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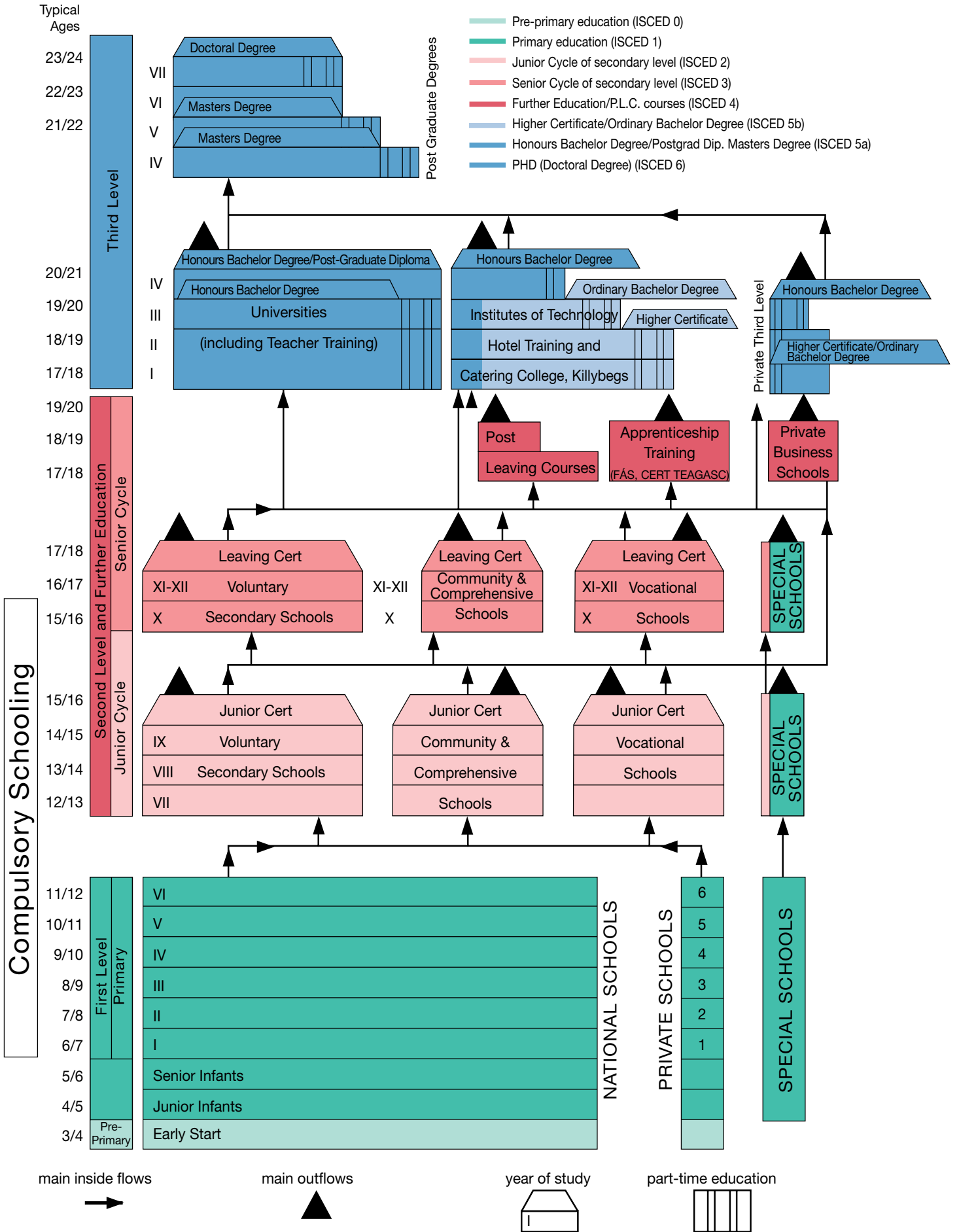


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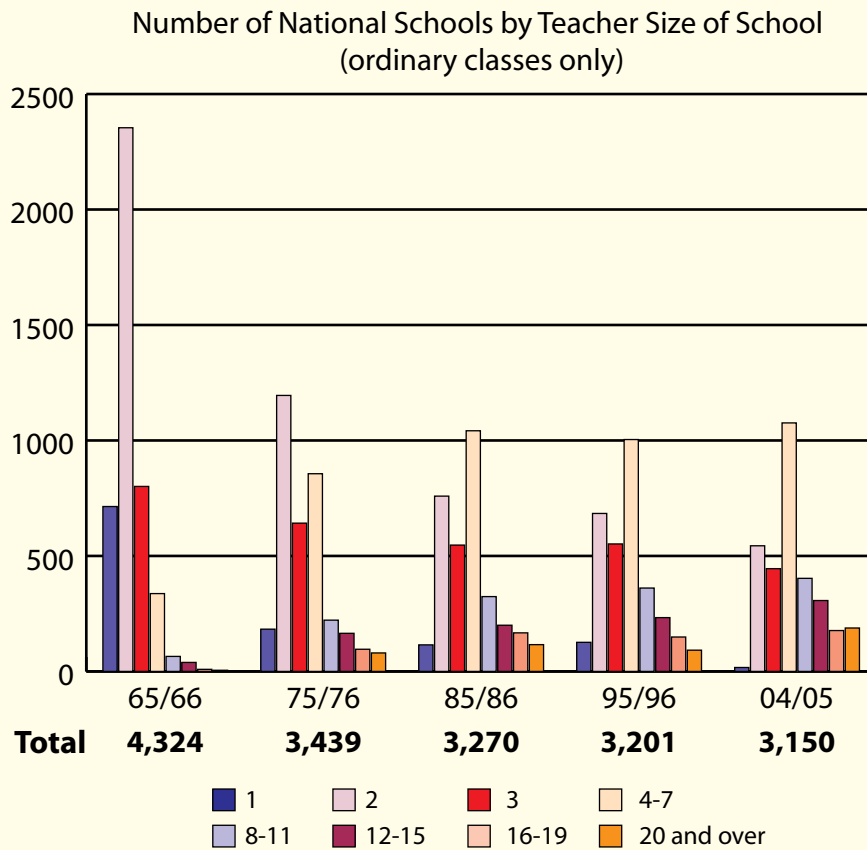
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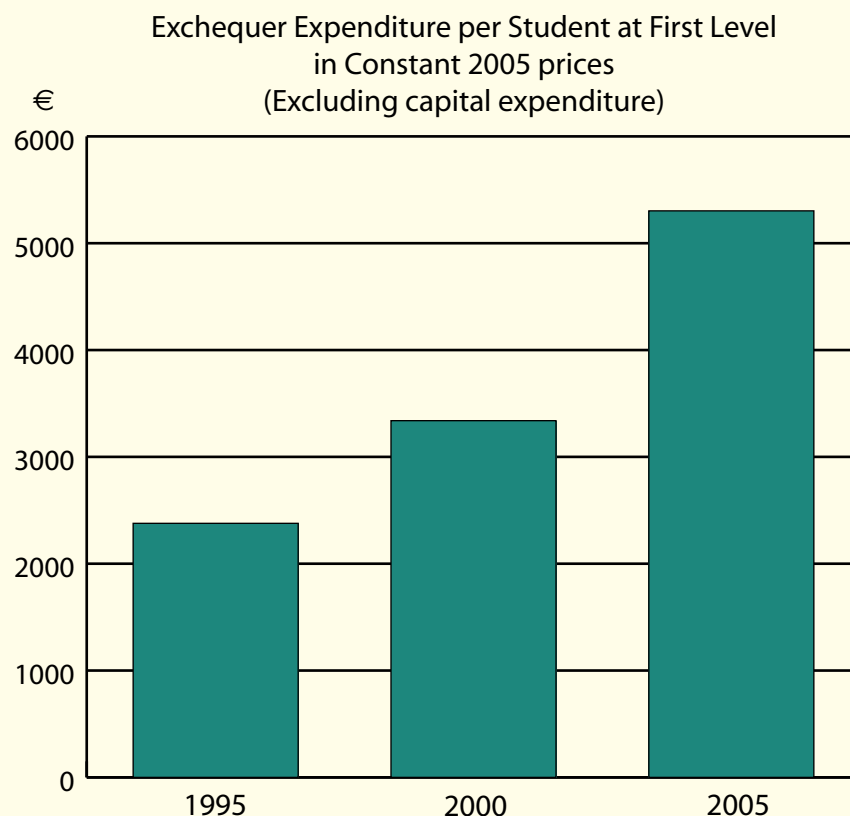


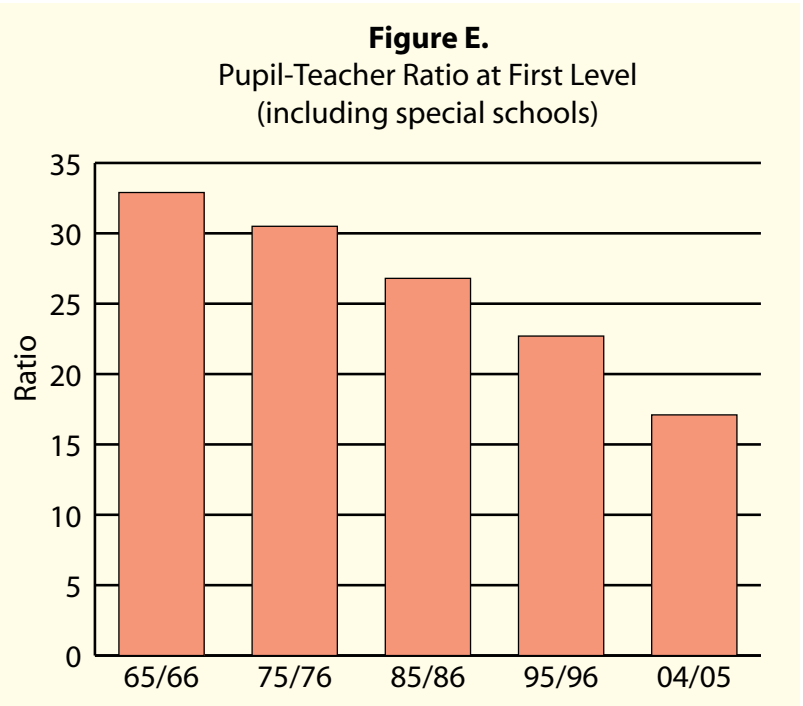
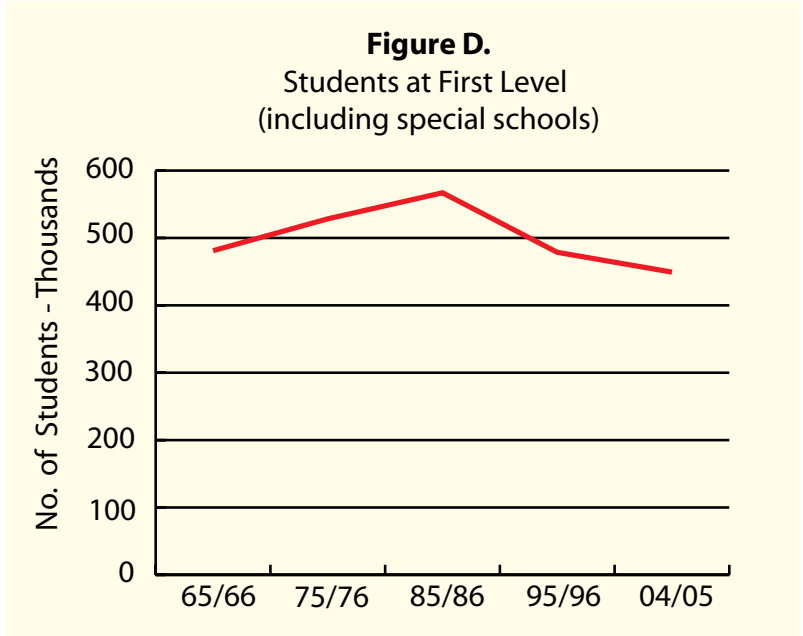
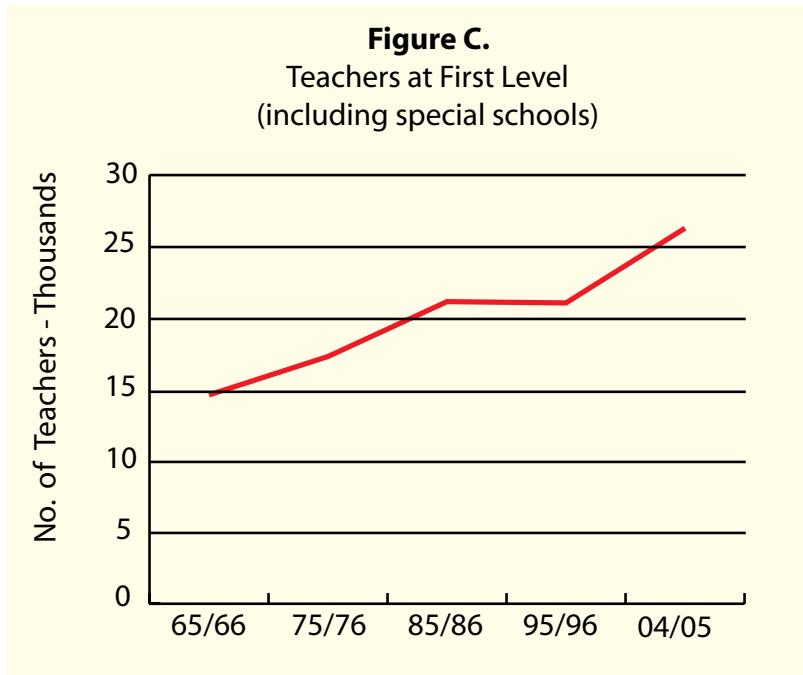
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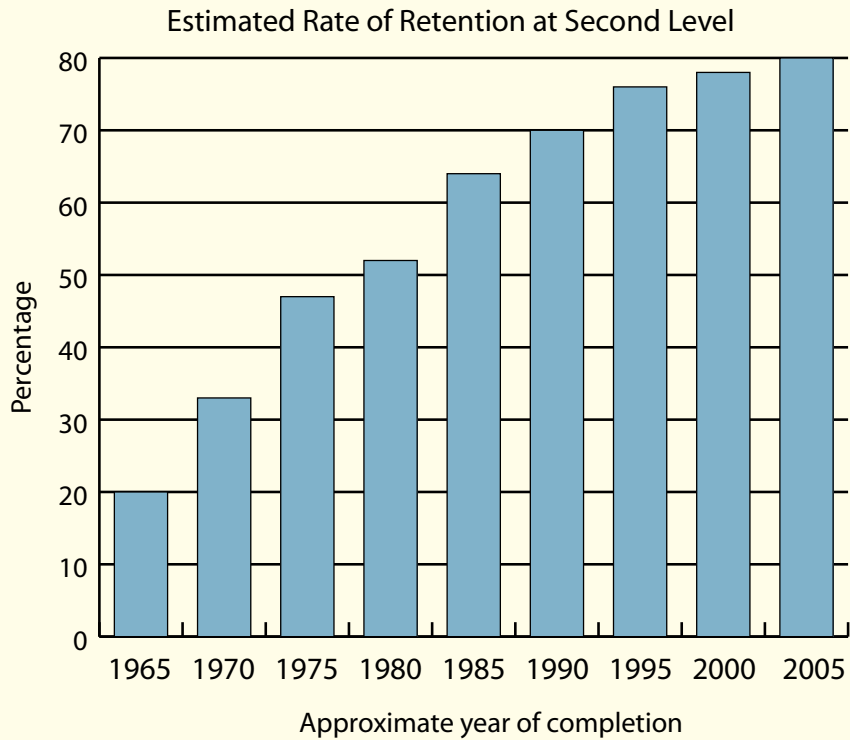


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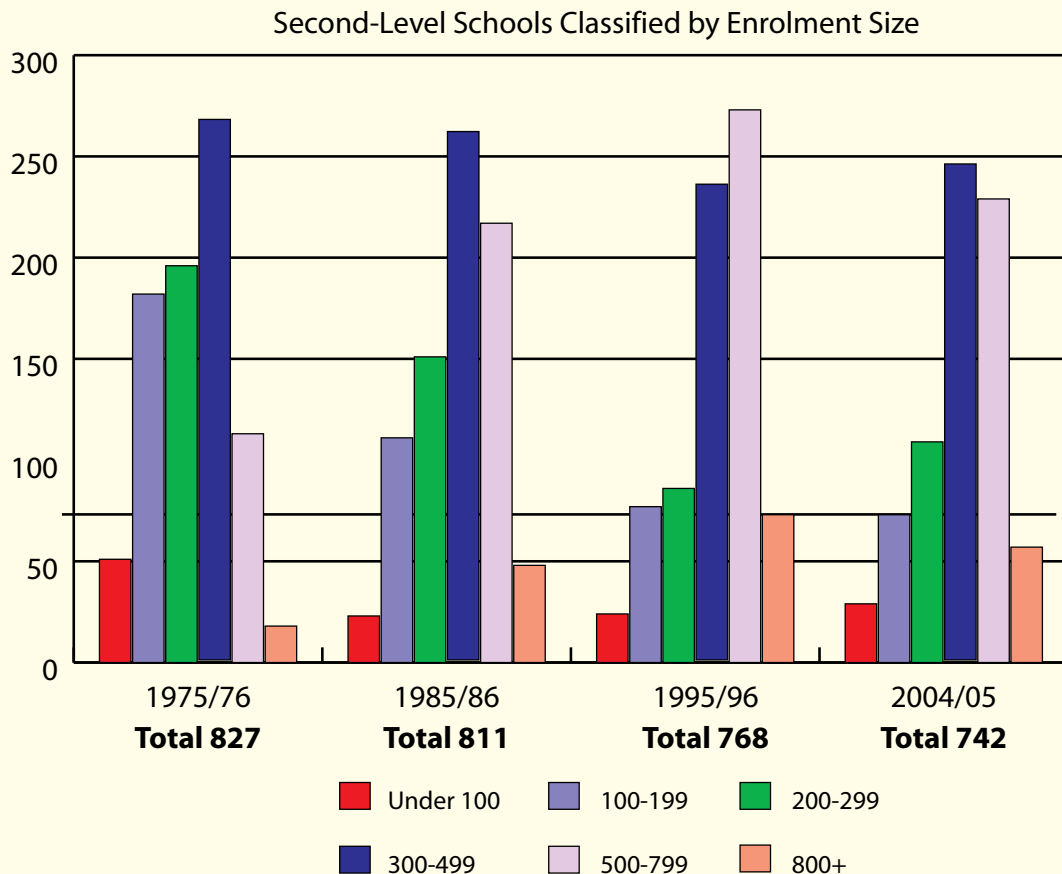
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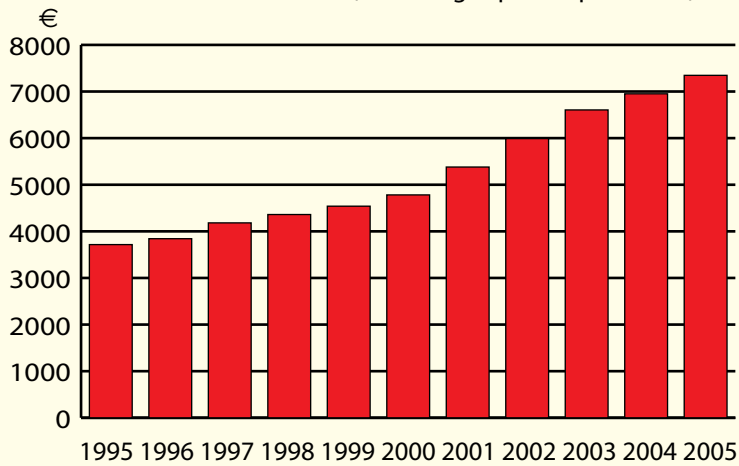
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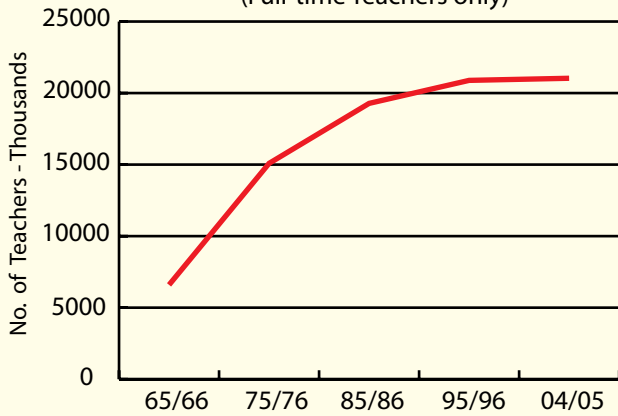
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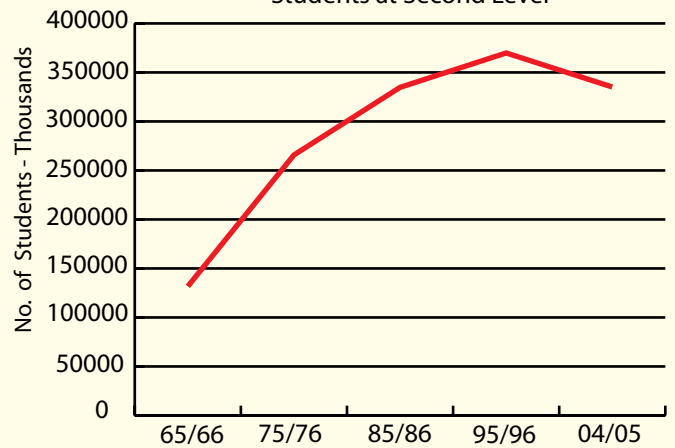
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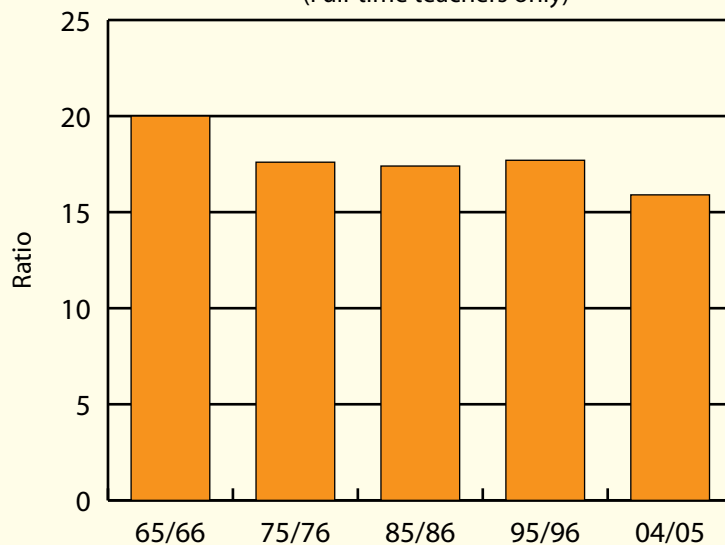
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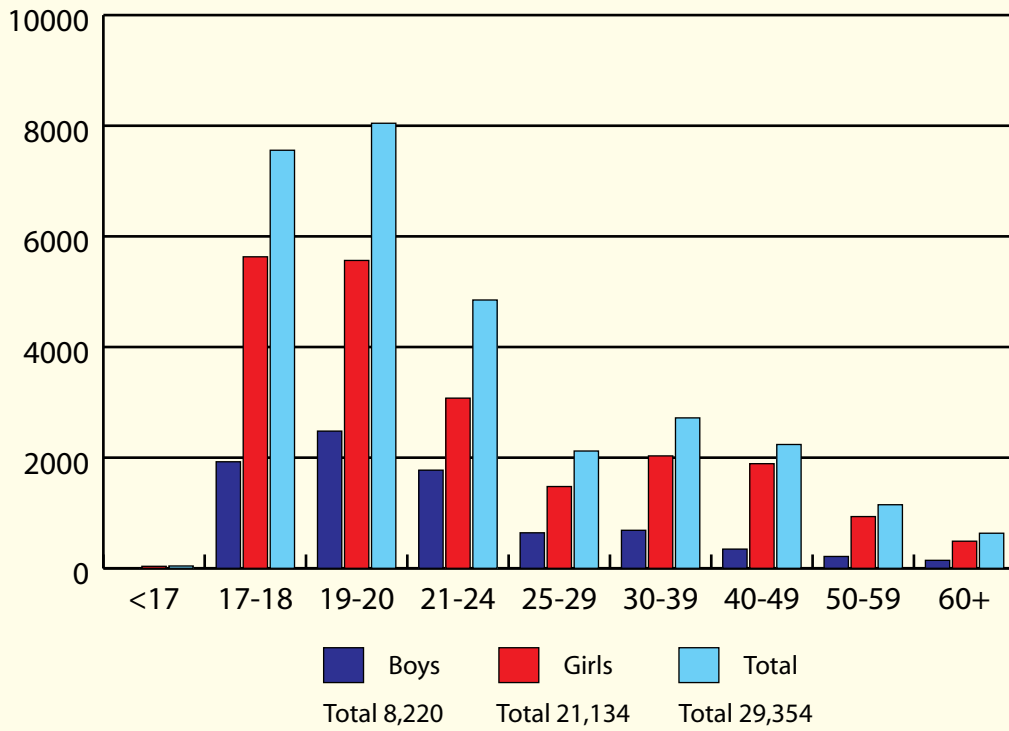
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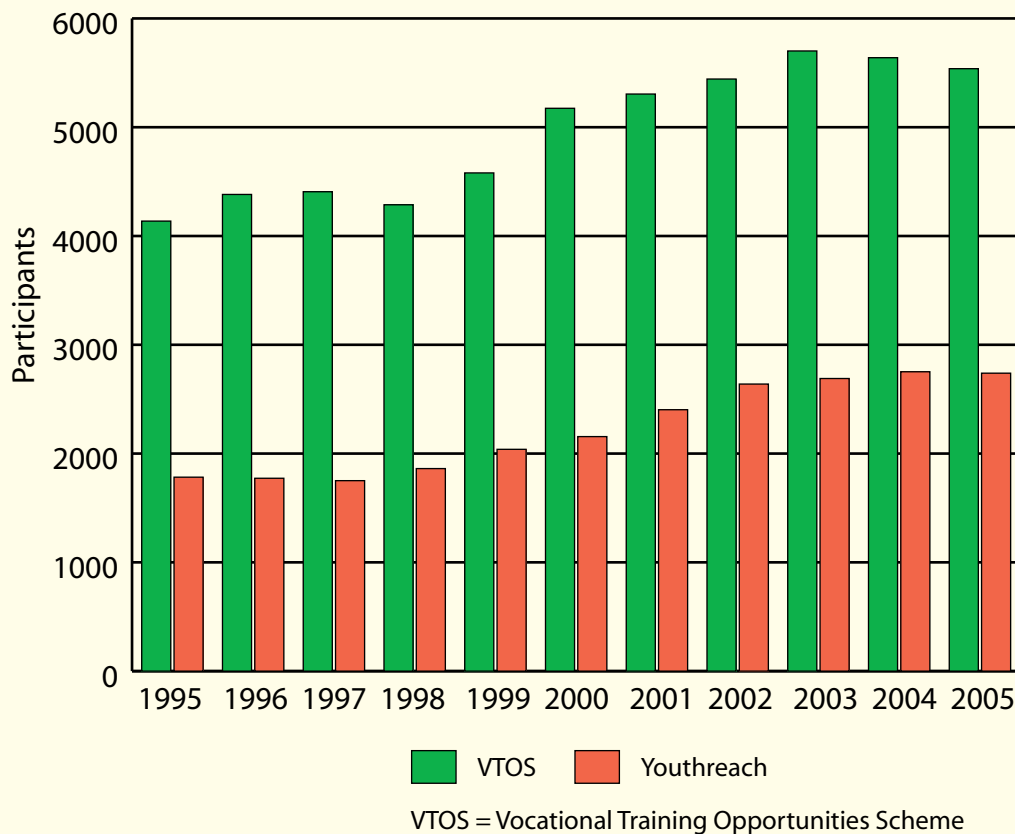
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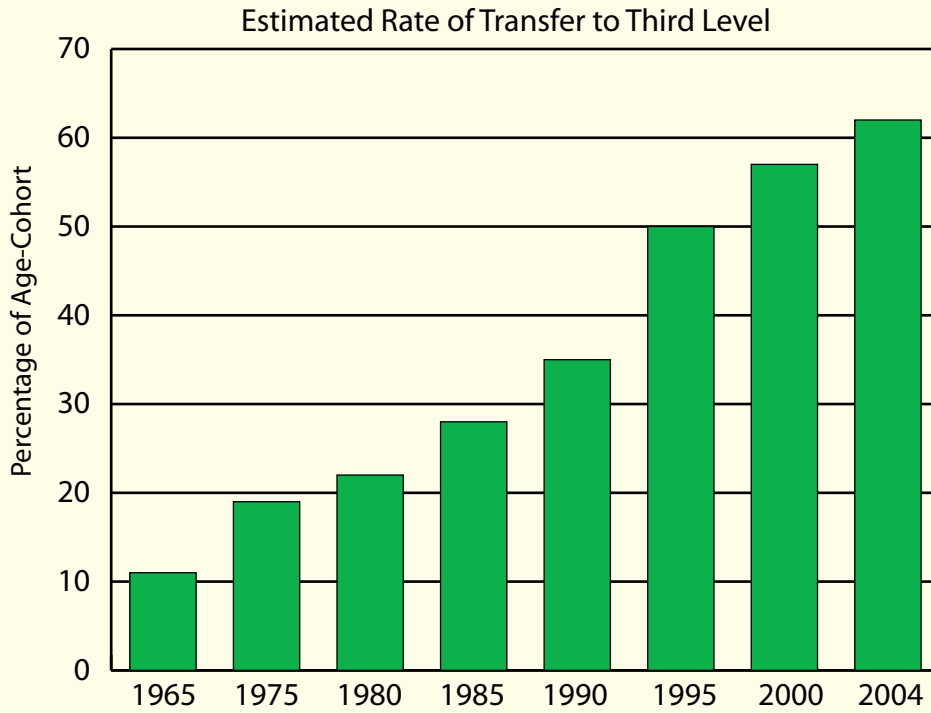


