,013	2,073	2,165	2,260
ACT	C	6,481	6,912	7,350	7,796
ACT	I	5,395	5,553	5,748	5,949
NT	G	4,318	4,708	5,122	5,565
NT	C	12,036	13,018	14,044	15,075
NT	I	9,507	10,191	10,884	11,598
Australia	G	2,038	2,259	2,457	2,727
Australia	C	7,386	7,794	8,189	8,612
Australia	I	5,981	6,291	6,620	6,973
<b>Australia</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>3,706</b>	<b>3,990</b>	<b>4,256</b>	<b>4,575</b>

Source: Department of Education combined projections as at 2014–15 Budget