

Senate Committee: Education and Employment

QUESTION ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2017 - 2018

Outcome: Schools and Youth

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000773

Senator Collins, Jacinta provided in writing

Schools funding

Question

In which year, under your model, will all schools be receiving 95 per cent or more (Commonwealth + State) of the Schooling Resource Standard?

Answer

Following the passage of the Australian Education Amendment Bill 2017, Commonwealth recurrent funding for schools will be conditional on joint efforts with states and territories to reach at least 95 per cent of the Schooling Resource Standard in total public funding for both government and non-government schools by 2023, unless otherwise agreed in bilateral agreements.