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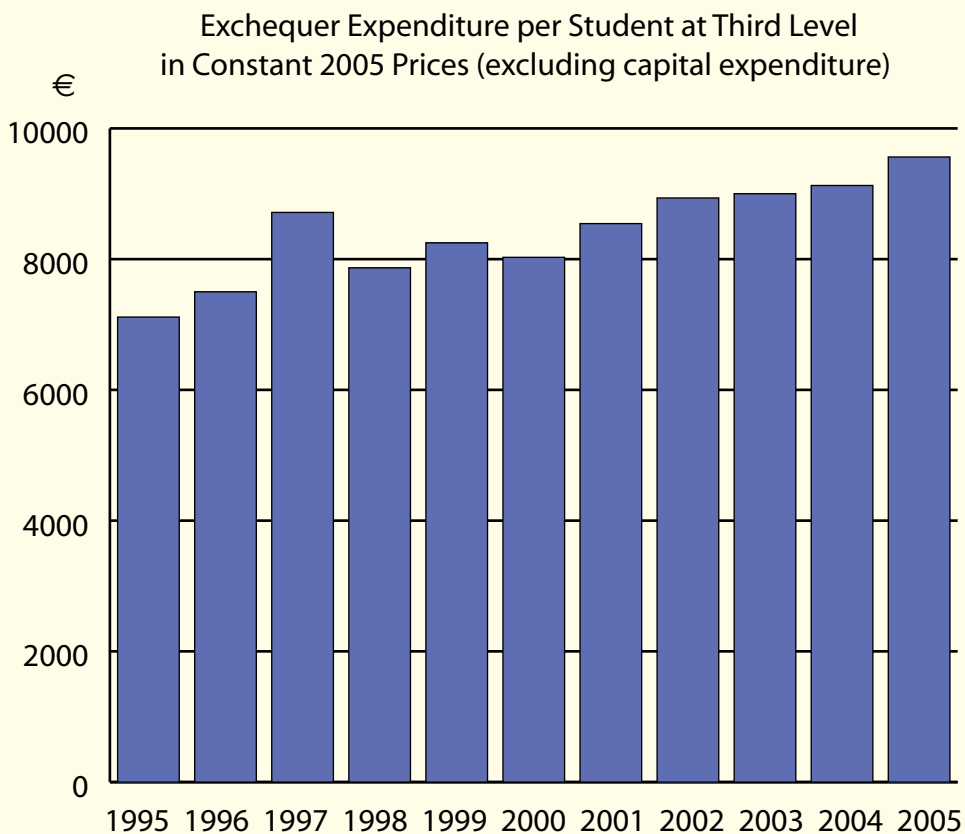
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# **Section I**

## **An Overview of Education Statistics**





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Data relating to enrolment in Section 1 and other Sections of this Report are based on statistical returns from educational institutions in the academic year 2004/2005. The **enrolment reference date** is as follows:

First Level September 30th 2004

Secondary, Vocational,  
Community and Comprehensive Schools September 30th 2004

Youthreach and Senior Traveller Training December, 2004

Institutes of Technology,  
Vocational Education Committees,  
Third Level Colleges,  
Private Secretarial Colleges and  
Private Third Level Colleges October 31st 2004

Higher Education Authority Institutions March 1st 2005

The age of pupils or students enrolled on the **enrolment reference date** relates to age as of January 1st 2005 in all cases. Hence, the **enrolment reference date** and **age reference date** are not the same.

**TABLE 1.1 - NUMBER OF PERSONS RECEIVING FULL-TIME EDUCATION BY SEX AND TYPE OF INSTITUTION ATTENDED**

TYPE OF INSTITUTION ATTENDED	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
<b>FIRST LEVEL — AIDED BY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION &amp; SCIENCE</b>			
<b>National Schools:</b>	<b>231,326</b>	<b>217,972</b>	<b>449,298</b>
<i>Pupils in Ordinary Classes</i>	221,940	211,380	433,320
<i>Pupils in Special Schools</i>	4,246	2,375	6,621
<i>Pupils with special needs in Ordinary National Schools</i>	5,140	4,217	9,357
<b>† † Non-Aided Primary Schools</b>	<b>3,193</b>	<b>3,081</b>	<b>6,274</b>
<b>TOTAL - First Level of which aided by Department of Education &amp; Science</b>	<b>234,519</b>	<b>221,053</b>	<b>455,572</b>
	231,326	217,972	449,298
<b>SECOND LEVEL — AIDED BY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION &amp; SCIENCE</b>			
<b>Junior Cycle</b>	<b>86,421</b>	<b>84,892</b>	<b>171,313</b>
<i>Secondary</i>	47,564	54,340	101,904
<i>Community &amp; Comprehensive</i>	15,578	13,218	28,796
<i>Vocational</i>	23,279	17,334	40,613
<b>*Senior Cycle (General)</b>	<b>64,619</b>	<b>69,876</b>	<b>134,495</b>
<i>Secondary</i>	36,691	45,566	82,257
<i>Community and Comprehensive</i>	11,682	10,760	22,442
<i>Vocational</i>	16,246	13,550	29,796
<b>**VPT</b>	<b>8,220</b>	<b>21,134</b>	<b>29,354</b>
<i>Secondary</i>	108	757	865
<i>Community &amp; Comprehensive</i>	180	1,025	1,205
<i>Vocational</i>	7,932	19,352	27,284
<b>Horology College</b>	-	-	-
<b>Other Courses</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>587</b>	<b>1,082</b>
<i>Institutes of Technology</i>	489	580	1,069
<i>Killybegs &amp; Tipperary Institute</i>	6	7	13
<b>AIDED BY OTHER DEPARTMENTS (AGRICULTURE/DEFENCE)</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>713</b>
<b>NON-AIDED COMMERCIAL</b>	<b>872</b>	<b>1,299</b>	<b>2,171</b>
<b>TOTAL-Second Level of which aided by Department of Education &amp; Science</b>	<b>161,235</b>	<b>177,893</b>	<b>339,128</b>
	159,755	176,489	336,244
<b>THIRD LEVEL — AIDED BY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION &amp; SCIENCE</b>			
<b>***H.E.A. Institutions (Aided)</b>	<b>32,810</b>	<b>46,160</b>	<b>78,970</b>
<b>Teacher Training</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>982</b>	<b>1,090</b>
<i>Primary</i>	66	610	676
<i>Home Economic Colleges</i>	42	372	414
<b>Technological Colleges</b>	<b>27,573</b>	<b>24,656</b>	<b>52,229</b>
<i>Institutes of Technology</i>	27,292	24,367	51,659
<i>Killybegs &amp; Tipperary Institute</i>	281	289	570
<b>††† Other Aided Institutions</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>747</b>	<b>1,402</b>
<b>AIDED BY OTHER DEPARTMENTS (JUSTICE/DEFENCE)</b>	<b>928</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>1,319</b>
<b>NON-AIDED</b>	<b>4,383</b>	<b>4,153</b>	<b>8,536</b>
<i>Religious Institutions</i>	375	609	984
<i>Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland</i>	820	849	1,669
<i>Other</i>	3,188	2,695	5,883
<b>TOTAL - Third Level of which aided by Department of Education &amp; Science</b>	<b>66,457</b>	<b>77,089</b>	<b>143,546</b>
	61,146	72,545	133,691
<b>GRAND TOTAL of which aided by Department of Education &amp; Science</b>	<b>462,211</b>	<b>476,035</b>	<b>938,246</b>
	452,227	467,006	919,233

Note: Institutions aided by the Department of Education and Science refer to teaching institutions which typically receive more than 50 per cent of their revenue directly from public authorities.

†† Non-Aided Primary Schools exclude centres not catering for children aged six or over.

\* Comprises all Leaving Certificate Programmes and the Transition year

\*\* Comprises Post-Leaving Certificate (or VPT2)

\*\*\* Includes Mary Immaculate College of Education, St. Patrick's Teacher Training College and Mater Dei Institute

††† Comprises National College of Ireland and Pontifical College, Maynooth, Co. Kildare

**TABLE 1.2 - NUMBER OF PERSONS RECEIVING FULL-TIME EDUCATION BY AGE AND TYPE OF INSTITUTION ATTENDED — MALES & FEMALES**

TYPE OF INSTITUTION	AGE (ON 1ST JANUARY 2005)												TOTAL	
	3 to 5	6 to 11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21 and over		
<b>FIRST LEVEL: — AIDED BY DEPT. OF ED &amp; SC. :</b>														
<b>National Schools:</b>														
<i>Pupils in Ordinary Classes</i>	80,019	319,478	31,783	1,966	74	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	433,320
<i>Pupils in Special Schools †</i>	352	2,244	532	640	689	696	644	525	222	41	15	21	6,621	
<i>Pupils with special needs in Ord N.S.</i>	1,243	6,747	1,029	262	76	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,357	
<b>† † NON-AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOLS</b>	1,512	4,373	368	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,274	
<b>TOTAL -First Level of which aided by Department of Education and Science</b>	<b>83,126</b>	<b>332,842</b>	<b>33,712</b>	<b>2,889</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>696</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>455,572</b>	
	81,614	328,469	33,344	2,868	839	696	644	525	222	41	15	21	449,298	
<b>SECOND LEVEL — AIDED BY DEPT. OF ED &amp; SC. :</b>														
<b>Junior Cycle</b>														
<i>Secondary</i>	-	23	13,601	33,039	34,143	19,793	1,156	74	26	10	12	27	101,904	
<i>Community &amp; Comprehensive</i>	-	4	3,522	9,122	9,694	5,928	471	35	5	3	-	12	28,796	
<i>Vocational</i>	-	8	4,805	12,611	13,722	8,534	828	55	13	6	2	29	40,613	
<b>*Senior Cycle</b>														
<i>Secondary</i>	-	-	-	-	43	13,009	31,054	27,474	9,996	561	61	59	82,257	
<i>Community &amp; Comprehensive</i>	-	-	-	-	9	3,611	8,858	7,375	2,380	156	18	35	22,442	
<i>Vocational</i>	-	-	-	-	5	4,583	11,795	9,545	3,075	410	100	283	29,796	
<b>**VPT</b>														
<i>Secondary</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	56	155	131	44	478	865	
<i>Community &amp; Comprehensive</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	145	269	140	73	576	1,205	
<i>Vocational</i>	-	-	-	-	-	5	34	1,825	5,107	4,763	2,894	12,656	27,284	
<b>Horology College</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Other Courses</b>														
<i>Institutes of Technology</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	71	228	234	130	406	1,069	
<i>Killybegs &amp; Tipperary Institute</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	13	
<b>AIDED BY OTHER DEPARTMENTS: (Agriculture/Defence)</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	80	221	183	83	142	713	
<b>NON-AIDED COMMERCIAL</b>	-	-	-	-	-	10	226	613	684	225	71	342	2,171	
<b>TOTAL-Second Level of which aided by Department of Education and Science</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>21,928</b>	<b>54,772</b>	<b>57,616</b>	<b>55,473</b>	<b>54,429</b>	<b>47,348</b>	<b>22,159</b>	<b>6,822</b>	<b>3,488</b>	<b>15,058</b>	<b>339,128</b>	
	-	35	21,928	54,772	57,616	55,463	54,199	46,655	21,254	6,414	3,334	14,574	336,244	
<b>THIRD LEVEL:— AIDED BY DEPT. OF ED &amp; SC. :</b>														
<b>H.E.A. Institutions (Aided)</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,628	9,355	13,709	14,367	39,911	78,970	
<b>Teacher Training Colleges</b>														
<i>Primary</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	108	176	149	230	676	
<i>Home Economics</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	23	66	49	264	414	
<b>Technological Colleges</b>														
<i>Institutes of Technology</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1,543	7,358	9,916	9,719	23,119	51,659	
<i>Killybegs &amp; Tipperary Institute</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	46	67	91	76	276	570	
<b>Other Aided Institutions</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43	173	280	278	628	1,402	
<b>AIDED BY OTHER DEPARTMENTS: (Justice/Defence)</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	20	44	102	1,151	1,319	
<b>NON-AIDED</b>														
<i>Religious Institutions</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	82	107	84	698	984	
<i>R.C.S.I.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	99	165	278	1,117	1,669	
<i>Other</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	57	384	654	648	4,139	5,883	
<b>TOTAL - Third Level of which aided by Department of Education and Science</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>3,367</b>	<b>17,669</b>	<b>25,208</b>	<b>25,750</b>	<b>71,533</b>	<b>143,546</b>	
	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	3,285	17,084	24,238	24,638	64,428	133,691	
<b>GRAND TOTAL of which aided by Department of Education and Science</b>	<b>83,126</b>	<b>332,877</b>	<b>55,640</b>	<b>57,661</b>	<b>58,455</b>	<b>56,169</b>	<b>55,092</b>	<b>51,240</b>	<b>40,050</b>	<b>32,071</b>	<b>29,253</b>	<b>86,612</b>	<b>938,246</b>	
	81,666	328,654	55,272	57,640	58,455	56,159	54,861	50,465	38,560	30,693	27,987	79,023	919,233	

† Some students in Special Schools are following Second Level courses (Junior Certificate and Leaving Certificate)

† † Non-Aided Primary Schools exclude centres not catering for children aged six or over.

\* Comprises all Leaving Certificate Programmes and Transition Year.

\*\* Comprises Post-Leaving Certificate (VPT2)

**TABLE 1.3 - NUMBER OF PERSONS RECEIVING FULL-TIME EDUCATION BY AGE AND TYPE OF INSTITUTION ATTENDED — FEMALES**

TYPE OF INSTITUTION	AGE (ON 1ST JANUARY 2005 )												TOTAL
	3 to 5	6 to 11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21 and over	
<b>FIRST LEVEL: — AIDED BY DEPT. OF ED &amp; SC. :</b>													
<b>National Schools:</b>													
<i>Pupils in Ordinary Classes</i>	39,760	155,998	14,792	805	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	211,380
<i>Pupils in Special Schools †</i>	138	759	178	229	208	258	263	215	85	20	11	11	2,375
<i>Pupils with special needs in Ord N.S</i>	559	3,042	471	113	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,217
<b>† † NON- AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOLS</b>	824	2,086	162	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,081
<b>TOTAL -First Level</b>	<b>41,281</b>	<b>161,885</b>	<b>15,603</b>	<b>1,156</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>221,053</b>
<i>of which aided by Department of Education and Science</i>	40,457	159,799	15,441	1,147	265	258	263	215	85	20	11	11	217,972
<b>SECOND LEVEL — AIDED BY DEPT. OF ED &amp; SC. :</b>													
<b>Junior Cycle</b>													
<i>Secondary</i>	-	13	7,738	17,715	18,123	10,132	538	44	12	5	8	12	54,340
<i>Community &amp; Comprehensive</i>	-	3	1,806	4,205	4,410	2,610	165	13	3	1	-	2	13,218
<i>Vocational</i>	-	4	2,367	5,503	5,786	3,320	306	21	9	1	2	15	17,334
<b>*Senior Cycle</b>													
<i>Secondary</i>	-	-	-	-	27	7,437	17,042	15,191	5,510	301	30	28	45,566
<i>Community &amp; Comprehensive</i>	-	-	-	-	4	1,825	4,242	3,483	1,107	62	9	28	10,760
<i>Vocational</i>	-	-	-	-	2	2,216	5,304	4,238	1,404	190	51	145	13,550
<b>**VPT</b>													
<i>Secondary</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	44	125	109	40	438	757
<i>Community &amp; Comprehensive</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	121	215	107	61	519	1,025
<i>Vocational</i>	-	-	-	-	-	4	29	1,372	3,754	3,323	1,925	8,945	19,352
<b>Horology College</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Other Courses</b>													
<i>Institutes of Technology</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52	149	145	67	167	580
<i>Killybegs &amp; Tipperary Institute</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7
<b>AIDED BY OTHER DEPARTMENTS: (Agriculture/Defence)</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	15	28	21	7	30	105
<b>NON-AIDED COMMERCIAL</b>	-	-	-	-	-	3	126	398	430	122	42	178	1,299
<b>TOTAL-Second Level</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>11,911</b>	<b>27,423</b>	<b>28,352</b>	<b>27,547</b>	<b>27,759</b>	<b>24,992</b>	<b>12,746</b>	<b>4,387</b>	<b>2,242</b>	<b>10,514</b>	<b>177,893</b>
<i>of which aided by Department of Education and Science</i>	-	20	11,911	27,423	28,352	27,544	27,629	24,579	12,288	4,244	2,193	10,306	176,489
<b>THIRD LEVEL: — AIDED BY DEPT. OF ED &amp; SC. :</b>													
<b>H.E.A. Institutions (Aided)</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,001	5,752	8,297	8,731	22,379	46,160
<b>Teacher Training Colleges</b>													
<i>Primary</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	99	164	133	201	610
<i>Home Economics</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	22	66	47	225	372
<b>Technological Colleges</b>													
<i>Institutes of Technology</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	692	3,304	4,633	4,714	11,022	24,367
<i>Killybegs &amp; Tipperary Institute</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	29	29	39	40	139	289
<b>Other Aided Institutions</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	100	171	162	286	747
<b>AIDED BY OTHER DEPARTMENTS: (Justice/Defence)</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	7	17	363	391
<b>NON-AIDED</b>													
<i>Religious Institutions</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	63	86	56	394	609
<i>R.C.S.I.</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	43	86	153	559	849
<i>Other</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	224	349	306	1,776	2,695
<b>TOTAL - Third Level</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1,833</b>	<b>9,640</b>	<b>13,898</b>	<b>14,359</b>	<b>37,344</b>	<b>77,089</b>
<i>of which aided by Department of Education and Science</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	1,775	9,306	13,370	13,827	34,252	72,545
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>41,281</b>	<b>161,905</b>	<b>27,514</b>	<b>28,579</b>	<b>28,617</b>	<b>27,805</b>	<b>28,037</b>	<b>27,040</b>	<b>22,471</b>	<b>18,305</b>	<b>16,612</b>	<b>47,869</b>	<b>476,035</b>
<i>of which aided by Department of Education and Science</i>	40,491	159,885	27,352	28,570	28,617	27,802	27,907	26,569	21,679	17,634	16,031	44,569	467,006

† Some students in Special Schools are following Second Level courses (Junior Certificate and Leaving Certificate)

† † Non-Aided Primary Schools exclude centres not catering for children aged six or over.

\* Comprises all Leaving Certificate Programmes and Transition Year.

\*\* Comprises Post-Leaving Certificate (VPT2)

**TABLE 1.4 - NUMBER OF PERSONS RECEIVING FULL-TIME EDUCATION AND ESTIMATED PARTICIPATION RATES BY AGE**

AGE ON 1ST JANUARY 2005	ENROLMENT			ENROLMENT AS % OF POPULATION *		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
3 and under	234	275	509	0.8 °	1.0 °	0.9 °
4	12,352	13,430	25,782	42.5	48.6	45.5
5	29,277	27,610	56,887	99.9	98.1	99.0
6	29,882	28,464	58,346			
7	29,363	28,264	57,627			
8	28,792	26,789	55,581			
9	27,848	26,145	53,993	100.7	101.9	101.3
10	27,524	26,061	53,585			
11	27,647	26,248	53,895			
12	28,126	27,514	55,640			
13	29,082	28,579	57,661			
14	29,838	28,617	58,455			
15	28,364	27,805	56,169	96.9	99.3	98.1
16	27,055	28,037	55,092	91.8	100.8	96.1
17	24,200	27,040	51,240	79.2	91.8	85.4
18	17,579	22,471	40,050	56.2	76.3	66.0
19	13,766	18,305	32,071	44.6	61.3	52.8
20	12,641	16,612	29,253	39.1	53.7	46.2
21	10,573	13,098	23,671	32.8	40.7	36.8
22	7,484	7,995	15,479	21.6	22.9	22.3
23	4,552	4,578	9,130	12.9	12.9	12.9
24	3,124	3,175	6,299	8.4	8.7	8.6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>449,303</b>	<b>457,112</b>	<b>906,415</b>	<b>70.5 †</b>	<b>74.6 †</b>	<b>72.5 †</b>

\* Estimates of participation in full-time education by single year of age are based on provisional population estimates supplied by the Central Statistics Office. Caution should be exercised in comparing data with previous years.

° Participation as a percentage of the estimated population aged 3.

† Total participation up to age 24 as a percentage of the estimated population aged 4-24

Non-Aided Primary Schools exclude centres not catering for children aged six or over.

**TABLE 1.5 - NUMBER OF PERSONS IN FULL-TIME EDUCATION CLASSIFIED BY AID CATEGORY AND I.S.C.E.D. LEVEL \* - MALES AND FEMALES**

AIDED BY DEPT. OF ED. & SC.								
Aid Category ISCED Level	Directly aided	Administered by		Total aided by Dept. of Education and Science	Aided by other Depts. Agriculture/ Defence/ Justice	Total publicly aided	Total non-aided	Grand Total
		Vocational Education Committees	Higher Education Authority					
0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,512	1,512
1	449,298	-	-	449,298	-	449,298	4,762	454,060
2	130,700	40,613	-	171,313	-	171,313	-	171,313
3	104,699	29,796	-	134,495	-	134,495	1,892	136,387
4	3,152	27,284	-	30,436	713	31,149	279	31,428
5B	29,526	192	505	30,223	1,319	31,542	1,729	33,271
5A	24,837	-	74,536	99,373	-	99,373	6,684	106,057
6	166	-	3,929	4,095	-	4,095	123	4,218
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>742,378</b>	<b>97,885</b>	<b>78,970</b>	<b>919,233</b>	<b>2,032</b>	<b>921,265</b>	<b>16,981</b>	<b>938,246</b>

Note: Private Primary School pupils under 6 years of age have been allocated to ISCED level 0; those aged 6 years of age and over have been allocated to ISCED level 1. The total enrolments 455,572 (Male and Female) and 221,053 (Female) at First Level on Table 1.1 correspond to the total enrolments at ISCED levels 0, 1 in Tables 1.5 and 1.6 respectively.

\* See explanatory note on International Standard Classification of Education on page 9.

**TABLE 1.6 - NUMBER OF PERSONS IN FULL-TIME EDUCATION CLASSIFIED BY AID CATEGORY AND I.S.C.E.D. LEVEL - FEMALES ONLY**

AIDED BY DEPT. OF ED. & SC.								
Aid Category ISCED Level	Directly aided	Administered by		Total aided by Dept. of Education and Science	Aided by other Depts. Agriculture/ Defence/ Justice	Total publicly aided	Total non-aided	Grand Total
		Vocational Education Committees	Higher Education Authority					
0	-	-	-	-	-	-	824	824
1	217,972	-	-	217,972	-	217,972	2,257	220,229
2	67,558	17,334	-	84,892	-	84,892	-	84,892
3	56,326	13,550	-	69,876	-	69,876	1,145	71,021
4	2,369	19,352	-	21,721	105	21,826	154	21,980
5B	13,271	104	378	13,753	391	14,144	996	15,140
5A	12,919	-	43,945	56,864	-	56,864	3,092	59,956
6	91	-	1,837	1,928	-	1,928	65	1,993
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>370,506</b>	<b>50,340</b>	<b>46,160</b>	<b>467,006</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>467,502</b>	<b>8,533</b>	<b>476,035</b>

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE ON THE INTERNATIONAL STANDARD CLASSIFICATION OF EDUCATION

In order to facilitate international use of this publication, data on student enrolment are provided according to ISCED97 (The International Standard Classification of Education) as well as by traditional national categories. ISCED was designed by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation (UNESCO) in the early 1970s to serve as an instrument suitable for assembling, compiling and presenting statistics of education within individual countries and internationally. It has also been accepted by EUROSTAT (Statistical Office of the European Union) and the OECD (Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development). ISCED was revised in 1997 and the following represents the new categorisations decided upon under ISCED97.

There are seven levels in ISCED, coded as follows:

### **ISCED 0 (Pre-Primary) Education**

Programmes at level 0 comprise pupils aged 3-6 years in non-aided Private Primary Schools and in Early Start Programmes.

### **ISCED 1 (Primary Education)**

Programmes at level 1 comprise pupils enrolled in all standards in National School (including Junior and Senior Infants), in Special Schools and in private primary schools.

### **ISCED 2 (Lower Secondary Education)**

Programmes at Level 2 comprise students enrolled in the Junior Cycle of second level.

### **ISCED 3 (Upper Secondary Education)**

Programmes at level 3 comprise students enrolled in the Senior Cycle of second level including Transition Year.

### **ISCED 4 (Post-Secondary, Non Tertiary Education)**

Programmes at level 4 comprise students enrolled on Post Leaving Certificate (P.L.C.), Teagasc and Secretarial courses.

### **ISCED 5 (First Stages of Tertiary Education)**

#### **ISCED 5B**

Programmes at level 5B lead to awards such as Higher Certificate or Ordinary Bachelor Degree.

#### **ISCED 5A**

Programmes at level 5A lead to an Honours Bachelor Degree, a Post-Graduate Diploma or Master's Degree.

### **ISCED 6 (Second Stage of Tertiary Education)**

Programmes at level 6 lead to an advanced research qualification i.e. a Doctoral Degree.

**TABLE 1.7 — NUMBER OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

<b>FIRST LEVEL:</b>	
<b>Aided by Department of Education &amp; Science:</b>	
National Schools (Ordinary)	3,157
Special Schools	127
<b>● Non-Aided Primary Schools</b>	44
<b>SECOND LEVEL:</b>	
<b>Aided by Department of Education &amp; Science:</b>	
Secondary Schools	403
Vocational Schools	247
Community Schools	76
Comprehensive Schools	16
<b>Aided by other Departments (Agriculture/Defence)</b>	10
<b>● Non-Aided Colleges</b>	11
<b>THIRD LEVEL:</b>	
<b>Aided by Department of Education &amp; Science:</b>	
†Universities	7
* Other H.E.A. Institutions	4
Teacher Training:	
— Primary**	3
— Home Economics	2
Institutes of Technology	14
<b>Other</b> (includes N.C.I., Killybegs H.T.C., Tipperary Institute and Pontifical College)	4
<b>Aided by other Departments (Justice/Defence)</b>	2
<b>● Non-Aided:</b>	
Religious Institutions	5
Other (including Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland)	18

- Data in respect of Non-Aided Schools and Colleges represent the number of such schools which provided the Department with Statistical Returns of their enrolment. Non-aided primary schools not catering for children aged 6 or over are excluded from this table. Non-aided second level colleges provide Secretarial, Commercial and Leaving Certificate courses.

† The seven Universities are Trinity College, Dublin; University College Dublin - National University of Ireland, Dublin; University College Cork - National University of Ireland, Cork; National University of Ireland, Galway; National University of Ireland, Maynooth; University of Limerick and Dublin City University. The National University of Ireland comprises the four Constituent Universities - University College Dublin - NUI, Dublin; University College Cork - NUI, Cork; NUI, Galway and NUI, Maynooth.

\* Includes National College of Art and Design, St. Patrick's Teacher Training College, Drumcondra, Mary Immaculate College of Education and the Mater Dei Institute.

\*\* Includes St. Mary's Marino, Church of Ireland College of Education, Upper Rathmines Road and Froebel College of Education, Sion Hill, Blackrock.



**TABLE 1.8-VOTED EXPENDITURE BY SECTOR FOR FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 2004.**

SECTOR	€ (MILLIONS)		
	CURRENT	CAPITAL	TOTAL
<b>Administration</b>			
Pay	47.3	-	47.3
Non-Pay	13.9	-	13.9
Capital	-	0.9	0.9
Gross Total	61.2	0.9	62.1
<b>Other Services</b>			
School Transport	109.8	-	109.8
Grant In Aid Fund for General Expenses of Youth and Sport Organisations	38.6	-	38.6
Schools Information and Communications Technological Activities	8.0	-	8.0
Child Abuse Commission	7.7	-	7.7
Residential Institutions Redress	153.3	-	153.3
Other	113.8	-	113.8
Gross Total	431.2	-	431.2
Deduct Appropriations-in-Aid	9.9	-	9.9
Net Total	421.3	-	421.3
<b>First Level Education</b>			
Gross Total	2,070.2	-	2,070.2
Deduct Appropriations-in-Aid	96.9	-	96.9
Net Total	1,973.3	-	1,973.3
<b>Second Level &amp; Further Education Grants &amp; Services</b>			
Gross Total	2,188.5	1.3	2,189.8
Deduct Appropriations-in-Aid	149.6	-	149.6
Net Total	2,038.9	1.3	2,040.2
<b>Third Level &amp; Further Education Grants &amp; Services</b>			
Higher Education Authority	635.8	-	635.8
Institutes of Technology & Killybegs H.T.C. College	407.6	-	407.6
Training Colleges for Primary Teachers	9.7	-	9.7
Student Grants and Scholarships	96.5	-	96.5
Other	222.1	-	222.1
Gross Total	1,371.7	-	1,371.7
Deduct Appropriations-in-Aid	31.2	-	31.2
Net Total	1,340.5	-	1,340.5
<b>Capital Services</b>			
First-Level	-	172.7	172.7
Second-Level	-	162.4	162.4
Third-Level	-	96.6	96.6
Schools Information and Communications Technological Activities	-	19.7	19.7
Public Private Partnerships	20.8	-	20.8
Gross Total	20.8	451.4	472.2
Deduct Appropriations-in-Aid	-	-	-
Net Total	20.8	451.4	472.2
<b>Total Gross Expenditure</b>	<b>6,143.6</b>	<b>453.6</b>	<b>6,597.2</b>
<b>Deduct Total Appropriations-in-Aid</b>	<b>287.6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>287.6</b>
<b>Total Net Expenditure</b>	<b>5,856.0</b>	<b>453.6</b>	<b>6,309.6</b>

**NOTES:**

1. Total Appropriations in Aid for the 2004 Financial Year amounted to €287.6m., of which €150.1m., were contributions to the various Superannuation and related schemes by teachers and other staff, €119.1m. was received from the European Social Fund and €18.4m was received from other sources.
2. Transport expenditure shown above under the Office of the Minister for Education and Science has been allocated by sector in the respective financial statements in tables 2.31 and 3.24.
3. Voted Expenditure refers to the ordinary services of the Department of Education and Science, the monies for which are voted by the Dáil and included under Vote 26 of the 2004 Revised Estimates for Public Services
4. The above table represents expenditure from Vote 26 only. Votes of other Departments with educational sub-heads and local contributions from local rating authorities to V.E.Cs. are not included.



# **Section 2**

## **Primary Level Education Statistics**



**TABLE 2.1 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN PRIMARY SCHOOLS BY AGE AND SCHOOL-TYPE**

Age on 1 January, 2005	NATIONAL SCHOOLS													Pupils in Private Primary Schools	Grand Total		
	PUPILS IN ORDINARY CLASSES											Pupils with Special Needs in Ordinary N.S.	Pupils in Special Schools				
	Junior Infants	Senior Infants	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	Other	Total							
3 or under	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	5	79	411	503
4	24,666	77	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24,743	422	90	503	25,758
5	31,217	23,939	112	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55,268	816	183	598	56,865
6	671	32,187	23,328	194	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56,380	1,009	276	657	58,322
7	28	922	31,658	22,822	207	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55,637	1,054	291	614	57,596
8	1	30	1,007	30,733	21,401	228	1	-	-	-	-	-	53,401	1,104	352	694	55,551
9	-	3	25	1,080	29,469	20,756	317	-	-	-	-	-	51,650	1,179	404	731	53,964
10	-	-	1	30	1,269	29,243	20,140	407	-	-	-	-	51,090	1,203	450	818	53,561
11	-	-	-	6	85	1,541	29,441	20,238	9	-	-	-	51,320	1,198	471	859	53,848
12	-	-	-	-	4	58	1,755	29,846	120	-	-	-	31,783	1,029	532	368	33,712
13	-	-	-	-	1	3	57	1,835	70	-	-	-	1,966	262	640	21	2,889
14 and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	56	16	-	-	-	74	76	2,853	-	3,003
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>56,591</b>	<b>57,158</b>	<b>56,131</b>	<b>54,865</b>	<b>52,436</b>	<b>51,829</b>	<b>51,713</b>	<b>52,382</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>433,320</b>	<b>9,357</b>	<b>6,621</b>	<b>6,274</b>	<b>455,572</b>			

Note: Private Primary Schools exclude schools or centres not enrolling children aged 6 or over.

**TABLE 2.2 - NUMBER OF SCHOOLS, PUPILS, TEACHERS AND CHILDCARE ASSISTANTS IN EARLY START PRE-SCHOOL PROGRAMMES BY COUNTY**

COUNTY	NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	NUMBER OF PUPILS			NUMBER OF TEACHERS	NUMBER OF CHILDCARE ASSISTANTS
		BOYS	GIRLS	TOTAL		
Cork City	6	156	109	265	10	9
Dublin City	15	327	245	572	20	20
Dublin South	5	149	150	299	10	10
Dublin Fingal	3	62	57	119	4	3
Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown	3	41	29	70	3	3
Galway City	1	16	14	30	2	1
Limerick City	3	38	42	80	3	3
Louth	2	44	39	83	3	3
Waterford City	1	15	15	30	1	1
Wicklow	1	33	27	60	2	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>881</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>1,608</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>55</b>

\* 67% of both boys and girls were 3 years of age and 33% of both were 4 years of age

Note: Children on the Early Start Pre-School Programme are considered to be part-time pupils.

**TABLE 2.3 — THE PUPIL TEACHER RATIO IN NATIONAL SCHOOLS IN 2004/2005**

1	Total enrolment in all National Schools (September 30th, 2004)	449,298
2	Total number of teaching posts (June 30th, 2005)	26,282
3 = 1 / 2	Pupil Teacher Ratio in all National Schools	17.1
4	Total enrolment in Ordinary Classes excluding integrated pupils	433,320
5	Total enrolment in Ordinary Classes including integrated pupils	441,259
6	Teaching Teachers of Ordinary Classes	18,133
7 = 4 / 6	Average class size (Ordinary Classes) excluding integrated pupils	23.9
8 = 5 / 6	Average class size (Ordinary Classes) including integrated pupils	24.3

Note: The total teaching posts includes administrative/walking Principals, learning support teachers and recognised teachers of pupils with special needs in ordinary National Schools as well as teachers in Special Schools.

See additional note on table 2.5A

**TABLE 2.4 - NUMBER OF NATIONAL SCHOOL PUPILS IN ORDINARY CLASSES, TEACHING TEACHERS AND TOTAL TEACHERS CLASSIFIED BY PUPIL SIZE OF SCHOOL**

		PUPIL SIZE OF SCHOOL						Total
		less than 50	50-99	100-199	200-299	300-499	500 & over	
Schools		698	967	772	417	242	61	3,157
Teaching Teachers		1,424	3,306	4,501	3,997	3,555	1,350	18,133
Total Teachers		1,580	4,025	6,038	5,524	4,709	1,774	23,650
Pupils		21,037	70,341	109,429	100,601	93,826	38,086	433,320
Pupil-Teacher Ratio		13.3	17.5	18.1	18.2	19.9	21.5	18.3
Average Class Size		14.8	21.3	24.3	25.2	26.4	28.2	23.9
Average Teachers per School		2.3	4.2	7.8	13.2	19.4	29.1	7.5

Note: This table excludes pupils with special needs in ordinary national schools and their teachers as well as pupils in special schools and their teachers.

**TABLE 2.5 - NUMBER OF PUPILS (ORDINARY-CLASSES) IN NATIONAL SCHOOLS BY STANDARD AND CLASS SIZE**

<b>Class Size</b> <b>Standard</b>	0-9	10-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40 and over	<b>Total</b>
Junior Infants	300	10,760	16,338	19,555	9,041	597	-	56,591
Senior Infants	256	8,379	14,688	21,195	12,016	583	41	57,158
1st	251	7,596	12,750	21,198	13,465	831	40	56,131
2nd	237	7,322	12,132	20,383	13,451	1,340	-	54,865
3rd	256	6,559	11,573	19,698	13,143	1,192	15	52,436
4th	215	6,555	11,200	18,867	13,657	1,310	25	51,829
5th	268	7,329	11,584	18,149	12,969	1,396	18	51,713
6th	310	8,959	13,829	16,495	11,385	1,382	22	52,382
Other	2	60	55	60	27	10	1	215
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,095</b>	<b>63,519</b>	<b>104,149</b>	<b>155,600</b>	<b>99,154</b>	<b>8,641</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>433,320</b>

**TABLE 2.5A - DISTRIBUTION OF ENROLMENT AND CLASSES BY CLASS SIZE**

<b>CLASS</b> <b>SIZE</b>	Excluding Integrated Pupils				Including Integrated Pupils			
	Average Class Size = 23.9				Average Class Size = 24.3			
	No. of pupils	%	No. of classes	%	No. of pupils	%	No. of classes	%
0-9	2,095	0.5	293	1.6	1730	0.4	246	1.4
10-19	63,519	14.7	3,946	21.8	57531	13.0	3545	19.5
20-24	104,149	24.0	4,714	26.0	104000	23.6	4705	25.9
25-29	155,600	35.9	5,762	31.8	158700	36.0	5871	32.4
30-34	99,154	22.9	3,172	17.5	108414	24.6	3464	19.1
35-39	8,641	2.0	242	1.3	10514	2.4	294	1.6
40 +	162	-	4	-	370	0.1	8	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>433,320</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>18,133</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>441,259</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>18,133</b>	<b>100</b>
30 +	107,957	24.9	3,418	18.8	119,298	27.1	3,766	20.7

Note: Integrated Pupils include both Traveller Pupils and Special Class Pupils. The Traveller pupils are integrated into ordinary classes for most of the school day while those Special Class Pupils that are integrated would normally be in Ordinary Classes for only one or two subjects.

**TABLE 2.6 - NATIONAL SCHOOL CLASSES (ORDINARY) CLASSIFIED BY GRADE STRUCTURE AND TEACHER SIZE OF SCHOOL**

<b>Grade Structure</b>	<b>NUMBER OF TEACHING TEACHERS IN SCHOOL</b>										
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 & over	<b>Total</b>
Single Grade Class	4	3	52	117	358	538	748	1,363	867	6,821	<b>10,871</b>
Consecutive Grade Class*	-	36	597	1,763	928	547	302	85	87	371	<b>4,716</b>
Multi-Grade Class	13	1,299	1,136	88	9	1	-	-	-	-	<b>2,546</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1,338</b>	<b>1,785</b>	<b>1,968</b>	<b>1,295</b>	<b>1,086</b>	<b>1,050</b>	<b>1,448</b>	<b>954</b>	<b>7,192</b>	<b>18,133</b>

NOTE: Junior Infants and Senior Infants are classified as two separate grades

\* "Consecutive Grade" for the purposes of these tables refers to two consecutive grades only, e.g. 1st - 2nd etc.



**TABLE 2.7 - NATIONAL SCHOOL PUPILS (ORDINARY CLASSES) CLASSIFIED BY GRADE STRUCTURE AND TEACHER SIZE OF SCHOOL**

Grade Structure	NUMBER OF TEACHING TEACHERS IN SCHOOL										
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 & over	Total
Single Grade Class	33	35	948	2,374	7,037	11,919	17,768	35,457	21,804	173,677	<b>271,052</b>
Consecutive Grade Class *	-	387	11,277	41,351	24,234	14,957	8,601	2,284	2,155	9,134	<b>114,380</b>
Multi-Grade Class	116	20,194	25,063	2,275	220	20	-	-	-	-	<b>47,888</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>20,616</b>	<b>37,288</b>	<b>46,000</b>	<b>31,491</b>	<b>26,896</b>	<b>26,369</b>	<b>37,741</b>	<b>23,959</b>	<b>182,811</b>	<b>433,320</b>

\* See notes on table 2.6 above

**TABLE 2.8 - NUMBER OF CLASSES (ORDINARY) IN NATIONAL SCHOOLS BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL AND SEX CATEGORY OF CLASS**

Sex Category of School	Sex Category of Class	Boys only	Girls only	Mixed	Total
	Single Sex School		2,118	1,482	-
Single Sex with mixed Junior Standards		4	610	623	1,237
Mixed Schools		13	54	13,229	13,296
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2,135</b>	<b>2,146</b>	<b>13,852</b>	<b>18,133</b>

NOTE:

The sex category of a school is defined according to data on enrolment of boys and girls in a school and not according to the official designation of the school.

Mixed schools are defined as schools which enrol boys and girls with the exception of schools which enrol both boys and girls in classes below third standard but enrol only boys or else only girls above second standard. For example, a school which enrolls 400 boys and 1 girl is classified as a mixed school provided that the girl is not enrolled in second standard or below. Single sex schools are schools which enrol boys only or else enrol girls only in all standards including infant grade years. Single sex schools with mixed junior standards are schools which enrol only boys or else only girls in third standard or higher grade but which enrol both girls and boys in some or all grades up to second standard. For the purposes of this table, junior standards are defined to include all grade years from junior infants up to and including second standard. As school enrolling 300 girls and 1 boy is classified as a single sex school with mixed junior standards, if the boy is enrolled in second standard or below. It should be noted that in the vast majority of single sex schools with mixed junior standards, the enrolment of both boys and girls does not occur after first standard.

**TABLE 2.9 - NUMBER OF PUPILS (ORDINARY CLASSES) IN NATIONAL SCHOOLS BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL AND SEX CATEGORY OF CLASS**

Sex Category of School	Sex Category of Class	Single Sex Classes			Mixed Classes			GRAND TOTAL
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
Single Sex School		51,681	36,999	88,680	-	-	-	88,680
Single Sex with mixed Junior Standards		43	14,998	15,041	6,610	7,601	14,211	29,252
Mixed Schools		120	1,247	1,367	163,486	150,535	314,021	315,388
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>51,844</b>	<b>53,244</b>	<b>105,088</b>	<b>170,096</b>	<b>158,136</b>	<b>328,232</b>	<b>433,320</b>

\* See notes on Table 2.8

**TABLE 2.10 - NUMBER OF ORDINARY NATIONAL SCHOOLS AND PUPILS (ORDINARY CLASSES) BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

Sex Category of School	Number of Schools	Number of Pupils		
		Boys	Girls	Total
Single Sex Schools	417	51,681	36,999	88,680
Junior Schools	23	2,243	1,732	3,975
Senior Schools	138	14,800	5,554	20,492
All-Through Schools	256	34,638	29,713	64,607
Single Sex with Mixed Junior Standards	122	6,653	22,599	29,252
Mixed Schools	2,618	163,606	151,782	315,388
Junior Schools	92	11,623	10,955	22,578
Senior Schools	65	8,585	7,733	16,318
All-Through Schools	2,461	143,398	133,094	276,492
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,157</b>	<b>221,940</b>	<b>211,380</b>	<b>433,320</b>

Note: Junior Schools normally enrol pupils up to first standard only. Senior schools normally enrol pupils from second standard only. All-through schools normally enrol pupils in all grades from junior infants up to sixth standard. The definition of junior schools which enrol to first standard only should not be confused with the definition of junior standards which includes second standard.

**TABLE 2.11 - NUMBER OF ENTRANTS TO ORDINARY CLASSES IN NATIONAL SCHOOLS BETWEEN 1ST OCTOBER 2003 AND 30TH SEPTEMBER 2004**

	Standard Entered			All Standards		
	Junior Infants	Senior Infants	1st - 6th Standard	Males	Females	Total
New Entrants who were not in any school prior to 1st October, 2003	54,042	144	124	27741	26569	54310
Entrants from Early Start Classes	1,216	-	-	624	592	1,216
Entrants from other national schools within the State (excluding Early Start classes)	707	2,030	18,459	12,172	9,024	21,196
Entrants from private primary or preparatory schools	42	59	317	232	186	418
Entrants from schools in Northern Ireland	23	27	116	95	71	166
Entrants from schools outside Ireland	331	655	3,637	2,341	2,282	4,623
<b>Total</b>	<b>56,361</b>	<b>2,915</b>	<b>22,653</b>	<b>43,205</b>	<b>38,724</b>	<b>81,929</b>

**TABLE 2.12 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN ORDINARY CLASSES WHO WERE RETAINED IN THE SAME STANDARD/GRADE AS IN PREVIOUS YEAR**

Pupils Retained in	Number of pupils retained in same grade who were in the same school in previous year	Number of pupils retained in same grade who were in another national school in previous year	Total Boys	Total Girls	Total Boys and Girls
Junior Infants (i)	361	29	220	170	390
Junior Infants (ii)	728	57	479	306	785
Senior Infants	711	65	465	311	776
1st Standard	404	41	251	194	445
2nd Standard	215	46	138	123	261
3rd Standard	216	35	121	130	251
4th Standard	195	36	121	110	231
5th Standard	315	24	191	148	339
6th Standard	189	25	119	95	214
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,334</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>2,105</b>	<b>1,587</b>	<b>3,692</b>

(i) Pupils who had spent less than two terms in Junior Infants in the previous year

(ii) Pupils who had spent at least two terms in Junior Infants in the previous year

**TABLE 2.13 - NUMBER OF LEAVERS FROM ORDINARY CLASSES IN NATIONAL SCHOOLS BETWEEN 1ST OCTOBER 2003 AND 30TH SEPTEMBER 2004**

Destination	Boys	Girls	Total
Number of pupils who went to another National School within the State	11,234	8,385	19,619
Number of pupils who went to a Private Primary School within the State	444	200	644
Number of pupils who went to a Secondary, Vocational, Community or Comprehensive School	27,227	26,741	53,968
Number of pupils who went to any other type of school within the State	293	142	435
Number of pupils (excluding those who emigrated) who did not go to any school within the State	148	89	237
Number of pupils who emigrated	1,040	1,093	2,133
Number of pupils whose destination is unknown	280	268	548
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>40,666</b>	<b>36,918</b>	<b>77,584</b>

**TABLE 2.14 - NATIONAL SCHOOL CLASSES (ORDINARY) CLASSIFIED BY GRADE STRUCTURE AND CLASS SIZE**

GRADE STRUCTURE	CLASS SIZE							
	0-9	10-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40 and over	Total
Single Grade Classes - Total	60	1,908	2,607	3,795	2,343	156	2	10,871
Of which - Junior Infants	15	430	489	532	238	12	-	1,716
Senior Infants	6	272	376	538	307	9	1	1,509
1st	5	252	307	502	327	14	1	1,408
2nd	2	228	292	478	310	23	-	1,333
3rd	7	149	269	458	291	19	-	1,193
4th	3	154	238	429	300	23	-	1,147
5th	7	159	258	435	292	26	-	1,177
6th	15	264	378	423	278	30	-	1,388
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Consecutive Grade Classes* - Total	31	898	1,382	1,593	729	81	2	4,716
Of which - Junior Infants - Senior Infants	4	220	339	293	90	8	-	954
Senior Infants - 1st	5	21	86	155	59	5	-	331
1st - 2nd	1	108	227	278	111	13	-	738
2nd - 3rd	3	79	94	150	92	15	-	433
3rd - 4th	5	141	231	281	144	15	1	818
4th - 5th	4	29	77	140	90	9	-	349
5th - 6th	9	300	328	296	143	16	1	1,093
Multi-Grade Classes - Total	202	1,140	725	374	100	5	-	2,546
Of which - Containing Infants	110	479	269	121	25	2	-	1,006
Not Containing Infants	92	661	456	253	75	3	-	1,540
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>3,946</b>	<b>4,714</b>	<b>5,762</b>	<b>3,172</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>18,133</b>

The Grade "Other" (those pupils retained in 6th Class from previous year) is included as part of 6th Class when calculating Consecutive Grade Classes and Multi-Grade Classes

\* See notes on Table 2.6

**TABLE 2.15 - NATIONAL SCHOOL PUPILS (ORDINARY CLASSES) CLASSIFIED BY GRADE STRUCTURE AND CLASS SIZE**

GRADE STRUCTURE	CLASS SIZE							Total
	0-9	10-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40 and over	
Single Grade Classes - Total	455	31,307	57,623	102,894	73,133	5,559	81	271,052
Of which - Junior Infants	102	7,114	10,702	14,423	7,343	426	-	40,110
Senior Infants	52	4,444	8,324	14,608	9,514	316	41	37,299
1st	40	4,145	6,788	13,699	10,168	498	40	35,378
2nd	17	3,693	6,425	12,972	9,702	825	-	33,634
3rd	56	2,473	5,992	12,431	9,089	676	-	30,717
4th	19	2,544	5,315	11,640	9,415	812	-	29,745
5th	58	2,580	5,712	11,756	9,166	934	-	30,206
6th	111	4,314	8,365	11,365	8,736	1,072	-	33,963
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Consecutive Grade Classes* - Total	188	14,851	30,664	42,811	22,882	2,903	81	114,380
Of which - Junior Infants - Senior Infants	32	3,635	7,523	7,811	2,807	294	-	22,102
Senior Infants - 1st	21	341	1,925	4,179	1,848	177	-	8,491
1st - 2nd	3	1,851	5,023	7,499	3,475	469	-	18,320
2nd - 3rd	24	1,285	2,096	4,056	2,891	535	-	10,887
3rd - 4th	28	2,414	5,123	7,523	4,523	533	40	20,184
4th - 5th	21	464	1,720	3,776	2,844	324	-	9,149
5th - 6th	59	4,861	7,254	7,967	4,494	571	41	25,247
Multi-Grade Classes - Total	1,452	17,361	15,862	9,895	3,139	179	-	47,888
Of which - Containing Infants	791	7,160	5,852	3,200	784	71	-	17,858
Other	661	10,201	10,010	6,695	2,355	108	-	30,030
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,095</b>	<b>63,519</b>	<b>104,149</b>	<b>155,600</b>	<b>99,154</b>	<b>8,641</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>433,320</b>

\* See note on Table 2.6 and footnote on Table 2.14

**TABLE 2.16 - AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (ORDINARY CLASSES) CLASSIFIED BY GRADE STRUCTURE AND CLASS SIZE**

Grade Structure	CLASS SIZE							
	0-9	10-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40 and over	Total
Single Grade Classes — Total	7.6	16.4	22.1	27.1	31.2	35.6	40.5	24.9
Of which — Junior Infants	6.8	16.5	21.9	27.1	30.9	35.5	-	23.4
Senior Infants	8.7	16.3	22.1	27.2	31.0	35.1	41.0	24.7
1st	8.0	16.4	22.1	27.3	31.1	35.6	40.0	25.1
2nd	8.5	16.2	22.0	27.1	31.3	35.9	-	25.2
3rd	8.0	16.6	22.3	27.1	31.2	35.6	-	25.7
4th	6.3	16.5	22.3	27.1	31.4	35.3	-	25.9
5th	8.3	16.2	22.1	27.0	31.4	35.9	-	25.7
6th	7.4	16.3	22.1	26.9	31.4	35.7	-	24.5
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Consecutive Grade Classes*— Total	6.1	16.5	22.2	26.9	31.4	35.8	40.5	24.3
Of which — Junior Infants - Senior Infants	8.0	16.5	22.2	26.7	31.2	36.8	-	23.2
Senior Infants - 1st	4.2	16.2	22.4	27.0	31.3	35.4	-	25.7
1st - 2nd	3.0	17.1	22.1	27.0	31.3	36.1	-	24.8
2nd - 3rd	8.0	16.3	22.3	27.0	31.4	35.7	-	25.1
3rd - 4th	5.6	17.1	22.2	26.8	31.4	35.5	40.0	24.7
4th - 5th	5.3	16.0	22.3	27.0	31.6	36.0	-	26.2
5th - 6th	6.6	16.2	22.1	26.9	31.4	35.7	41.0	23.1
Multi-Grade Classes — Total	7.2	15.2	21.9	26.5	31.4	35.8	-	18.8
Of which — Containing Infants	7.2	14.9	21.8	26.4	31.4	35.5	-	17.8
Other	7.2	15.4	22.0	26.5	31.4	36.0	-	19.5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>22.1</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>31.3</b>	<b>35.7</b>	<b>40.5</b>	<b>23.9</b>

\* See note on Table 2.6 and footnote on Table 2.14

**TABLE 2.17 - NATIONAL SCHOOLS BY COUNTY**

County	Number of National Schools		Total
	Ordinary*	Special Schools	
Carlow	40 (6)	1	41
Cavan	78 (6)	1	79
Clare	117 (18)	2	119
Cork City	55 (21)	8	63
Cork County	301 (36)	6	307
Donegal	175 (12)	2	177
Dublin South	89 (49)	6	95
Dublin City	191 (80)	34	225
Dublin Fingal	77 (27)	6	83
Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown	59 (14)	7	66
Galway City	22 (11)	4	26
Galway County	211 (23)	-	211
Kerry	141 (19)	3	144
Kildare	96 (19)	4	100
Kilkenny	76 (2)	4	80
Laois	64 (8)	2	66
Leitrim	41 (4)	-	41
Limerick City	30 (13)	4	34
Limerick County	113 (14)	2	115
Longford	40 (10)	1	41
Louth	70 (16)	3	73
Mayo	179 (18)	4	183
Meath	106 (8)	2	108
Monaghan	64 (6)	1	65
Offaly	68 (12)	1	69
Roscommon	94 (8)	1	95
Sligo	69 (5)	2	71
Tipperary	161 (23)	4	165
Waterford City	20 (11)	2	22
Waterford County	54 (3)	1	55
Westmeath	73 (12)	3	76
Wexford	102 (21)	2	104
Wicklow	81 (16)	4	85
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,157 (551)</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>3,284</b>

\* Figures in brackets refer to the number of ordinary schools with pupils with special needs.

**TABLE 2.18 - NATIONAL SCHOOL PUPILS AND CLASSES BY COUNTY**

County	Pupils in ordinary classes in Ordinary Schools		Pupils with special needs in Ordinary Schools		Pupils in Special Schools		Total	
	Pupils	Classes	Pupils	Classes	Pupils	Classes	Pupils	Classes
Carlow	5,417	214	115	8	140	18	5,672	240
Cavan	7,389	322	102	12	99	14	7,590	348
Clare	11,641	504	244	29	122	18	12,007	551
Cork City	13,653	596	336	37	408	59	14,397	692
Cork County	36,011	1,463	363	54	240	38	36,614	1,555
Donegal	17,126	750	214	27	73	12	17,413	789
Dublin South	26,208	1,063	1,076	118	376	52	27,660	1,233
Dublin City	40,514	1,770	1,301	160	1,864	262	43,679	2,192
Dublin Fingal	23,251	866	406	48	130	26	23,787	940
Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown	15,613	605	182	27	347	47	16,142	679
Galway City	5,623	242	388	24	157	27	6,168	293
Galway County	17,084	796	517	40	-	-	17,601	836
Kerry	14,340	614	276	35	174	27	14,790	676
Kildare	21,290	794	214	30	155	27	21,659	851
Kilkenny	9,193	374	33	4	163	29	9,389	407
Laois	6,937	290	100	11	100	12	7,137	313
Leitrim	2,982	139	44	5	-	-	3,026	144
Limerick City	6,239	279	140	20	230	32	6,609	331
Limerick County	13,246	560	289	24	111	21	13,646	605
Longford	3,544	165	251	16	29	5	3,824	186
Louth	12,575	499	274	29	227	25	13,076	553
Mayo	13,226	633	329	37	107	19	13,662	689
Meath	17,692	685	244	25	159	19	18,095	729
Monaghan	6,165	266	121	10	5	1	6,291	277
Offaly	8,390	349	226	25	10	2	8,626	376
Roscommon	6,063	297	93	11	51	9	6,207	317
Sligo	6,377	287	106	10	100	15	6,583	312
Tipperary	16,388	713	242	34	279	37	16,909	784
Waterford City	5,168	209	155	14	172	24	5,495	247
Waterford County	6,550	273	45	4	43	5	6,638	282
Westmeath	9,034	378	325	23	109	18	9,468	419
Wexford	14,871	596	397	37	206	24	15,474	657
Wicklow	13,520	542	209	29	235	33	13,964	604
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>433,320</b>	<b>18,133</b>	<b>9,357</b>	<b>1,017</b>	<b>6,621</b>	<b>957</b>	<b>449,298</b>	<b>20,107</b>



**TÁBLA 2.19 - MEÁN MÚINTEOIREACHTA SNA SCOILEANNA — LÍON NA SCOILEANNA, LÍON NA RANGANNA AGUS LÍON NA nDALTAÍ (GNÁTH RANGANNA AMHÁIN)**

Meán Múinteoireachta	Scoileanna	Ranganna	Daltaí
Scoileanna ina mhúintear na ranganna uilig trí Ghaeilge ar fad:			
San Ghaeltacht *	106	352	6,943
Lasmuigh den Ghaeltacht	129	944	23,985
Scoileanna ina mhúintear roinnt des na ranganna trí Ghaeilge ar fad:	4		
Iomlán na ranganna ins na scoileanna sin		21	517
(Na ranganna trí Ghaeilge ar fad amháin)		6	149
Scoileanna ina mbíonn rang ghrúpa amháin nó níos mó ina mhúintear cuid des na h-ábair (gníomhaíochtaí) trí Ghaeilge:			
Iomlán na rang ghrúpa ins na scoileanna sin			
(ábhar amháin ar a laghad lasmuigh den Ghaeilge)	833	4,586	109,745
Scoileanna eile	2,085	12,230	292,130
<b>IOMLÁN</b>	<b>3,157</b>	<b>18,133</b>	<b>433,320</b>

NÓTA: Aicmítear scoileanna de réir mheáin mhúinteoireachta atá bunaithe ar shonraí a sholáthraíonn na scoileanna.

\* Aithnítear mar scoileanna Gaeltachta na scoileanna sin atá suite laistigh de theorainneacha oifigiúla na Gaeltachta.

**TABLA 2.20 - LÍON NA nDALTAÍ DE RÉIR RANG AGUS MEÁIN MÚINTEOIREACHTA, AGUS LÍON NA RANGANNA DE RÉIR MHEÁIN MHÚINTEOIREACHTA**

	G*	M*	N*	Total
Naíonáin Sóisearacha	4,383	13,774	38,434	<b>56,591</b>
Naíonáin Shinsearacha	4,428	13,959	38,771	<b>57,158</b>
Rang a hAon	4,146	13,619	38,366	<b>56,131</b>
Rang a Dó	4,028	13,106	37,731	<b>54,865</b>
Rang a Trí	3,717	12,021	36,698	<b>52,436</b>
Rang a Ceathair	3,570	11,949	36,310	<b>51,829</b>
Rang a Cúig	3,345	12,196	36,172	<b>51,713</b>
Rang a Sé	3,444	12,385	36,553	<b>52,382</b>
Ranganna Eile	16	57	142	<b>215</b>
<b>IOMLÁN NA nDALTAÍ</b>	<b>31,077</b>	<b>103,066</b>	<b>299,177</b>	<b>433,320</b>
<b>IOMLÁN NA RANGANNA</b>	<b>1,302</b>	<b>4,329</b>	<b>12,502</b>	<b>18,133</b>

NÓTA: Aicmítear scoileanna de réir mheáin mhúinteoireachta atá bunaithe ar shonraí a sholáthraíonn na scoileanna

\* Tá an bhrl seo a leanas leis na litreacha:

G - Más í an Ghaeilge an gnáth-mheán cumarsáide leis an rang le haghaidh na n-ábhar (gníomhaíochtaí) uile ach amháin múineadh an Bhéarla.

M - Más í an Ghaeilge an gnáth-mheán cumarsáide leis an rang le haghaidh ábhair (gníomhaíochta) amháin ar a laghad lasmuigh den Ghaeilge.

N - Mura úsáidtear an Ghaeilge mar ghnáth-mheán cumarsáide leis an rang le haghaidh aon ábhair (gníomhaíochta) lasmuigh den Ghaeilge

**TABLE 2.21 - NUMBER OF PUPILS, SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS BY TOTAL TEACHER-SIZE OF SCHOOL  
(ORDINARY CLASSES ONLY)**

<b>Total Teacher Size of School</b>	<b>Schools</b>	<b>Pupils</b>	<b>Teaching Teachers</b>	<b>Non-Teaching Principals †</b>	<b>Other Full-time Teachers</b>	<b>Total Teachers</b>
1	17	149	17	-	-	17
2	544	16,446	1,088	-	-	1,088
3	445	24,485	1,223	-	112	1,335
4	389	29,045	1,312	-	244	1,556
5	314	29,637	1,261	-	309	1,570
6	218	24,644	1,011	-	297	1,308
7	155	20,396	824	2	259	1,085
8	100	14,586	602	10	188	800
9	76	12,738	509	46	129	684
10	108	20,678	797	108	175	1,080
11	119	23,959	928	118	263	1,309
12	95	20,810	801	92	247	1,140
13	85	19,953	784	85	236	1,105
14	71	17,343	700	71	223	994
15	56	14,628	603	56	181	840
16	45	12,792	510	45	165	720
17	45	13,494	550	45	170	765
18	53	16,311	678	53	223	954
19	34	12,393	497	34	115	646
20 and over	188	88,833	3,438	187	1,029	4,654
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,157</b>	<b>433,320</b>	<b>18,133</b>	<b>952</b>	<b>4,565</b>	<b>23,650</b>

† Non-teaching Principals are defined as Principals who are not classroom teachers but who may teach for a limited period each week.

**TABLE 2.22- NUMBER OF PUPILS, SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS BY COUNTY (ORDINARY CLASSES ONLY)**

County	Schools	Pupils	Teaching Teachers	Non-Teaching Principals †	Other Full-time Teachers	Total Teachers
Carlow	40	5,417	214	10	56	280
Cavan	78	7,389	322	8	53	383
Clare	117	11,641	504	19	150	673
Cork City	55	13,653	596	41	170	807
Cork County	301	36,011	1,463	57	332	1,852
Donegal	175	17,126	750	30	175	955
Dublin South	89	26,208	1,063	78	311	1,452
Dublin City	191	40,514	1,770	155	541	2,466
Dublin Fingal	77	23,251	866	56	218	1,140
Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown	59	15,613	605	48	158	811
Galway City	22	5,623	242	19	71	332
Galway County	211	17,084	796	25	185	1,006
Kerry	141	14,340	614	17	162	793
Kildare	96	21,290	794	48	197	1,039
Kilkenny	76	9,193	374	15	78	467
Laois	64	6,937	290	11	66	367
Leitrim	41	2,982	139	2	28	169
Limerick City	30	6,239	279	22	117	418
Limerick County	113	13,246	560	20	136	716
Longford	40	3,544	165	8	37	210
Louth	70	12,575	499	35	129	663
Mayo	179	13,226	633	21	151	805
Meath	106	17,692	685	35	146	866
Monaghan	64	6,165	266	12	71	349
Offaly	68	8,390	349	18	73	440
Roscommon	94	6,063	297	6	66	369
Sligo	69	6,377	287	13	75	375
Tipperary	161	16,388	713	27	174	914
Waterford City	20	5,168	209	11	37	257
Waterford County	54	6,550	273	10	48	331
Westmeath	73	9,034	378	19	104	501
Wexford	102	14,871	596	27	135	758
Wicklow	81	13,520	542	29	115	686
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,157</b>	<b>433,320</b>	<b>18,133</b>	<b>952</b>	<b>4,565</b>	<b>23,650</b>

NOTE: This table excludes pupils with special needs in Ordinary Schools and their teachers as well as pupils in Special Schools and their teachers.

† See note on table 2.21

**TABLE 2.23 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN ORDINARY CLASSES, BY CLASS SIZE AND TEACHING TEACHER SIZE OF SCHOOL**

Number of Teaching Teachers in School	CLASS SIZE							
	0-9	10-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40 and over	Total
1	55	73	21	-	-	-	-	149
2	1,448	11,907	5,086	1,767	408	-	-	20,616
3	95	11,343	14,625	8,705	2,378	142	-	37,288
4	18	7,206	16,480	15,501	6,131	623	41	46,000
5	166	3,805	7,585	12,970	6,179	786	-	31,491
6	15	3,082	6,451	10,757	5,727	824	40	26,896
7	58	2,718	5,601	9,557	7,616	778	41	26,369
8	23	2,409	7,056	16,561	10,762	890	40	37,741
9	7	2,915	4,966	8,551	6,626	894	-	23,959
10 and over	210	18,061	36,278	71,231	53,327	3,704	-	182,811
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,095</b>	<b>63,519</b>	<b>104,149</b>	<b>155,600</b>	<b>99,154</b>	<b>8,641</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>433,320</b>

**TABLE 2.24 - NUMBER OF ORDINARY CLASSES, BY CLASS SIZE AND TEACHING TEACHER SIZE OF SCHOOL**

Number of Teaching Teachers in School	CLASS SIZE							
	0-9	10-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40 and over	Total
1	10	6	1	-	-	-	-	17
2	208	815	235	67	13	-	-	1,338
3	12	695	668	330	76	4	-	1,785
4	2	425	746	581	196	17	1	1,968
5	21	232	340	483	197	22	-	1,295
6	2	189	290	399	182	23	1	1,086
7	8	170	253	353	243	22	1	1,050
8	3	146	317	611	345	25	1	1,448
9	1	174	224	318	212	25	-	954
10 and over	26	1094	1640	2620	1708	104	-	7,192
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>3,946</b>	<b>4,714</b>	<b>5,762</b>	<b>3,172</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>18,133</b>

**TABLE 2.25 — NET CHANGE IN THE NUMBER OF ORDINARY NATIONAL SCHOOLS**

Number of National Schools on 30 September, 2003	3,150
Number of New Schools brought into operation in the period 1 October, 2003 to 30 September, 2004.	9
Number of schools discontinued or amalgamated with other schools in the period 1 October, 2003 to 30 September, 2004	2
Number of National Schools on 30 September, 2004	3,157
Number of New Schools brought into operation in the period 1 October, 2004 to 30 September, 2005	19
Number of schools discontinued or amalgamated with other schools in the period 1 October, 2004 to 30 September, 2005	16
Number of National Schools on 30 September, 2005	3,160

**TABLE 2.26 - NUMBER OF TEACHING POSTS IN NATIONAL SCHOOLS ON 30th JUNE, 2005**

Male:		
Religious	32	
Lay	4,461	
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>4,493</b>
Female:		
Religious	262	
Lay	21,527	
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>21,789</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>26,282</b>

**TABLE 2.27 - TEACHER'S PENSIONS (NATIONAL SCHOOLS) IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 2005**

	<b>MALE</b>	<b>FEMALE</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
TOTAL NUMBER PAYABLE ON 1st JANUARY	2,021	6,528	8,549
NUMBER OF PENSIONS GRANTED DURING YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER On disablement	14	41	55
NUMBER OF PENSIONS GRANTED DURING YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER On retirement	158	433	591
PENSIONS CEASED DURING YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER Through Death	74	182	256
PENSIONS CEASED DURING YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER Pensions ceased on re-appointment, etc	-	-	-
<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF PENSIONS PAYABLE ON 31st DECEMBER</b>	<b>2,119</b>	<b>6,820</b>	<b>8,939</b>

**TABLE 2.28 — NEW SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND ENLARGEMENTS AND IMPROVEMENTS OF EXISTING SCHOOLS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2004**

1	No. of new school buildings completed	8
2	No. of pupil places provided	1,514
3	No. of extensions/refurbishments completed	15
4	No. of projects completed under Small School Scheme	22
5	No. of projects completed under Permanent Accommodation Scheme	23
6	No. of large scale projects that commenced construction	89
7	Number of projects included under Summer Works Scheme	290
8	Actual payments made in 2004	€ 170,671,039

**TABLE 2.29 - STATISTICS OF SCHOOL TRANSPORT SERVICES (PRIMARY AND SECOND LEVEL)  
FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2004**

PERIOD	MINIBUSES			MEDIUM BUSES			LARGE BUSES			TOTAL		
	Number of Buses	Mileage (000s)	Number of Children Carried	Number of Buses	Mileage (000s)	Number of Children Carried	Number of Buses	Mileage (000s)	Number of Children Carried	Number of Buses	Mileage (000s)	Number of Children Carried
1st Jan-31st Dec 2004												
Contractors' Vehicles	1,468	23,723	22,827	450	6,368	14,872	462	7,095	31,536	2,380	37,186	69,235
Bus Eireann Vehicles	2	22	123	13	196	582	616	8,410	49,330	631	8,628	50,035
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,470</b>	<b>23,745</b>	<b>22,950</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>6,564</b>	<b>15,454</b>	<b>1,078</b>	<b>15,505</b>	<b>80,866</b>	<b>3,011</b>	<b>45,814</b>	<b>119,270</b>

**TABLE 2.30 - EXPENDITURE PER PUPIL FOR SCHOOL TRANSPORT (PRIMARY LEVEL) FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2004**

	Total Cost (€)	No. of pupils	Cost per pupil per week (€)
Public scheduled services	370,617	1,456	6.26
Special services for schools	55,962,503	51,361	29.44
Total (including receipts)	56,333,120	52,817	28.74
Total (excluding receipts)	55,827,766	52,817	28.48



**TABLE 2.31 - STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FROM PUBLIC FUNDS ON FIRST-LEVEL EDUCATION DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 2004**

<b>CURRENT EXPENDITURE:</b>	€ (millions)
Department pay and other overheads	29.7
Pay and Operating Costs	
Salaries etc. of Teachers	1461.8
Superannuation	276.4
Capitation Grants towards operating costs of National Schools	114.6
Special Services for Children in Care	25.0
Grants towards employment of Caretakers in National Schools	5.6
Grants towards Clerical Assistance in National Schools	6.3
Special Needs Assistants in National Schools	123.1
Special Educational Projects	1.1
Model Schools - Miscellaneous Expenses	0.3
School Transport	70.8
Other Grants and Services	
† Aid towards the cost of school books	4.0
Special assistance for schools in disadvantaged areas	12.3
Miscellaneous Grants and Services	99.2
<b>TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE:</b>	<b>2230.2</b>
<b>CAPITAL EXPENDITURE</b>	
Building, equipment and furnishing of National Schools	172.7
Schools information and communication technologies activities	12.5
Department overheads - capital expenditure	0.4
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE</b>	<b>185.6</b>
<b>GROSS TOTAL</b>	<b>2415.8</b>
DEDUCT RECEIPTS	97.1
<b>NET TOTAL</b>	<b>2318.7</b>

† Note that €3,848,000 was the total spent on aid towards the cost of school books at primary level.



# **Section 3**

**Second Level Education  
Statistics on Enrolment  
and Teaching Staff**

**(Schools aided by the Department  
of Education and Science only)**



**TABLE 3.1-NUMBER OF SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS CLASSIFIED BY COUNTY / LOCAL AUTHORITY AREA**

<b>County</b>	<b>Secondary</b>	<b>Vocational</b>	<b>Community</b>	<b>Comprehensive</b>	<b>Total</b>
Carlow	5	5	1	-	11
Cavan	4	5	1	1	11
Clare	8	7	2	1	18
Cork City	19	6	3	1	29
Cork County	32	22	6	1	61
Donegal	4	14	6	2	26
Dublin South	20	12	8	-	40
Dublin City	55	22	3	4	84
Dublin Fingal	15	7	6	-	28
Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown	25	6	4	1	36
Galway City	7	3	-	-	10
Galway County	19	11	6	1	37
Kerry	16	8	2	1	27
Kildare	15	10	3	-	28
Kilkenny	8	7	1	-	16
Laois	5	4	2	-	11
Leitrim	2	5	1	1	9
Limerick City	12	2	1	1	16
Limerick County	10	9	1	-	20
Longford	4	4	1	-	9
Louth	11	5	1	-	17
Mayo	17	8	3	-	28
Meath	6	7	4	-	17
Monaghan	6	6	-	-	12
Offaly	5	5	2	-	12
Roscommon	4	3	1	-	8
Sligo	7	7	1	-	15
Tipperary	19	11	1	-	31
Waterford City	7	2	-	-	9
Waterford County	5	3	1	-	9
Westmeath	10	4	1	-	15
Wexford	11	7	2	-	20
Wicklow	10	10	1	1	22
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>742</b>

**TABLE 3.2 - PUPILS ENROLLED IN SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS CLASSIFIED BY COUNTY/LOCAL AUTHORITY AREA**

<b>County</b>	<b>Secondary</b>	<b>Vocational</b>	<b>Community</b>	<b>Comprehensive</b>	<b>Total</b>
Carlow	2,647	2,138	686	-	5,471
Cavan	1,652	2,217	533	525	4,927
Clare	3,761	1,969	1,033	502	7,265
Cork City	9,013	5,050	1,281	518	15,862
Cork County	12,172	9,730	3,101	414	25,417
Donegal	3,240	4,255	3,553	1,087	12,135
Dublin South	9,557	5,947	4,887	-	20,391
Dublin City	22,923	10,838	1,151	1,641	36,553
Dublin Fingal	7,610	4,183	5,305	-	17,098
Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown	11,904	2,912	1,598	798	17,212
Galway City	3,736	1,575	-	-	5,311
Galway County	7,741	2,149	2,595	361	12,846
Kerry	6,344	2,476	902	630	10,352
Kildare	7,309	3,716	2,066	-	13,091
Kilkenny	4,123	2,299	644	-	7,066
Laois	2,315	898	1,168	-	4,381
Leitrim	517	866	669	416	2,468
Limerick City	5,440	1,177	269	879	7,765
Limerick County	2,668	3,736	655	-	7,059
Longford	2,021	771	637	-	3,429
Louth	6,599	3,004	580	-	10,183
Mayo	6,996	2,100	1,642	-	10,738
Meath	4,024	3,011	2,315	-	9,350
Monaghan	3,221	2,208	-	-	5,429
Offaly	2,399	1,701	1,052	-	5,152
Roscommon	1,848	665	547	-	3,060
Sligo	3,539	848	511	-	4,898
Tipperary	8,192	4,156	814	-	13,162
Waterford City	3,819	1,099	-	-	4,918
Waterford County	2,032	1,157	509	-	3,698
Westmeath	5,162	1,627	986	-	7,775
Wexford	6,009	2,923	1,989	-	10,921
Wicklow	4,493	4,292	633	361	9,779
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>185,026</b>	<b>97,693</b>	<b>44,311</b>	<b>8,132</b>	<b>335,162</b>

**TABLE 3.3 - NUMBER OF PUPILS ENROLLED IN SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS CLASSIFIED BY SEX, SCHOOL TYPE, PROGRAMME AND YEAR OF COURSE**

	SECONDARY			VOCATIONAL			COMMUNITY AND COMPREHENSIVE			TOTAL		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
<b>JUNIOR CYCLE:</b>												
Junior Cert 1st Year	15,758	18,110	33,868	6,735	5,425	12,160	4,954	4,375	9,329	27,447	27,910	55,357
Junior Cert 2nd Year	15,928	17,806	33,734	7,081	5,538	12,619	5,079	4,243	9,322	28,088	27,587	55,675
Junior Cert 3rd Year	15,433	17,652	33,085	6,891	5,200	12,091	4,942	4,292	9,234	27,266	27,144	54,410
Junior Cert School Prog. Year 1	169	230	399	819	384	1,203	182	86	268	1,170	700	1,870
Junior Cert School Prog. Year 2	151	290	441	896	405	1,301	249	130	379	1,296	825	2,121
Junior Cert School Prog. Year 3	125	252	377	857	382	1,239	172	92	264	1,154	726	1,880
<b>TOTAL JUNIOR CYCLE</b>	<b>47,564</b>	<b>54,340</b>	<b>101,904</b>	<b>23,279</b>	<b>17,334</b>	<b>40,613</b>	<b>15,578</b>	<b>13,218</b>	<b>28,796</b>	<b>86,421</b>	<b>84,892</b>	<b>171,313</b>
<b>SENIOR CYCLE:</b>												
Transition Year Programme	7,093	9,836	16,929	2,244	1,877	4,121	2,012	1,736	3,748	11,349	13,449	24,798
Leaving Cert. Year 1	10,874	11,759	22,633	2,839	2,283	5,122	2,835	2,398	5,233	16,548	16,440	32,988
Leaving Cert. Year 2	10,456	11,749	22,205	3,007	2,423	5,430	2,758	2,480	5,238	16,221	16,652	32,873
Leaving Cert. Applied Year 1	555	843	1,398	1,063	653	1,716	668	438	1,106	2,286	1,934	4,220
Leaving Cert. Applied Year 2	443	850	1,293	845	522	1,367	474	320	794	1,762	1,692	3,454
Leaving Cert. Voc. Prog. Year 1	3,272	5,080	8,352	3,035	2,834	5,869	1,450	1,618	3,068	7,757	9,532	17,289
Leaving Cert. Voc. Prog. Year 2	3,113	4,657	7,770	2,762	2,462	5,224	1,317	1,591	2,908	7,192	8,710	15,902
Repeat Leaving Cert.	885	792	1,677	451	496	947	168	179	347	1,504	1,467	2,971
<b>TOTAL SENIOR CYCLE</b>	<b>36,691</b>	<b>45,566</b>	<b>82,257</b>	<b>16,246</b>	<b>13,550</b>	<b>29,796</b>	<b>11,682</b>	<b>10,760</b>	<b>22,442</b>	<b>64,619</b>	<b>69,876</b>	<b>134,495</b>
<b>POST LEAVING CERT. (VPT2)</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>7,932</b>	<b>19,352</b>	<b>27,284</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>1,025</b>	<b>1,205</b>	<b>8,220</b>	<b>21,134</b>	<b>29,354</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>84,363</b>	<b>100,663</b>	<b>185,026</b>	<b>47,457</b>	<b>50,236</b>	<b>97,693</b>	<b>27,440</b>	<b>25,003</b>	<b>52,443</b>	<b>159,260</b>	<b>175,902</b>	<b>335,162</b>

Note 1: VPT2 (Vocational Preparation and Training 2) is an integrated programme of general education, vocational training and work experience aimed at students who would otherwise leave full-time education after completion of Senior Cycle.

Note 2: Jun.Cert. Sch. Prog. refers to the Junior Certificate School Programme.

**TABLE 3.4 - SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS CLASSIFIED BY ENROLMENT SIZE**

ENROLMENT SIZE	SECONDARY	VOCATIONAL	COMMUNITY	COMPREHENSIVE	TOTAL
Under 100	10	19	-	-	29
100 and under 200	30	42	1	-	73
200 and under 300	60	43	4	2	109
300 and under 400	67	46	10	3	126
400 and under 500	66	35	15	3	119
500 and under 600	62	17	13	3	95
600 and under 700	57	18	18	2	95
700 and under 800	29	4	5	1	39
800 and over	22	23	10	2	57
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>742</b>

**TABLE 3.5 - PUPILS IN SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS CLASSIFIED BY ENROLMENT SIZE**

ENROLMENT SIZE	SECONDARY	VOCATIONAL	COMMUNITY	COMPREHENSIVE	TOTAL
Under 100	509	1,084	-	-	1,593
100 and under 200	4,831	6,398	193	-	11,422
200 and under 300	15,048	10,736	987	472	27,243
300 and under 400	23,509	16,106	3,517	1,040	44,172
400 and under 500	29,236	15,627	6,690	1,303	52,856
500 and under 600	33,970	9,491	7,023	1,545	52,029
600 and under 700	36,701	11,601	11,613	1,244	61,159
700 and under 800	21,455	2,992	3,745	798	28,990
800 and over	19,767	23,658	10,543	1,730	55,698
<b>TOTAL.</b>	<b>185,026</b>	<b>97,693</b>	<b>44,311</b>	<b>8,132</b>	<b>335,162</b>



**TABLE 3.6 - SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY	MALE	FEMALE	MIXED	TOTAL
Secondary	111	144	148	403
Vocational	1	2	244	247
Community	1	1	74	76
Comprehensive	1	1	14	16
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>742</b>

Note: The above data represent the de facto enrolment situation in schools. For example a school enrolling 600 boys and one girl is classified as a mixed school.

**TABLE 3.7 - PUPILS IN SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY	MALE	FEMALE	MIXED		TOTAL
			MALE	FEMALE	
Secondary	50,716	71,738	33,645	28,927	185,026
Vocational	225	603	47,232	49,633	97,693
Community	611	748	22,549	20,403	44,311
Comprehensive	230	242	4,050	3,610	8,132
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>51,782</b>	<b>73,331</b>	<b>107,476</b>	<b>102,573</b>	<b>335,162</b>

See note for Table 3.6 above.

**TABLE 3.8 - NUMBER OF FIRST-YEAR JUNIOR CYCLE PUPILS BY AGE**

CATEGORY AGE ON 1st JANUARY 2005	11 or younger	12	13	14	15 or older	Grand Total
	Secondary	23	13,567	19,546	1,071	60
Vocational	8	4,800	7,714	800	41	13,363
Community	2	2,945	4,815	352	29	8,143
Comprehensive	2	573	792	82	5	1,454
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>21,885</b>	<b>32,867</b>	<b>2,305</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>57,227</b>

**TABLE 3.9 - NUMBER OF PART-TIME STUDENTS ENROLLED IN VOCATIONAL, COMMUNITY AND COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS**

<b>County</b>	<b>Other Second Level / Further Education Courses</b>	<b>Apprenticeship Training</b>	<b>Adult Education</b>	<b>Junior and Leaving Cert</b>	<b>Total</b>
Carlow	-	-	1,513	-	1,513
Cavan	-	-	1,472	3	1,475
Clare	-	-	397	-	397
Cork	2,627	98	20,814	76	23,615
Donegal	101	-	8,833	-	8,934
Dublin	2,878	587	61,040	668	65,173
Galway	49	-	2,790	-	2,839
Kerry	101	-	9,246	-	9,347
Kildare	129	-	6,313	-	6,442
Kilkenny	63	-	1,034	-	1,097
Laois	-	-	1,182	-	1,182
Leitrim	-	-	1,425	-	1,425
Limerick	1,202	-	5,078	-	6,280
Longford	46	-	467	-	513
Louth	-	-	4,349	-	4,349
Mayo	1,148	-	2,929	170	4,247
Meath	72	-	4,896	-	4,968
Monaghan	38	-	3,218	-	3,256
Offaly	-	-	1,046	-	1,046
Roscommon	35	-	2,017	-	2,052
Sligo	319	-	2,648	9	2,976
Tipperary	65	-	2,293	19	2,377
Waterford	-	-	2,727	-	2,727
Westmeath	372	-	736	-	1,108
Wexford	8	-	2,651	-	2,659
Wicklow	160	-	5,485	66	5,711
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>† 9,413</b>	<b>685</b>	<b>156,599</b>	<b>1,011</b>	<b>167,708</b>
<i>of which female</i>	6,897	136	114,350	612	121,995

† Includes 3,231 students in third-level courses of whom 2,200 were female.

**TÁBLA 3.10 -LÍON SCOILEANNA DARA LEIBHÉAL DE RÉIR MHEÁIN MHÚINTEOIREACHTA**

AICME SCOILE	LÁN-GHAELACH		SRAITH GHAELACH	ÁBHAR ÉIGIN TRÍ GHAELGE
	i		ii	iii
	San Gaeltacht	Lasmuigh den Gaeltacht		
Meánscoileanna	5	8	1	3
Gairmscoileanna	12	12	7	6
Scoileanna Pobail	1	-	-	*
Scoileanna Cuimsitheacha	1	-	-	*
Iomlán	19	20	8	*

Nóta: Roinntear na scoileanna a bhfuil an Ghaeilge in úsáid mar mheán teagaisc iontu i dtrí aicme, mar leanas:-

- (i) Scoileanna ina n-úsáidtear an Ghaeilge mar mhéan teagaisc in ábhair an churaclaim (ach amháin i gcás teangacha eile nuair a mhúintear trína meán féin iad) agus freisin arb í an Ghaeilge gnáththeanga na múinteoirí agus na ndaltaí. Usáidtear an aicme A1 do mheánscoileanna sa chás seo.
- (ii) Scoileanna ina mbíonn rang grúpa amháin nó níos mó ina n-úsáidtear an Ghaeilge mar mhéan teagaisc sna hábhar uile a thógann siad (ach amháin i gcás teangacha eile nuair a mhúintear trína meán féin iad). Usáidtear an aicme A2 do mheánscoileanna sa chás seo.
- (iii) Scoileanna ina mhúintear an Ghaeilge go héifeachtúil agus ina mhúintear ábhair amháin ar a laghad trí Ghaeilge do rang amháin nó níos mó. Usáidtear an aicme B do mheánscoileanna sa chás seo.
- (\*) Níl sonrái ar fáil i leith Scoileanna Pobail agus Scoileanna Cuimsitheacha.

**TÁBLA 3.11- LÍON NA nDALTAÍ AG FÁIL OIDEACHAIS TRÍ GHAELGE I SCOILEANNA DARA LEIBHÉAL**

AICME SCOILE	LÁN-GHAELACH		SRAITH GHAELACH	ÁBHAR ÉIGIN TRÍ GHAELGE
	i		ii	iii
	San Gaeltacht	Lasmuigh den Gaeltacht		
Meánscoileanna	1,122	2,523	36	95
Gairmscoileanna	1,136	2,486	774	184
Scoileanna Pobail	535	-	-	*
Scoileanna Cuimsitheacha	361	-	-	*
Iomlán	3,154	5,009	810	*

Notá: Féach nótaí at tábla 3.10 thuas.

- (ii) Áirítear 810 dalta i scoileanna dara leibhéal a bhí ag fáil oideachais trí Ghaeilge ar fad. Bhí 4,304 dalta sna scoileanna seo ar fad.
- (iii) Áirítear 279 dalta i Meánscoileanna agus Gairmscoileanna seo a bhí ag fáil oideachais trí Ghaeilge in ábhar amháin nó níos mó seachas an Ghaeilge. Bhí 4,088 dalta sna scoileanna seo ar fad.

**TABLE 3.12-NUMBER OF DAY-PUPILS AND BOARDERS IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS**

	<b>MALES</b>	<b>FEMALES</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Boarders	3,002	2,089	5,091
Day-Pupils	81,361	98,574	179,935
<b>Total</b>	<b>84,363</b>	<b>100,663</b>	<b>185,026</b>

Note: There were 40 Secondary schools enrolling boarding students.

**TABLE 3.13-NUMBER OF TEACHERS IN SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS**

<b>SCHOOL TYPE</b>	<b>FULL - TIME</b>			<b>FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT OF PART-TIME</b>	<b>OVERALL FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT</b>
	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Total</b>		
Secondary	4,327	7,226	11,553	1,653	13,206
Vocational	2,475	3,519	5,994	1,682	7,676
Community	1,201	1,755	2,956	526	3,482
Comprehensive	193	338	531	95	626
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,196</b>	<b>12,838</b>	<b>21,034</b>	<b>3,956</b>	<b>24,990</b>

Note: Only teachers paid from funds provided by the Department of Education and Science are included in the above table. Part-time teaching staff include job-sharers, eligible part-time teachers and other part-time teachers. The data in respect of Vocational schools relate to day courses only (Junior Certificate, Leaving Certificate and Post-Leaving Certificate courses).

**TABLE 3.14 - THE NUMBER OF SECONDARY SCHOOL TEACHERS IN RECEIPT OF SPECIAL INCREMENT IN RESPECT OF HONOURS DEGREE, HONOURS DIPLOMA AND BSG ALLOWANCE/GAELTACHT GRANT IN EDUCATION**

Honours Degree	6,914
Honours Diploma	7,498
BSG Allowance/Gaeltacht Grant	360

Note: BSG refers to Breis Speisialta Gaeilge, which is a special allowance payable to teachers in secondary schools in non-Gaeltacht areas who teach through the medium of Irish. The Gaeltacht grant is an allowance payable to teachers teaching through the medium of Irish in schools in Gaeltacht areas.

Total of 360 is broken down as follows BSG 175 teachers and Gaeltacht Grant 185 teachers.

**TABLE 3.15 - NUMBER OF TEACHERS WHO HAVE APPLIED FOR REGISTRATION WITHIN THE SCHOOL YEAR**

Male	169
Female	530
<b>Total</b>	<b>699</b>

**TABLE 3.16-THE APPROVED SUBJECTS WHICH TEACHERS WHO HAVE APPLIED FOR REGISTRATION ARE RECOGNISED TO TEACH (CLASSIFIED BY SUBJECT)**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>MALE</b>	<b>FEMALE</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Accounting	18	53	71
Agricultural Economics	-	-	-
Agricultural Science	1	10	11
Applied Mathematics	5	1	6
Art (including Crafts)	5	39	44
Biology	11	39	50
Business	22	67	89
Chemistry	10	19	29
Civic Social and Political Education	1	3	4
Classical Studies	2	3	5
Computer Studies	6	10	16
Construction Studies	15	1	16
Economics	19	62	81
Economic History	-	-	-
Engineering	7	-	7
English	23	88	111
French	2	54	56
Geography	23	63	86
German	2	30	32
Greek	1	-	1
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-
History	32	57	89
Home Economics	-	42	42
Irish	7	66	73
Italian	-	8	8
Latin	1	-	1
Mathematics	21	44	65
Music	2	20	22
Physical Education	11	24	35
Physics	8	15	23
Physics and Chemistry combined	-	-	-
Religious Education	9	55	64
Spanish	-	15	15
Technical Drawing	22	1	23
Technology	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>1,175</b>

Nóta: Bronnadh an Teastas Gaeilge Do Mhuinteoiri Iarbhunscóile ar 97 iarrthóiri.

**TABLE 3.17 - SCHOOL BUILDING PROGRAMME AT SECOND LEVEL IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 2004**

<b>NUMBER</b>				
<b>Project Type</b>	<b>Secondary Schools</b>	<b>Vocational Schools</b>	<b>Community &amp; Comprehensive</b>	<b>Total</b>
New Schools - completed	-	1	-	1
Major Extensions/Refurbishments - completed	6	4	5	15
Summer Works Scheme - approved (1)	83	57	17	157
Science Grants (2)	336	210	89	635
Remediation Programmes	On Going	On Going	On Going	On Going
Site Acquisitions	-	1	3	4
Furniture & Equipment	304	246	98	648
Temporary Accommodation	14	8	4	26

- (1) The Summer Works Scheme was introduced in 2004 as a devolved method for schools to undertake refurbishment works during the summer holidays.
- (2) Science Grants were paid to update and refurbish facilities and equipment to support the introduction of the new Junior Certificate Science curriculum.
- Note: Any detailed queries in relation to this table should be directed to the Building Unit Post Primary Finance Section Tullamore

**TABLE 3.18 - CAPITAL EXPENDITURE ON THE SCHOOL BUILDING PROGRAMME AT SECOND LEVEL IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 2004**

<b>EXPENDITURE (€)</b>				
<b>Project Type</b>	<b>Secondary Schools</b>	<b>Vocational Schools</b>	<b>Community &amp; Comprehensive</b>	<b>Total</b>
New Schools	2,868,112.77	10,068,073.25	6,698,330.91	19,634,516.93
Major Extensions/Refurbishments	42,646,473.63	38,413,260.51	10,359,472.59	91,419,206.73
Summer Works Scheme	8,037,422.72	3,933,178.45	2,185,026.63	14,155,627.80
Science Grants	8,142,990.55	3,364,394.55	1,930,574.65	13,437,959.75
Remediation Programmes	918,625.74	9,364,194.67	744,890.86	11,027,711.27
Sites (A)	23,497.76	3,401,499.29	607,562.98	4,032,560.03
Furniture & Equipment	861,626.10	684,704.84	564,505.07	2,110,836.01
Temporary Accommodation	483,328.99	644,355.77	225,873.63	1,353,558.39
Miscellaneous (B)	1,805,525.88	2,828,774.54	651,828.11	5,286,128.53
<b>Total</b>	<b>65,787,604.14</b>	<b>72,702,435.87</b>	<b>23,968,065.43</b>	<b>162,458,105.44</b>

- (A) Expenditure includes site acquisition and other site investigation costs that may/may not lead to acquisition.
- (B) This includes contingency, fee payments for projects not gone to tender and other miscellaneous payments.

Note: Any detailed queries in relation to this table should be directed to the Building Unit Post Primary Finance Section Tullamore

**TABLE 3.19 - EXPENDITURE PER PUPIL FOR SCHOOL TRANSPORT (SECOND LEVEL) FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2004**

	<b>TOTAL COST (€)</b>	<b>NUMBER OF PUPILS</b>	<b>COST PER PUPIL PER WEEK (€)</b>
Public scheduled services	3,343,721	8,287	11.93
Special services for schools	41,198,181	68,202	17.26
Total (including receipts)	44,541,902	76,489	16.70
Total (excluding receipts)	38,730,329	76,489	14.52

**TABLE 3.20 - FINANCIAL AID TO STUDENTS TOWARDS THE COST OF SCHOOL BOOKS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2004**

	<b>TOTAL ALLOCATION (€)</b>	<b>NUMBER OF PUPILS ASSISTED</b>	<b>AVERAGE ALLOCATION PER PUPIL (€)</b>
Second Level Schools	6,127,040	135,765	45.00

Note: In addition to the above monies the following amounts were also allocated:

(i) €221,240 was issued to schools for the setting up of Book Rental Schemes.

(ii) An additional allowance was provided for a small number of schools who had enrolled children of asylum-seekers living in "direct provision" residential centres. Applications for funding under this scheme amounted to €10,720.

Second level schools comprise Secondary, Vocational and Community & Comprehensive schools.

**TABLE 3.21 - RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE (CURRENT) OF THE VOCATIONAL EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEES FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2004**

	<b>TOTAL</b>
	<b>€ (MILLIONS)</b>
<b>RECEIPTS:</b>	
Grants from the Department	811.94
Local contribution from the rating authority	1.55
Tuition Fees	9.38
Other Receipts (incl. bank interest, sale of books, etc.)	70.88
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>893.75</b>
<b>EXPENDITURE:</b>	
Pay	537.16
Non-Pay	50.32
Other expenditure	288.64
<b>Total Expenditure</b>	<b>876.12</b>

Note 1: The data in the above table are based on provisional figures returned by the Vocational Education Committees to the Department each year.

Note 2: Pay includes the costs of the Vocational Training Opportunities Scheme (V.T.O.S.)

Note 3: Other expenditure relate to programmes such as the Youthreach scheme, Adult Literacy schemes, Youth and Sport, VTOS (non-pay), Scholarships and Book Scheme as well as miscellaneous items.



**TABLE 3.22 — FINANCIAL STATEMENT  
STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FROM PUBLIC FUNDS ON SECOND-LEVEL EDUCATION AND FURTHER EDUCATION  
DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 2004**

	€ (MILLIONS)
<b>CURRENT EXPENDITURE</b>	
Department Pay and Other Overheads	25.0
Pay and Operating Costs:	
Secondary Teachers - Incremental Salary Grant	769.1
Grants to Vocational Education Committees	695.4
Comprehensive and Community Schools - Running Costs	263.9
Superannuation	156.9
Payment to Local Authorities in respect of superannuation charges	88.5
Grants towards Clerical Assistance in Secondary Schools	5.5
Per Capita Grants towards operating costs of Secondary Schools	85.6
School Transport	39.0
Examinations	45.7
Aid for School Books	6.4
Miscellaneous grants and services	112.4
<b>TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE</b>	<b>2293.4</b>
<b>CAPITAL EXPENDITURE</b>	
Secondary Schools	75.4
Vocational Schools	64.3
Community and Comprehensive Schools	24.0
Information & Communication Technology	7.2
Department overheads	0.3
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE</b>	<b>171.2</b>
<b>GROSS TOTAL</b>	<b>2464.6</b>
† <b>DEDUCT RECEIPTS</b>	<b>157.5</b>
<b>NET TOTAL</b>	<b>2307.1</b>

† This figure includes €86.1m. received from the European Social Fund.

**TABLE 3.23 - NUMBER OF VOCATIONAL TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES SCHEME (VTOS) STUDENTS CLASSIFIED BY SEX AND AGE AS AT 31 DECEMBER, 2004**

<b>Programme Type</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Total</b>
CORE VTOS	1,126	2,677	3,803
DISPERSED VTOS	602	1,133	1,735
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,728</b>	<b>3,810</b>	<b>5,538</b>
<b>Age of all VTOS Students</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Total</b>
21 - 24	307	646	953
25 - 39	756	1,781	2,537
40 +	665	1,383	2,048

Note: VTOS consists of a range of courses designed to meet the education and training needs of unemployed people aged 21 and over. Certification is available at a range of levels, including Junior Certificate, Leaving Certificate and Further Education and Training Awards Council (FETAC) certificates.  
Core VTOS refers to those who are in groups consisting of VTOS participants only, either in schools or other educational institutions.  
Dispersed VTOS refers to those participants who are dispersed within schools programmes.

**TABLE 3.24 - NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN YOUTHREACH AND SENIOR TRAVELLER TRAINING COURSES BY SEX AND AGE, AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2004**

<b>YOUTHREACH</b>			
<b>Age</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Total</b>
under 15	57	26	83
16	636	384	1,020
17	323	294	617
18	195	271	466
19 +	131	435	566
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,342</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>2,752</b>
<i>of which</i>			
Foundation Level	852	645	1,497
Progression Level	490	765	1,255
<b>SENIOR TRAVELLER TRAINING</b>			
<b>Age</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Total</b>
under 15	2	2	4
15 - 17	108	133	241
18 - 19	17	75	92
20 - 24	17	152	169
25 - 44	23	275	298
45 - 49	10	71	81
50 +	2	93	95
<b>Total</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>980</b>
<i>of which</i>			
Foundation Level	133	480	613
Progression Level	46	321	367

Note: Youthreach is designed for those who leave school with no qualifications (i.e. without the Junior Certificate.) Certification is available at a range of levels, including Junior Certificate, Leaving Certificate and Further Education and Training Awards Council (FETAC) certificates.

# **Section 4**

**Detailed Analysis of Subject Provision  
and Take Up in Second Level Schools**



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## INTRODUCTORY NOTE ON TABLES IN SECTION 4

The sex category of a school for a particular programme (Junior Certificate or Leaving Certificate) is determined by the de-facto enrolment in the school for this programme. So, for example, a school enrolling 250 girls and one boy in the Junior Certificate programme is classified as a mixed school at Junior Certificate. However, if the same school enrolled all girls and no boys in the Leaving Certificate programme, the school would be classified as single-sex for the Leaving Certificate programme.

The tables in this section are based on returns showing the number of subjects being taken by each pupil in the school. Hence a school which offers a subject but whose pupils do not take up that offer is not included under that subject. A mixed school which offers a subject to both sexes, but in which no boy decides to take the subject is therefore classified as a school which provides the subject to girls only.

Caution should be exercised in comparing data in the subject tables with corresponding data in statistical reports prior to 1991/92. This applies in particular to the tables which contain data concerning the number of schools providing the various subjects on the Leaving Certificate programme. The increase in the number of schools providing subjects such as Agricultural Science, Agricultural Economics and Economic History to Leaving Certificate may be partially due to the increase in the number of Second Level Schools involved in co-operation arrangements. A Second Level School which is not in a position to offer a particular subject to pupils in the school may enter into a co-operation arrangement with a neighbouring school where the subject is provided. Under this arrangement, pupils travel from one school to the other in order to study the subject in question while remaining on the rolls of their parent school. Subject data are derived from the Annual Pupil Database Return which is completed by each Second Level School. For technical reasons relating to the manner in which data are stored and processed on the Pupil Database, both schools involved in a co-operation arrangement are classified as schools providing the subject in question. The Pupil Database Return also serves as the official application for entry to the certificate examinations. In order to provide a complete exam entry, a number of schools returned data in respect of pupils who were studying subjects privately outside the regular school system.

**TABLE 4.1 - NUMBER OF SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS PROVIDING EACH SUBJECT IN THE JUNIOR CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL  SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
		Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
		1. Irish	714		130	155	429
2. English	714	130	155	429	-	-	429
3. Mathematics	714	130	155	429	-	-	429
4. History	689	129	155	405	3	1	401
5. Geography	697	129	155	413	2	-	411
6. Latin	30	15	7	8	1	1	6
7. Ancient Greek	4	2	1	1	-	-	1
8. Classical Studies	32	12	8	12	-	1	11
9. Hebrew Studies	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
10. French	698	127	155	416	3	2	411
11. German	447	87	127	233	7	8	218
12. Spanish	143	28	51	64	4	5	55
13. Italian	27	3	12	12	2	2	8
14. Typewriting	26	1	16	9	-	2	7
15. Art, Craft, Design	670	114	155	401	1	4	396
16. Business Studies	690	126	147	417	4	4	409
17. Science (with Local Studies)	32	1	-	31	2	-	29
18. Science	682	128	146	408	3	2	403
19. Music	497	67	147	283	3	25	255
20. Materials Technology (Wood)	466	83	2	381	11	-	370
21. Technical Graphics	498	97	13	388	18	1	369
22. Home Economics	565	8	154	403	-	30	373
23. Metalwork	310	20	-	290	25	-	265
24. Technology	132	33	20	79	10	1	68
25. Environmental & Social Studies	40	6	4	30	2	-	28
26. Keyboarding	9	-	3	6	1	-	5
27. Choir	100	2	75	23	-	1	22
28. Orchestra	3	-	3	-	-	-	-
29. Computer Studies	459	89	90	280	4	1	275
30. Physical Education	620	120	141	359	4	3	352
31. Religious Education	600	102	123	375	1	2	372
32. Civic, Social & Political Education	714	130	155	429	-	-	429
33. Health Education	25	3	8	14	-	1	13
34. Speech & Drama	52	2	39	11	-	-	11
35. Religious Education (JC Exam)	174	37	52	85	4	-	81
36. Social, Personal and Health Education	712	130	155	427	1	-	426
37. Science (JC - Revised Syllabus)	243	40	53	150	3	1	146
38. Physical Education (JC - Revised Syllabus)	85	13	25	47	1	-	46
<b>Total number of Schools offering the Junior Certificate Programme</b>	<b>714</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 2 - NUMBER OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS PROVIDING EACH SUBJECT IN THE JUNIOR CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL  SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
		Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
1. Irish	401	125	151	125	1	-	124
2. English	401	125	151	125	-	-	125
3. Mathematics	401	125	151	125	-	-	125
4. History	401	125	151	125	-	-	125
5. Geography	401	125	151	125	-	-	125
6. Latin	29	15	7	7	1	1	5
7. Ancient Greek	4	2	1	1	-	-	1
8. Classical Studies	27	12	7	8	-	-	8
9. Hebrew Studies	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
10. French	397	123	151	123	3	1	119
11. German	302	85	125	92	1	4	87
12. Spanish	106	28	50	28	2	3	23
13. Italian	15	3	11	1	-	1	-
14. Typewriting	20	1	16	3	-	-	3
15. Art, Craft, Design	382	110	151	121	-	1	120
16. Business Studies	388	123	144	121	2	-	119
17. Science (with Local Studies)	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
18. Science	388	123	143	122	1	1	120
19. Music	310	66	143	101	1	13	87
20. Materials Technology (Wood)	168	78	2	88	3	-	85
21. Technical Graphics	210	92	13	105	7	1	97
22. Home Economics	264	8	150	106	-	10	96
23. Metalwork	39	15	-	24	5	-	19
24. Technology	77	33	19	25	5	1	19
25. Environmental & Social Studies	11	5	4	2	-	-	2
26. Keyboarding	4	-	3	1	-	-	1
27. Choir	94	2	75	17	-	-	17
28. Orchestra	3	-	3	-	-	-	-
29. Computer Studies	257	86	87	84	3	-	81
30. Physical Education	361	115	137	109	1	-	108
31. Religious Education	325	98	120	107	-	2	105
32. Civic, Social & Political Education	401	125	151	125	-	-	125
33. Health Education	15	3	8	4	-	-	4
34. Speech & Drama	44	2	39	3	-	-	3
35. Religious Education (JC Exam)	113	35	51	27	2	-	25
36. Social, Personal and Health Education	401	125	151	125	1	-	124
37. Science (JC - Revised Syllabus)	139	39	52	48	2	-	46
38. Physical Education (JC - Revised Syllabus)	56	13	25	18	1	-	17
<b>Total number of Secondary Schools offering the Junior Certificate Programme</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4.3 - NUMBER OF VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS PROVIDING EACH SUBJECT IN THE JUNIOR CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL  SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
		Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
1. Irish	222	3	2	217	-	-	217
2. English	222	3	2	217	-	-	217
3. Mathematics	222	3	2	217	-	-	217
4. History	197	2	2	193	3	1	189
5. Geography	205	2	2	201	2	-	199
6. Latin	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
7. Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8. Classical Studies	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
9. Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10. French	211	2	2	207	-	1	206
11. German	82	1	1	80	5	4	71
12. Spanish	24	-	-	24	1	1	22
13. Italian	9	-	1	8	1	1	6
14. Typewriting	5	-	-	5	-	2	3
15. Art, Craft, Design	197	2	2	193	1	3	189
16. Business Studies	211	1	1	209	2	4	203
17. Science (with Local Studies)	30	-	-	30	2	-	28
18. Science	204	3	1	200	2	1	197
19. Music	112	-	2	110	2	10	98
20. Materials Technology (Wood)	211	3	-	208	8	-	200
21. Technical Graphics	204	3	-	201	9	-	192
22. Home Economics	212	-	2	210	-	18	192
23. Metalwork	187	3	-	184	12	-	172
24. Technology	30	-	-	30	5	-	25
25. Environmental & Social Studies	21	-	-	21	2	-	19
26. Keyboarding	4	-	-	4	1	-	3
27. Choir	4	-	-	4	-	-	4
28. Orchestra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29. Computer Studies	140	1	1	138	1	1	136
30. Physical Education	171	3	2	166	2	2	162
31. Religious Education	201	3	2	196	1	-	195
32. Civic, Social & Political Education	222	3	2	217	-	-	217
33. Health Education	7	-	-	7	-	1	6
34. Speech & Drama	3	-	-	3	-	-	3
35. Religious Education (JC Exam)	28	-	-	28	2	-	26
36. Social, Personal and Health Education	220	3	2	215	-	-	215
37. Science (JC - Revised Syllabus)	66	-	1	65	1	1	63
38. Physical Education (JC - Revised Syllabus)	20	-	-	20	-	-	20
<b>Total number of Vocational Schools offering the Junior Certificate Programme</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>



**TABLE 4. 4 - NUMBER OF COMMUNITY AND COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS PROVIDING EACH SUBJECT IN THE JUNIOR CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL  SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
		Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
		1. Irish	91		2	2	87
2. English	91	2	2	87	-	-	87
3. Mathematics	91	2	2	87	-	-	87
4. History	91	2	2	87	-	-	87
5. Geography	91	2	2	87	-	-	87
6. Latin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7. Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8. Classical Studies	4	-	-	4	-	1	3
9. Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10. French	90	2	2	86	-	-	86
11. German	63	1	1	61	1	-	60
12. Spanish	13	-	1	12	1	1	10
13. Italian	3	-	-	3	1	-	2
14. Typewriting	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
15. Art, Craft, Design	91	2	2	87	-	-	87
16. Business Studies	91	2	2	87	-	-	87
17. Science (with Local Studies)	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
18. Science	90	2	2	86	-	-	86
19. Music	75	1	2	72	-	2	70
20. Materials Technology (Wood)	87	2	-	85	-	-	85
21. Technical Graphics	84	2	-	82	2	-	80
22. Home Economics	89	-	2	87	-	2	85
23. Metalwork	84	2	-	82	8	-	74
24. Technology	25	-	1	24	-	-	24
25. Environmental & Social Studies	8	1	-	7	-	-	7
26. Keyboarding	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
27. Choir	2	-	-	2	-	1	1
28. Orchestra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29. Computer Studies	62	2	2	58	-	-	58
30. Physical Education	88	2	2	84	1	1	82
31. Religious Education	74	1	1	72	-	-	72
32. Civic, Social & Political Education	91	2	2	87	-	-	87
33. Health Education	3	-	-	3	-	-	3
34. Speech & Drama	5	-	-	5	-	-	5
35. Religious Education (JC Exam)	33	2	1	30	-	-	30
36. Social, Personal and Health Education	91	2	2	87	-	-	87
37. Science (JC - Revised Syllabus)	38	1	-	37	-	-	37
38. Physical Education (JC - Revised Syllabus)	9	-	-	9	-	-	9
<b>Total number of Community and Comprehensive Schools offering the Junior Certificate Programme</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4.5 - NUMBER OF SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS PROVIDING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
		Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
1. Irish	713	118	156	439	-	-	439
2. English	714	118	156	440	-	-	440
3. Mathematics	714	118	156	440	-	-	440
4. History	630	115	150	365	16	6	343
5. Geography	685	118	156	411	5	3	403
6. Latin	23	10	6	7	3	2	2
7. Ancient Greek	3	2	-	1	-	1	-
8. Classical Studies	57	15	20	22	4	2	16
9. Hebrew Studies	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
10. French	701	116	156	429	2	2	425
11. German	474	89	135	250	12	22	216
12. Spanish	152	22	56	74	7	11	56
13. Italian	40	4	16	20	6	6	8
14. Applied Maths	180	54	39	87	32	2	53
15. Physics	560	111	127	322	42	3	277
16. Chemistry	553	105	149	299	18	15	266
17. Physics and Chemistry	72	12	6	54	6	2	46
18. Agricultural Science	196	35	18	143	13	3	127
19. Biology	694	113	156	425	1	8	416
20. Agricultural Economics	11	1	3	7	3	-	4
21. Engineering	307	17	-	290	124	-	166
22. Technical Drawing	462	82	17	363	106	1	256
23. Construction Studies	444	68	4	372	77	1	294
24. Japanese (LC Exam)	5	-	3	2	-	-	2
25. Polish	2	-	2	-	-	-	-
26. Accounting	519	96	130	293	9	13	271
27. Business Studies	674	115	155	404	9	8	387
28. Economics	280	80	75	125	8	6	111
29. Economic History	17	4	4	9	3	-	6
30. Typewriting	11	-	7	4	-	-	4
31. Art(with Design option)	396	69	88	239	12	12	215
32. Art(with Craftwork option)	358	49	89	220	12	7	201
33. Keyboarding	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
34. Choir	56	-	45	11	-	2	9
35. Orchestra	4	-	4	-	-	-	-
36. Computer Studies	357	54	86	217	10	2	205
37. Physical Education	519	81	136	302	13	4	285
38. Religious Education	655	111	151	393	12	2	379
39. Health Education	27	1	16	10	-	-	10
40. Speech & Drama	15	-	12	3	-	1	2
41. Music	442	49	144	249	11	37	201
42. Dutch	10	-	-	10	4	4	2
43. Portugese	6	2	2	2	-	2	-
44. Danish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45. Swedish	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
46. Home Economics S&S (New Syllabus)	581	22	155	404	5	61	338
47. Russian	22	4	4	14	5	6	3
48. Work Experience	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49. Preparation for Work	500	70	104	326	6	1	319
50. Enterprise Education	500	70	104	326	6	1	319
51. French (Basic)	60	7	7	46	5	-	41
52. German (Basic)	13	5	-	8	-	-	8
53. Spanish (Basic)	10	3	2	5	1	-	4
54. Italian (Basic)	6	2	1	3	-	-	3
55. French, Level 1	28	1	2	25	5	-	20
56. German, Level 1	6	1	-	5	2	-	3
57. Italian, Level 1	2	-	-	2	-	-	2
58. Spanish, Level 1	9	-	2	7	2	1	4
59. Modern Greek	1	-	-	1	1	-	-
60. Arabic	3	1	1	1	1	-	-
61. Religious Education (LC Exam)	46	5	14	27	2	3	22
62. Japanese	8	-	4	4	1	2	1
<b>Total number of Schools offering the Leaving Course</b>	<b>714</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

Explanatory Note: In the cycle 474 schools provide German. 89 single sex schools provide German to boys and 135 single sex schools provide German to girls. 250 mixed schools also provide German. Of these, 12 provide German to boys only, 22 provide German to girls only and 216 provide German to both sexes.

**TABLE 4. 6 - NUMBER OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS PROVIDING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL  SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
		Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
1. Irish	401	116	153	132	-	-	132
2. English	401	116	153	132	-	-	132
3. Mathematics	401	116	153	132	-	-	132
4. History	383	113	147	123	7	2	114
5. Geography	400	116	153	131	1	-	130
6. Latin	20	10	6	4	2	-	2
7. Ancient Greek	3	2	-	1	-	1	-
8. Classical Studies	48	15	19	14	1	2	11
9. Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10. French	397	114	153	130	2	1	127
11. German	320	87	133	100	6	7	87
12. Spanish	115	21	54	40	3	10	27
13. Italian	29	4	16	9	4	3	2
14. Applied Maths	133	53	39	41	14	2	25
15. Physics	345	109	125	111	12	-	99
16. Chemistry	366	103	147	116	10	4	102
17. Physics and Chemistry	35	12	6	17	3	-	14
18. Agricultural Science	95	35	18	42	4	-	38
19. Biology	395	112	153	130	1	-	129
20. Agricultural Economics	7	1	3	3	1	-	2
21. Engineering	38	15	-	23	9	-	14
22. Technical Drawing	202	80	17	105	30	-	75
23. Construction Studies	160	66	4	90	22	-	68
24. Japanese (LC Exam)	4	-	3	1	-	-	1
25. Polish	2	-	2	-	-	-	-
26. Accounting	334	95	128	111	8	2	101
27. Business Studies	390	113	152	125	3	-	122
28. Economics	215	79	74	62	4	3	55
29. Economic History	13	3	4	6	2	-	4
30. Typewriting	9	-	7	2	-	-	2
31. Art(with Design option)	235	67	86	82	5	3	74
32. Art(with Craftwork option)	201	49	89	63	6	2	55
33. Keyboarding	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34. Choir	54	-	45	9	-	2	7
35. Orchestra	4	-	4	-	-	-	-
36. Computer Studies	205	52	84	69	7	1	61
37. Physical Education	316	79	133	104	7	1	96
38. Religious Education	380	109	148	123	8	1	114
39. Health Education	21	1	16	4	-	-	4
40. Speech & Drama	12	-	11	1	-	1	-
41. Music	282	48	141	93	3	15	75
42. Dutch	6	-	-	6	2	3	1
43. Portugese	5	2	2	1	-	1	-
44. Danish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45. Swedish	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
46. Home Economics S&S(New Syllabus)	286	21	152	113	2	11	100
47. Russian	14	4	4	6	1	5	-
48. Work Experience	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49. Preparation for Work	256	68	102	86	3	-	83
50. Enterprise Education	256	68	102	86	3	-	83
51. French (Basic)	25	7	7	11	2	-	9
52. German (Basic)	7	5	-	2	-	-	2
53. Spanish (Basic)	6	3	2	1	1	-	-
54. Italian (Basic)	3	2	1	-	-	-	-
55. French, Level 1	11	1	2	8	2	-	6
56. German, Level 1	2	1	-	1	1	-	-
57. Italian, Level 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
58. Spanish, Level 1	2	-	2	-	-	-	-
59. Modern Greek	1	-	-	1	1	-	-
60. Arabic	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
61. Religious Education (LC Exam)	31	5	14	12	2	3	7
62. Japanese	7	-	4	3	1	1	1
<b>Total number of Secondary Schools offering the Leaving Course</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 7 - NUMBER OF VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS PROVIDING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
		Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
1. Irish	222	1	2	219	-	-	219
2. English	223	1	2	220	-	-	220
3. Mathematics	223	1	2	220	-	-	220
4. History	157	1	2	154	9	3	142
5. Geography	196	1	2	193	4	3	186
6. Latin	3	-	-	3	1	2	-
7. Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8. Classical Studies	4	-	1	3	2	-	1
9. Hebrew Studies	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
10. French	215	1	2	212	-	1	211
11. German	90	1	1	88	4	13	71
12. Spanish	25	-	1	24	4	1	19
13. Italian	7	-	-	7	1	2	4
14. Applied Maths	26	-	-	26	11	-	15
15. Physics	132	1	1	130	22	2	106
16. Chemistry	111	1	1	109	5	9	95
17. Physics and Chemistry	30	-	-	30	3	2	25
18. Agricultural Science	70	-	-	70	7	3	60
19. Biology	210	-	2	208	-	7	201
20. Agricultural Economics	4	-	-	4	2	-	2
21. Engineering	184	1	-	183	83	-	100
22. Technical Drawing	179	1	-	178	55	1	122
23. Construction Studies	197	1	-	196	46	1	149
24. Japanese (LC Exam)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Polish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26. Accounting	108	-	1	107	1	10	96
27. Business Studies	196	1	2	193	5	7	181
28. Economics	35	-	-	35	4	2	29
29. Economic History	2	-	-	2	1	-	1
30. Typewriting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31. Art(with Design option)	111	1	1	109	4	9	96
32. Art(with Craftwork option)	105	-	-	105	5	4	96
33. Keyboarding	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34. Choir	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35. Orchestra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36. Computer Studies	100	1	1	98	1	1	96
37. Physical Education	129	1	2	126	2	3	121
38. Religious Education	187	1	2	184	4	1	179
39. Health Education	3	-	-	3	-	-	3
40. Speech & Drama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
41. Music	93	-	2	91	7	15	69
42. Dutch	3	-	-	3	1	1	1
43. Portugese	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44. Danish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45. Swedish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46. Home Economics S&S(New Syllabus)	205	-	2	203	2	39	162
47. Russian	8	-	-	8	4	1	3
48. Work Experience	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49. Preparation for Work	173	1	1	171	2	1	168
50. Enterprise Education	173	1	1	171	2	1	168
51. French (Basic)	27	-	-	27	2	-	25
52. German (Basic)	3	-	-	3	-	-	3
53. Spanish (Basic)	2	-	-	2	-	-	2
54. Italian (Basic)	2	-	-	2	-	-	2
55. French, Level 1	12	-	-	12	2	-	10
56. German, Level 1	3	-	-	3	1	-	2
57. Italian, Level 1	2	-	-	2	-	-	2
58. Spanish, Level 1	6	-	-	6	2	-	4
59. Modern Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60. Arabic	1	-	-	1	1	-	-
61. Religious Education (LC Exam)	8	-	-	8	-	-	8
62. Japanese	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
<b>Total number of Vocational Schools offering the Leaving Course</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4.8 - NUMBER OF COMMUNITY AND COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS PROVIDING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

SUBJECT	CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
			Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
1. Irish		90	1	1	88	-	-	88
2. English		90	1	1	88	-	-	88
3. Mathematics		90	1	1	88	-	-	88
4. History		90	1	1	88	-	1	87
5. Geography		89	1	1	87	-	-	87
6. Latin		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7. Ancient Greek		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8. Classical Studies		5	-	-	5	1	-	4
9. Hebrew Studies		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10. French		89	1	1	87	-	-	87
11. German		64	1	1	62	2	2	58
12. Spanish		12	1	1	10	-	-	10
13. Italian		4	-	-	4	1	1	2
14. Applied Maths		21	1	-	20	7	-	13
15. Physics		83	1	1	81	8	1	72
16. Chemistry		76	1	1	74	3	2	69
17. Physics and Chemistry		7	-	-	7	-	-	7
18. Agricultural Science		31	-	-	31	2	-	29
19. Biology		89	1	1	87	-	1	86
20. Agricultural Economics		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21. Engineering		85	1	-	84	32	-	52
22. Technical Drawing		81	1	-	80	21	-	59
23. Construction Studies		87	1	-	86	9	-	77
24. Japanese (LC Exam)		1	-	-	1	-	-	1
25. Polish		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26. Accounting		77	1	1	75	-	1	74
27. Business Studies		88	1	1	86	1	1	84
28. Economics		30	1	1	28	-	1	27
29. Economic History		2	1	-	1	-	-	1
30. Typewriting		2	-	-	2	-	-	2
31. Art(with Design option)		50	1	1	48	3	-	45
32. Art(with Craftwork option)		52	-	-	52	1	1	50
33. Keyboarding		1	-	-	1	-	-	1
34. Choir		2	-	-	2	-	-	2
35. Orchestra		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36. Computer Studies		52	1	1	50	2	-	48
37. Physical Education		74	1	1	72	4	-	68
38. Religious Education		88	1	1	86	-	-	86
39. Health Education		3	-	-	3	-	-	3
40. Speech & Drama		3	-	1	2	-	-	2
41. Music		67	1	1	65	1	7	57
42. Dutch		1	-	-	1	1	-	-
43. Portugese		1	-	-	1	-	1	-
44. Danish		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45. Swedish		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46. Home Economics S&S(New Syllabus)		90	1	1	88	1	11	76
47. Russian		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
48. Work Experience		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49. Preparation for Work		71	1	1	69	1	-	68
50. Enterprise Education		71	1	1	69	1	-	68
51. French (Basic)		8	-	-	8	1	-	7
52. German (Basic)		3	-	-	3	-	-	3
53. Spanish (Basic)		2	-	-	2	-	-	2
54. Italian (Basic)		1	-	-	1	-	-	1
55. French, Level 1		5	-	-	5	1	-	4
56. German, Level 1		1	-	-	1	-	-	1
57. Italian, Level 1		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
58. Spanish, Level 1		1	-	-	1	-	1	-
59. Modern Greek		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60. Arabic		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
61. Religious Education (LC Exam)		7	-	-	7	-	-	7
62. Japanese		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total number of Community and Comprehensive Schools offering the Leaving Course</b>		<b>90</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 9 - NUMBER OF SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS PROVIDING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE APPLIED PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

SUBJECT	CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
			Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
1. French		153	23	25	105	5	-	100
2. German		43	7	5	31	-	1	30
3. Spanish		55	4	20	31	-	-	31
4. Italian		23	3	8	12	1	-	11
5. Communicative Irish		250	32	47	171	4	1	166
6. Voc Preparation and Guidance		282	37	57	188	-	-	188
7. English and Communication		282	37	57	188	-	-	188
8. Social Education		282	37	57	188	-	-	188
9. Arts Dance		11	1	5	5	-	-	5
10. Arts Drama		75	13	15	47	2	-	45
11. Arts Visual		183	21	40	122	3	2	117
12. Arts Music		64	7	13	44	2	-	42
13. Leisure and Recreation		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14. Mathematic Applications		282	37	57	188	-	-	188
15. Information Technology		1	-	1	-	-	-	-
16. Agriculture/Horticulture.		45	5	3	37	4	-	33
17. Hotel Catering & Tourism		186	9	41	136	2	9	125
18. Construction/Manufacturing.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19. Crafts and Design.		86	12	16	58	2	2	54
20. Engineering (LCA)		108	7	-	101	27	-	74
21. Community Care		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22. Office Skills & Retail Distr		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Technology (LCA)		28	4	5	19	1	-	18
24. Leisure Studies		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Information Technology (Specialism)		1	1	-	-	-	-	-
26. Sign Language		1	-	1	-	-	-	-
27. Leisure and Recreation including Physical Education		272	36	52	184	1	-	183
28. Intro to Information & Communication Technology		247	32	45	170	2	1	167
29. Religious Education (LCA)		180	25	46	109	2	-	107
30. Science (LCA)		92	21	21	50	2	-	48
31. Graphics & Construction Studies		170	30	-	140	25	1	114
32. Childcare/Community Care		54	-	32	22	-	10	12
33. Office Administration & Customer Care		51	5	16	30	-	5	25
34. Active Leisure Studies		34	5	6	23	-	-	23
35. Information & Communication Technology		156	21	32	103	1	1	101
36. Hair & Beauty		23	-	15	8	-	4	4
37. Personal Reflection Task		74	7	18	49	2	-	47
38. General Education Task		30	2	9	19	-	-	19
39. Vocational Education Task		23	2	5	16	1	-	15
40. Vocational Preparation Task		24	1	5	18	-	-	18
41. Reserved for Exams		3	-	1	2	-	-	2
<b>Total number of Schools offering the L. C. A. Course</b>		<b>282</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 10 - NUMBER OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS PROVIDING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE APPLIED PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

SUBJECT	CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
			Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
1. French		56	19	24	13	-	-	13
2. German		13	6	5	2	-	-	2
3. Spanish		32	4	19	9	-	-	9
4. Italian		11	3	8	-	-	-	-
5. Communicative Irish		95	26	46	23	-	-	23
6. Voc Preparation and Guidance		113	30	56	27	-	-	27
7. English and Communication		113	30	56	27	-	-	27
8. Social Education		113	30	56	27	-	-	27
9. Arts Dance		7	1	5	1	-	-	1
10. Arts Drama		36	9	14	13	-	-	13
11. Arts Visual		73	19	39	15	-	-	15
12. Arts Music		21	5	12	4	-	-	4
13. Leisure and Recreation		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14. Mathematic Applications		113	30	56	27	-	-	27
15. Information Technology		1	-	1	-	-	-	-
16. Agriculture/Horticulture.		9	3	3	3	-	-	3
17. Hotel Catering & Tourism		67	6	41	20	-	1	19
18. Construction/Manufacturing.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19. Crafts and Design.		36	10	16	10	-	1	9
20. Engineering (LCA)		9	2	-	7	3	-	4
21. Community Care		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22. Office Skills & Retail Distr		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Technology (LCA)		11	4	4	3	-	-	3
24. Leisure Studies		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Information Technology (Specialism)		1	1	-	-	-	-	-
26. Sign Language		1	-	1	-	-	-	-
27. Leisure and Recreation including Physical Education		106	29	51	26	-	-	26
28. Intro to Information & Communication Technology		94	25	44	25	-	-	25
29. Religious Education (LCA)		83	22	46	15	-	-	15
30. Science (LCA)		44	17	21	6	1	-	5
31. Graphics & Construction Studies		42	24	-	18	2	-	16
32. Childcare/Community Care		33	-	31	2	-	1	1
33. Office Administration & Customer Care		22	5	15	2	-	1	1
34. Active Leisure Studies		14	5	6	3	-	-	3
35. Information & Communication Technology		67	21	32	14	-	-	14
36. Hair & Beauty		15	-	15	-	-	-	-
37. Personal Reflection Task		33	7	18	8	-	-	8
38. General Education Task		14	2	9	3	-	-	3
39. Vocational Education Task		10	2	5	3	-	-	3
40. Vocational Preparation Task		10	1	5	4	-	-	4
41. Reserved for Exams		1	-	1	-	-	-	-
<b>Total number of Secondary Schools offering the L. C. A. Course</b>		<b>113</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 11 - NUMBER OF VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS PROVIDING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE APPLIED PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

SUBJECT	CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
			Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
1. French		66	3	1	62	4	-	58
2. German		13	1	-	12	-	1	11
3. Spanish		15	-	1	14	-	-	14
4. Italian		7	-	-	7	-	-	7
5. Communicative Irish		98	5	1	92	2	1	89
6. Voc Preparation and Guidance		106	6	1	99	-	-	99
7. English and Communication		106	6	1	99	-	-	99
8. Social Education		106	6	1	99	-	-	99
9. Arts Dance		2	-	-	2	-	-	2
10. Arts Drama		28	4	1	23	2	-	21
11. Arts Visual		71	1	1	69	1	1	67
12. Arts Music		26	2	1	23	1	-	22
13. Leisure and Recreation		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14. Mathematic Applications		106	6	1	99	-	-	99
15. Information Technology		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16. Agriculture/Horticulture.		25	2	-	23	1	-	22
17. Hotel Catering & Tourism		68	2	-	66	-	3	63
18. Construction/Manufacturing.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19. Crafts and Design.		29	1	-	28	2	1	25
20. Engineering (LCA)		63	4	-	59	13	-	46
21. Community Care		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22. Office Skills & Retail Distr		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Technology (LCA)		10	-	1	9	1	-	8
24. Leisure Studies		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Information Technology (Specialism)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26. Sign Language		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27. Leisure and Recreation including Physical Education		104	6	1	97	1	-	96
28. Intro to Information & Communication Technology		95	6	1	88	2	1	85
29. Religious Education (LCA)		54	3	-	51	1	-	50
30. Science (LCA)		26	4	-	22	1	-	21
31. Graphics & Construction Studies		84	5	-	79	13	1	65
32. Childcare/Community Care		16	-	1	15	-	6	9
33. Office Administration & Customer Care		21	-	1	20	-	3	17
34. Active Leisure Studies		13	-	-	13	-	-	13
35. Information & Communication Technology		51	-	-	51	-	-	51
36. Hair & Beauty		5	-	-	5	-	3	2
37. Personal Reflection Task		25	-	-	25	1	-	24
38. General Education Task		9	-	-	9	-	-	9
39. Vocational Education Task		7	-	-	7	-	-	7
40. Vocational Preparation Task		8	-	-	8	-	-	8
41. Reserved for Exams		1	-	-	1	-	-	1
<b>Total number of Vocational Schools offering the L. C. A. Course</b>		<b>106</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>



**TABLE 4. 12 - NUMBER OF COMMUNITY AND COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS PROVIDING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE APPLIED PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL  SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
		Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
1. French	31	1	-	30	1	-	29
2. German	17	-	-	17	-	-	17
3. Spanish	8	-	-	8	-	-	8
4. Italian	5	-	-	5	1	-	4
5. Communicative Irish	57	1	-	56	2	-	54
6. Voc Preparation and Guidance	63	1	-	62	-	-	62
7. English and Communication	63	1	-	62	-	-	62
8. Social Education	63	1	-	62	-	-	62
9. Arts Dance	2	-	-	2	-	-	2
10. Arts Drama	11	-	-	11	-	-	11
11. Arts Visual	39	1	-	38	2	1	35
12. Arts Music	17	-	-	17	1	-	16
13. Leisure and Recreation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14. Mathematic Applications	63	1	-	62	-	-	62
15. Information Technology	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16. Agriculture/Horticulture.	11	-	-	11	3	-	8
17. Hotel Catering & Tourism	51	1	-	50	2	5	43
18. Construction/Manufacturing.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19. Crafts and Design.	21	1	-	20	-	-	20
20. Engineering(LCA)	36	1	-	35	11	-	24
21. Community Care	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22. Office Skills & Retail Distr	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Technology (LCA)	7	-	-	7	-	-	7
24. Leisure Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Information Technology (Specialism)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26. Sign Language	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27. Leisure and Recreation including Physical Education	62	1	-	61	-	-	61
28. Intro to Information & Communication Technology	58	1	-	57	-	-	57
29. Religious Education (LCA)	43	-	-	43	1	-	42
30. Science (LCA)	22	-	-	22	-	-	22
31. Graphics & Construction Studies	44	1	-	43	10	-	33
32. Childcare/Community Care	5	-	-	5	-	3	2
33. Office Administration & Customer Care	8	-	-	8	-	1	7
34. Active Leisure Studies	7	-	-	7	-	-	7
35. Information & Communication Technology	38	-	-	38	1	1	36
36. Hair & Beauty	3	-	-	3	-	1	2
37. Personal Reflection Task	16	-	-	16	1	-	15
38. General Education Task	7	-	-	7	-	-	7
39. Vocational Education Task	6	-	-	6	1	-	5
40. Vocational Preparation Task	6	-	-	6	-	-	6
41. Reserved for Exams	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
<b>Total number of Community and Comprehensive Schools offering the L. C. A. Course</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 13 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN ALL SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS TAKING EACH SUBJECT IN THE JUNIOR CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

SUBJECT	CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
			Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
									Boys	Girls
1. Irish		160,709	30,758	39,780	49,489	40,682	110	-	49,379	40,682
2. English		171,224	32,447	41,876	53,925	42,976	-	-	53,925	42,976
3. Mathematics		171,206	32,448	41,875	53,906	42,977	-	-	53,906	42,977
4. History		158,489	32,208	41,598	46,540	38,143	29	5	46,511	38,138
5. Geography		160,810	32,206	41,574	47,957	39,073	14	-	47,943	39,073
6. Latin		1,970	1,400	329	167	74	69	1	98	73
7. Ancient Greek		62	36	3	13	10	-	-	13	10
8. Hebrew Studies		7	-	-	1	6	-	-	1	6
9. Classical Studies		2,209	753	595	483	378	-	1	483	377
10. French		117,797	22,815	31,209	33,026	30,747	281	9	32,745	30,738
11. German		39,372	8,112	11,582	10,807	8,871	170	249	10,637	8,622
12. Spanish		12,647	2,122	5,048	2,703	2,774	4	28	2,699	2,746
13. Italian		1,118	141	557	244	176	2	2	242	174
14. Science		121,788	26,695	26,604	37,831	30,658	60	41	37,771	30,617
15. Science (with Local Studies)		1,184	2	-	761	421	5	-	756	421
16. Home Economics		68,433	542	26,581	10,408	30,902	-	1,642	10,408	29,260
17. Music		39,663	4,304	17,281	7,009	11,069	4	175	7,005	10,894
18. Art, Craft & Design		76,286	11,824	22,313	19,222	22,927	61	14	19,161	22,913
19. Materials Technology (Wood)		51,008	9,753	137	32,800	8,318	591	-	32,209	8,318
20. Metalwork		27,319	1,593	-	21,695	4,031	1,525	-	20,170	4,031
21. Technical Graphics		45,160	11,169	1,114	25,704	7,173	880	6	24,824	7,167
22. Technology		9,975	3,089	1,636	3,973	1,277	370	60	3,603	1,217
23. Business Studies		108,874	25,029	30,716	26,381	26,748	177	87	26,204	26,661
24. Typewriting		1,324	124	798	125	277	-	71	125	206
25. Physical Education		140,105	27,362	35,418	43,166	34,159	301	25	42,865	34,134
26. Environmental & Social Studies		1,919	178	155	974	612	77	-	897	612
27. Computer Studies		64,628	13,727	12,170	21,541	17,190	335	3	21,206	17,187
28. Keyboarding		707	-	221	273	213	15	-	258	213
29. Choir		17,024	174	14,576	903	1,371	-	5	903	1,366
30. Orchestra		141	-	141	-	-	-	-	-	-
31. Religious Education		124,989	22,479	29,385	41,003	32,122	9	40	40,994	32,082
32. Civic, Social & Political Education		170,971	32,437	41,860	53,763	42,911	-	-	53,763	42,911
33. Health Education		2,754	364	1,153	642	595	-	1	642	594
34. Speech & Drama		5,829	156	5,057	305	311	-	-	305	311
35. Religious Education (JC Exam)		36,110	8,626	11,033	8,827	7,624	91	-	8,736	7,624
36. Social, Personal and Health Education		140,820	25,191	35,237	44,597	35,795	97	-	44,500	35,795
37. Science (JC - Revised Syllabus)		29,692	4,729	7,512	9,602	7,849	44	24	9,558	7,825
38. Physical Education (JC - Revised Syllabus)		14,055	1,993	5,139	3,662	3,261	1	-	3,661	3,261
<b>Total Number of Pupils in Junior Certificate Programme</b>		<b>171,313</b>	<b>32,448</b>	<b>41,876</b>	<b>53,973</b>	<b>43,016</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 14 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS TAKING EACH SUBJECT IN THE JUNIOR CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

SUBJECT	CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
			Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
									Boys	Girls
1. Irish		96,149	30,063	38,847	14,527	12,712	110	-	14,417	12,712
2. English		101,888	31,721	40,909	15,838	13,420	-	-	15,838	13,420
3. Mathematics		101,901	31,722	40,908	15,841	13,430	-	-	15,841	13,430
4. History		101,535	31,586	40,730	15,803	13,416	-	-	15,803	13,416
5. Geography		101,517	31,588	40,706	15,804	13,419	-	-	15,804	13,419
6. Latin		1,952	1,400	329	156	67	69	1	87	66
7. Ancient Greek		62	36	3	13	10	-	-	13	10
8. Hebrew Studies		7	-	-	1	6	-	-	1	6
9. Classical Studies		1,730	753	449	320	208	-	-	320	208
10. French		73,850	22,395	30,686	10,721	10,048	281	8	10,440	10,040
11. German		26,882	7,987	11,408	4,198	3,289	53	142	4,145	3,147
12. Spanish		9,270	2,122	4,877	1,098	1,173	2	26	1,096	1,147
13. Italian		557	141	415	-	1	-	1	-	-
14. Science		73,452	26,243	25,900	11,517	9,792	34	7	11,483	9,785
15. Science (with Local Studies)		2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16. Home Economics		38,295	542	26,007	2,816	8,930	-	637	2,816	8,293
17. Music		27,700	4,286	16,843	2,630	3,941	2	113	2,628	3,828
18. Art, Craft & Design		45,555	11,533	21,728	5,560	6,734	-	8	5,560	6,726
19. Materials Technology (Wood)		18,292	9,392	137	7,290	1,473	113	-	7,177	1,473
20. Metalwork		3,363	1,292	-	1,840	231	265	-	1,575	231
21. Technical Graphics		20,892	10,878	1,114	6,975	1,925	329	6	6,646	1,919
22. Technology		6,344	3,089	1,525	1,298	432	234	60	1,064	372
23. Business Studies		74,857	24,684	30,213	10,695	9,265	126	-	10,569	9,265
24. Typewriting		1,131	124	798	52	157	-	-	52	157
25. Physical Education		84,644	26,646	34,451	12,895	10,652	156	-	12,739	10,652
26. Environmental & Social Studies		330	133	155	31	11	-	-	31	11
27. Computer Studies		36,055	13,213	11,795	5,778	5,269	218	-	5,560	5,269
28. Keyboarding		227	-	221	3	3	-	-	3	3
29. Choir		16,712	174	14,576	761	1,201	-	-	761	1,201
30. Orchestra		141	-	141	-	-	-	-	-	-
31. Religious Education		73,385	22,210	28,839	12,095	10,241	-	40	12,095	10,201
32. Civic, Social & Political Education		101,866	31,711	40,893	15,834	13,428	-	-	15,834	13,428
33. Health Education		1,935	364	1,153	202	216	-	-	202	216
34. Speech & Drama		5,497	156	5,057	135	149	-	-	135	149
35. Religious Education (JC Exam)		24,133	8,187	10,614	2,923	2,409	65	-	2,858	2,409
36. Social, Personal and Health Education		83,125	24,751	34,367	12,975	11,032	97	-	12,878	11,032
37. Science (JC - Revised Syllabus)		17,868	4,520	7,490	3,207	2,651	43	-	3,164	2,651
38. Physical Education (JC - Revised Syllabus)		9,863	1,993	5,139	1,329	1,402	1	-	1,328	1,402
<b>Total Number of Secondary Pupils in Junior Certificate Programme</b>		<b>101,904</b>	<b>31,722</b>	<b>40,909</b>	<b>15,842</b>	<b>13,431</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 15 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS TAKING EACH SUBJECT IN THE JUNIOR CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

SUBJECT	CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
			Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
									Boys	Girls
1. Irish		37,792	168	302	21,208	16,114	-	-	21,208	16,114
2. English		40,568	170	306	23,079	17,013	-	-	23,079	17,013
3. Mathematics		40,538	170	306	23,058	17,004	-	-	23,058	17,004
4. History		30,324	126	306	16,826	13,066	29	5	16,797	13,061
5. Geography		32,423	107	306	18,045	13,965	14	-	18,031	13,965
6. Latin		18	-	-	11	7	-	-	11	7
7. Ancient Greek		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8. Hebrew Studies		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9. Classical Studies		146	-	146	-	-	-	-	-	-
10. French		25,624	105	211	13,480	11,828	-	1	13,480	11,827
11. German		6,276	43	118	3,349	2,766	116	107	3,233	2,659
12. Spanish		1,909	-	-	955	954	1	1	954	953
13. Italian		514	-	142	209	163	1	1	208	162
14. Science		28,832	165	165	16,290	12,212	26	34	16,264	12,178
15. Science (with Local Studies)		1,176	-	-	758	418	5	-	753	418
16. Home Economics		18,358	-	204	5,103	13,051	-	833	5,103	12,218
17. Music		6,026	-	146	2,218	3,662	2	55	2,216	3,607
18. Art, Craft & Design		18,400	110	239	8,522	9,529	61	6	8,461	9,523
19. Materials Technology (Wood)		21,131	129	-	16,575	4,427	478	-	16,097	4,427
20. Metalwork		15,982	116	-	13,410	2,456	789	-	12,621	2,456
21. Technical Graphics		16,148	129	-	12,624	3,395	437	-	12,187	3,395
22. Technology		1,632	-	-	1,224	408	136	-	1,088	408
23. Business Studies		20,166	60	200	9,259	10,647	51	87	9,208	10,560
24. Typewriting		158	-	-	51	107	-	71	51	36
25. Physical Education		30,674	160	306	17,406	12,802	144	24	17,262	12,778
26. Environmental & Social Studies		1,108	-	-	691	417	77	-	614	417
27. Computer Studies		18,370	100	82	10,666	7,522	117	3	10,549	7,519
28. Keyboarding		395	-	-	222	173	15	-	207	173
29. Choir		280	-	-	130	150	-	-	130	150
30. Orchestra		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31. Religious Education		31,835	152	304	18,209	13,170	9	-	18,200	13,170
32. Civic, Social & Political Education		40,330	170	306	22,918	16,936	-	-	22,918	16,936
33. Health Education		534	-	-	296	238	-	1	296	237
34. Speech & Drama		57	-	-	36	21	-	-	36	21
35. Religious Education (JC Exam)		4,277	-	-	2,298	1,979	26	-	2,272	1,979
36. Social, Personal and Health Education		33,818	98	224	19,173	14,323	-	-	19,173	14,323
37. Science (JC - Revised Syllabus)		5,890	-	22	3,332	2,536	1	24	3,331	2,512
38. Physical Education (JC - Revised Syllabus)		2,282	-	-	1,318	964	-	-	1,318	964
<b>Total Number of Vocational Pupils in Junior Certificate Programme</b>		<b>40,613</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>23,109</b>	<b>17,028</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 16 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN COMMUNITY AND COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS TAKING EACH SUBJECT IN THE JUNIOR CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

SUBJECT	CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
			Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
									Boys	Girls
1. Irish		26,768	527	631	13,754	11,856	-	-	13,754	11,856
2. English		28,768	556	661	15,008	12,543	-	-	15,008	12,543
3. Mathematics		28,767	556	661	15,007	12,543	-	-	15,007	12,543
4. History		26,630	496	562	13,911	11,661	-	-	13,911	11,661
5. Geography		26,870	511	562	14,108	11,689	-	-	14,108	11,689
6. Latin		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7. Ancient Greek		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8. Hebrew Studies		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9. Classical Studies		333	-	-	163	170	-	1	163	169
10. French		18,323	315	312	8,825	8,871	-	-	8,825	8,871
11. German		6,214	82	56	3,260	2,816	1	-	3,259	2,816
12. Spanish		1,468	-	171	650	647	1	1	649	646
13. Italian		47	-	-	35	12	1	-	34	12
14. Science		19,504	287	539	10,024	8,654	-	-	10,024	8,654
15. Science (with Local Studies)		6	-	-	3	3	-	-	3	3
16. Home Economics		11,780	-	370	2,489	8,921	-	172	2,489	8,749
17. Music		5,937	18	292	2,161	3,466	-	7	2,161	3,459
18. Art, Craft & Design		12,331	181	346	5,140	6,664	-	-	5,140	6,664
19. Materials Technology (Wood)		11,585	232	-	8,935	2,418	-	-	8,935	2,418
20. Metalwork		7,974	185	-	6,445	1,344	471	-	5,974	1,344
21. Technical Graphics		8,120	162	-	6,105	1,853	114	-	5,991	1,853
22. Technology		1,999	-	111	1,451	437	-	-	1,451	437
23. Business Studies		13,851	285	303	6,427	6,836	-	-	6,427	6,836
24. Typewriting		35	-	-	22	13	-	-	22	13
25. Physical Education		24,787	556	661	12,865	10,705	1	1	12,864	10,704
26. Environmental & Social Studies		481	45	-	252	184	-	-	252	184
27. Computer Studies		10,203	414	293	5,097	4,399	-	-	5,097	4,399
28. Keyboarding		85	-	-	48	37	-	-	48	37
29. Choir		32	-	-	12	20	-	5	12	15
30. Orchestra		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31. Religious Education		19,769	117	242	10,699	8,711	-	-	10,699	8,711
32. Civic, Social & Political Education		28,775	556	661	15,011	12,547	-	-	15,011	12,547
33. Health Education		285	-	-	144	141	-	-	144	141
34. Speech & Drama		275	-	-	134	141	-	-	134	141
35. Religious Education (JC Exam)		7,700	439	419	3,606	3,236	-	-	3,606	3,236
36. Social, Personal and Health Education		23,877	342	646	12,449	10,440	-	-	12,449	10,440
37. Science (JC - Revised Syllabus)		5,934	209	-	3,063	2,662	-	-	3,063	2,662
38. Physical Education (JC - Revised Syllabus)		1,910	-	-	1,015	895	-	-	1,015	895
<b>Total Number of Community and Comprehensive Pupils in the Junior Certificate Programme</b>		<b>28,796</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>661</b>	<b>15,022</b>	<b>12,557</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 17 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN ALL SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS TAKING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL  SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
		Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
								Boys	Girls
1. Irish	96,189	16,987	24,221	29,370	25,611	-	-	29,370	25,611
2. English	101,625	17,763	25,545	31,273	27,044	-	-	31,273	27,044
3. Latin	219	154	49	7	9	3	2	4	7
4. Ancient Greek	13	11	-	-	2	-	2	-	-
5. Hebrew Studies	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
6. French	63,461	10,551	17,650	16,750	18,510	118	12	16,632	18,498
7. German	16,759	3,350	4,819	4,330	4,260	175	74	4,155	4,186
8. Italian	526	56	255	136	79	40	10	96	69
9. Spanish	4,906	567	1,959	1,183	1,197	52	20	1,131	1,177
10. History	22,594	5,096	4,945	7,496	5,057	211	31	7,285	5,026
11. Geography	52,693	10,988	11,917	16,747	13,041	97	5	16,650	13,036
12. Maths	101,644	17,773	25,555	31,325	26,991	-	-	31,325	26,991
13. Applied Maths	1,867	773	280	622	192	153	2	469	190
14. Physics	15,454	4,561	2,256	6,994	1,643	854	6	6,140	1,637
15. Chemistry	14,353	2,961	4,629	3,515	3,248	244	55	3,271	3,193
16. Physics and Chemistry	1,407	249	95	685	378	74	3	611	375
17. Agricultural Science	6,728	1,228	149	3,813	1,538	159	5	3,654	1,533
18. Biology	50,729	6,753	16,055	9,991	17,930	107	110	9,884	17,820
19. Agricultural Economics	110	4	19	63	24	7	-	56	24
20. Engineering	10,959	680	-	9,658	621	3,605	-	6,053	621
21. Technical Drawing	11,867	2,622	132	8,268	845	2,036	3	6,232	842
22. Construction Studies	19,253	3,687	63	14,198	1,305	2,532	2	11,666	1,303
23. Japanese (LC Exam)	31	-	20	7	4	-	-	7	4
24. Polish	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Accounting	14,351	2,950	4,331	3,470	3,600	235	99	3,235	3,501
26. Business Studies	38,962	7,679	10,589	9,725	10,969	368	96	9,357	10,873
27. Economics	8,432	3,386	1,875	1,919	1,252	116	17	1,803	1,235
28. Economic History	132	36	7	57	32	8	-	49	32
29. Art(with Design option)	10,912	1,662	2,713	2,798	3,739	106	32	2,692	3,707
30. Art(with Craftwork option)	10,163	991	3,147	2,350	3,675	41	43	2,309	3,632
31. Physical Education	59,639	10,039	17,768	17,242	14,590	495	7	16,747	14,583
32. Classical Studies	1,098	301	347	223	227	24	2	199	225
33. Computer Studies	28,952	4,250	8,340	8,417	7,945	326	48	8,091	7,897
34. Keyboarding	18	-	-	11	7	-	-	11	7
35. Choir	4,087	-	3,318	271	498	-	26	271	472
36. Orchestra	58	-	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
37. Religious Education	85,192	15,465	23,268	24,951	21,508	1,218	2	23,733	21,506
38. Typewriting	579	-	221	187	171	-	-	187	171
39. Health Education	1,612	49	1,111	232	220	-	-	232	220
40. Speech & Drama	1,603	-	1,481	66	56	-	1	66	55
41. Music	8,785	605	3,779	1,525	2,876	45	194	1,480	2,682
42. Dutch	99	-	-	72	27	4	4	68	23
43. Portuguese	8	3	2	-	3	-	3	-	-
44. Danish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45. Swedish	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
46. Home Economics S&S (New Syllabus)	27,928	620	10,747	2,602	13,959	64	1,888	2,538	12,071
47. Russian	28	4	4	10	10	6	6	4	4
48. Work Experience	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49. Preparation for Work	34,572	3,821	6,584	11,738	12,429	271	9	11,467	12,420
50. Enterprise Education	34,269	3,802	6,542	11,647	12,278	288	9	11,359	12,269
51. French (Basic)	1,930	179	107	1,063	581	37	-	1,026	581
52. German (Basic)	495	221	-	206	68	-	-	206	68
53. Spanish (Basic)	194	86	12	55	41	1	-	54	41
54. Italian (Basic)	149	47	1	45	56	-	-	45	56
55. French, Level 1	703	3	14	527	159	79	-	448	159
56. German, Level 1	171	2	-	123	46	32	-	91	46
57. Italian, Level 1	103	-	-	42	61	-	-	42	61
58. Spanish, Level 1	177	-	3	105	69	2	1	103	68
59. Modern Greek	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
60. Arabic	5	1	1	3	-	3	-	-	-
61. Religious Education (LC Exam)	3,146	560	971	778	837	12	3	766	834
62. Japanese	37	-	24	7	6	1	2	6	4
<b>Total Number of Pupils in the Leaving Certificate Programme</b>	<b>102,023</b>	<b>17,793</b>	<b>25,590</b>	<b>31,429</b>	<b>27,211</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**Explanatory Note**

In the cycle German is provided to 16,759 persons. In single sex schools German is provided to 3,350 boys and 4,819 girls respectively. In mixed schools German is provided to 4,330 boys and 4,260 girls. Within mixed schools, where German is provided to boys only, girls only or both sexes, 175 boys, 74 girls and 4,155 boys plus 4,186 girls respectively take it.

**TABLE 4. 18 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS TAKING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL  SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
		Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
								Boys	Girls
1. Irish	58,926	16,724	23,735	10,163	8,304	-	-	10,163	8,304
2. English	62,377	17,494	25,048	10,983	8,852	-	-	10,983	8,852
3. Latin	216	154	49	6	7	2	-	4	7
4. Ancient Greek	13	11	-	-	2	-	2	-	-
5. Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. French	40,300	10,360	17,326	6,371	6,243	118	10	6,253	6,233
7. German	11,368	3,283	4,705	1,750	1,630	123	16	1,627	1,614
8. Italian	359	56	255	35	13	33	7	2	6
9. Spanish	3,628	565	1,882	538	643	4	17	534	626
10. History	14,065	5,027	4,800	2,725	1,513	193	23	2,532	1,490
11. Geography	33,770	10,849	11,686	6,655	4,580	49	-	6,606	4,580
12. Maths	62,428	17,504	25,058	11,029	8,837	-	-	11,029	8,837
13. Applied Maths	1,465	769	280	322	94	64	2	258	92
14. Physics	10,128	4,510	2,202	2,720	696	365	-	2,355	696
15. Chemistry	10,397	2,900	4,518	1,649	1,330	165	7	1,484	1,323
16. Physics and Chemistry	714	249	95	233	137	36	-	197	137
17. Agricultural Science	3,077	1,228	149	1,222	478	13	-	1,209	478
18. Biology	32,325	6,714	15,776	3,931	5,904	107	-	3,824	5,904
19. Agricultural Economics	51	4	19	24	4	2	-	22	4
20. Engineering	1,550	616	-	890	44	252	-	638	44
21. Technical Drawing	5,319	2,579	132	2,339	269	614	-	1,725	269
22. Construction Studies	7,724	3,626	63	3,771	264	845	-	2,926	264
23. Japanese (LC Exam)	23	-	20	1	2	-	-	1	2
24. Polish	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Accounting	10,040	2,907	4,273	1,581	1,279	224	52	1,357	1,227
26. Business Studies	25,913	7,549	10,384	4,346	3,634	301	-	4,045	3,634
27. Economics	6,859	3,344	1,818	1,142	555	111	6	1,031	549
28. Economic History	101	26	7	42	26	7	-	35	26
29. Art (with Design option)	6,541	1,634	2,572	1,046	1,289	78	9	968	1,280
30. Art (with Craftwork option)	5,632	991	3,147	611	883	19	9	592	874
31. Physical Education	38,857	9,778	17,273	6,512	5,294	441	1	6,071	5,293
32. Classical Studies	959	301	338	159	161	20	2	139	159
33. Computer Studies	16,908	3,997	7,990	2,606	2,315	322	47	2,284	2,268
34. Keyboarding	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35. Choir	3,938	-	3,318	208	412	-	26	208	386
36. Orchestra	58	-	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
37. Religious Education	54,200	15,197	22,772	9,092	7,139	1,128	1	7,964	7,138
38. Typewriting	477	-	221	145	111	-	-	145	111
39. Health Education	1,342	49	1,111	97	85	-	-	97	85
40. Speech & Drama	1,202	-	1,201	-	1	-	1	-	-
41. Music	5,982	603	3,716	586	1,077	27	111	559	966
42. Dutch	7	-	-	3	4	2	3	1	1
43. Portuguese	7	3	2	-	2	-	2	-	-
44. Danish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45. Swedish	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
46. Home Economics S&S (New Syllabus)	16,225	619	10,547	934	4,125	47	357	887	3,768
47. Russian	15	4	4	2	5	2	5	-	-
48. Work Experience	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49. Preparation for Work	16,697	3,722	6,499	2,935	3,541	193	-	2,742	3,541
50. Enterprise Education	16,626	3,703	6,457	2,939	3,527	210	-	2,729	3,527
51. French (Basic)	636	179	107	187	163	10	-	177	163
52. German (Basic)	265	221	-	32	12	-	-	32	12
53. Spanish (Basic)	99	86	12	1	-	1	-	-	-
54. Italian (Basic)	48	47	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
55. French, Level 1	182	3	14	138	27	21	-	117	27
56. German, Level 1	7	2	-	5	-	5	-	-	-
57. Italian, Level 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
58. Spanish, Level 1	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
59. Modern Greek	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
60. Arabic	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
61. Religious Education (LC Exam)	1,930	560	971	154	245	12	3	142	242
62. Japanese	36	-	24	7	5	1	1	6	4
<b>Total Number of Secondary Pupils in the Leaving Certificate Programme</b>	<b>62,637</b>	<b>17,524</b>	<b>25,093</b>	<b>11,076</b>	<b>8,944</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 19 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS TAKING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL  SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
		Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
								Boys	Girls
1. Irish	21,395	76	216	11,369	9,734	-	-	11,369	9,734
2. English	22,498	76	217	11,979	10,226	-	-	11,979	10,226
3. Latin	3	-	-	1	2	1	2	-	-
4. Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Hebrew Studies	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
6. French	13,732	53	108	6,493	7,078	-	2	6,493	7,076
7. German	2,685	12	106	1,280	1,287	30	55	1,250	1,232
8. Italian	120	-	-	68	52	1	2	67	50
9. Spanish	735	-	29	393	313	48	3	345	310
10. History	4,543	24	74	2,559	1,886	18	7	2,541	1,879
11. Geography	10,130	20	128	5,473	4,509	48	5	5,425	4,504
12. Maths	22,473	76	217	11,974	10,206	-	-	11,974	10,206
13. Applied Maths	158	-	-	118	40	31	-	87	40
14. Physics	2,867	13	12	2,350	492	289	3	2,061	489
15. Chemistry	2,015	15	29	1,006	965	32	36	974	929
16. Physics and Chemistry	543	-	-	351	192	38	3	313	189
17. Agricultural Science	2,171	-	-	1,552	619	75	5	1,477	614
18. Biology	10,433	-	109	3,579	6,745	-	74	3,579	6,671
19. Agricultural Economics	59	-	-	39	20	5	-	34	20
20. Engineering	6,132	33	-	5,712	387	2,333	-	3,379	387
21. Technical Drawing	4,458	11	-	4,059	388	977	3	3,082	385
22. Construction Studies	7,318	20	-	6,646	652	1,329	2	5,317	650
23. Japanese (LC Exam)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24. Polish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Accounting	2,130	-	13	917	1,200	11	46	906	1,154
26. Business Studies	8,049	44	139	3,292	4,574	31	78	3,261	4,496
27. Economics	701	-	-	348	353	5	10	343	343
28. Economic History	16	-	-	11	5	1	-	10	5
29. Art (with Design option)	2,506	10	68	995	1,433	16	23	979	1,410
30. Art (with Craftwork option)	2,531	-	-	1,019	1,512	21	10	998	1,502
31. Physical Education	10,352	75	216	5,408	4,653	31	6	5,377	4,647
32. Classical Studies	20	-	9	9	2	3	-	6	2
33. Computer Studies	6,713	75	99	3,361	3,178	1	1	3,360	3,177
34. Keyboarding	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35. Choir	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36. Orchestra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
37. Religious Education	16,760	75	216	8,836	7,633	90	1	8,746	7,632
38. Typewriting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39. Health Education	59	-	-	29	30	-	-	29	30
40. Speech & Drama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
41. Music	1,385	-	52	434	899	17	62	417	837
42. Dutch	91	-	-	68	23	1	1	67	22
43. Portuguese	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44. Danish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45. Swedish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46. Home Economics S&S (New Syllabus)	6,954	-	111	1,042	5,801	3	960	1,039	4,841
47. Russian	13	-	-	8	5	4	1	4	4
48. Work Experience	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49. Preparation for Work	11,638	16	73	6,006	5,543	61	9	5,945	5,534
50. Enterprise Education	11,547	16	73	5,971	5,487	61	9	5,910	5,478
51. French (Basic)	891	-	-	626	265	9	-	617	265
52. German (Basic)	150	-	-	109	41	-	-	109	41
53. Spanish (Basic)	36	-	-	22	14	-	-	22	14
54. Italian (Basic)	62	-	-	32	30	-	-	32	30
55. French, Level 1	347	-	-	261	86	56	-	205	86
56. German, Level 1	141	-	-	99	42	27	-	72	42
57. Italian, Level 1	103	-	-	42	61	-	-	42	61
58. Spanish, Level 1	173	-	-	105	68	2	-	103	68
59. Modern Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60. Arabic	3	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	-
61. Religious Education (LC Exam)	665	-	-	344	321	-	-	344	321
62. Japanese	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
<b>Total Number of Vocational Pupils in the Leaving Certificate Programme</b>	<b>22,592</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>12,018</b>	<b>10,281</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>



**TABLE 4. 20 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN COMMUNITY AND COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS TAKING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL  SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
		Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
								Boys	Girls
1. Irish	15,868	187	270	7,838	7,573	-	-	7,838	7,573
2. English	16,750	193	280	8,311	7,966	-	-	8,311	7,966
3. Latin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4. Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. French	9,429	138	216	3,886	5,189	-	-	3,886	5,189
7. German	2,706	55	8	1,300	1,343	22	3	1,278	1,340
8. Italian	47	-	-	33	14	6	1	27	13
9. Spanish	543	2	48	252	241	-	-	252	241
10. History	3,986	45	71	2,212	1,658	-	1	2,212	1,657
11. Geography	8,793	119	103	4,619	3,952	-	-	4,619	3,952
12. Maths	16,743	193	280	8,322	7,948	-	-	8,322	7,948
13. Applied Maths	244	4	-	182	58	58	-	124	58
14. Physics	2,459	38	42	1,924	455	200	3	1,724	452
15. Chemistry	1,941	46	82	860	953	47	12	813	941
16. Physics and Chemistry	150	-	-	101	49	-	-	101	49
17. Agricultural Science	1,480	-	-	1,039	441	71	-	968	441
18. Biology	7,971	39	170	2,481	5,281	-	36	2,481	5,245
19. Agricultural Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20. Engineering	3,277	31	-	3,056	190	1,020	-	2,036	190
21. Technical Drawing	2,090	32	-	1,870	188	445	-	1,425	188
22. Construction Studies	4,211	41	-	3,781	389	358	-	3,423	389
23. Japanese (LC Exam)	8	-	-	6	2	-	-	6	2
24. Polish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Accounting	2,181	43	45	972	1,121	-	1	972	1,120
26. Business Studies	5,000	86	66	2,087	2,761	36	18	2,051	2,743
27. Economics	872	42	57	429	344	-	1	429	343
28. Economic History	15	10	-	4	1	-	-	4	1
29. Art (with Design option)	1,865	18	73	757	1,017	12	-	745	1,017
30. Art (with Craftwork option)	2,000	-	-	720	1,280	1	24	719	1,256
31. Physical Education	10,430	186	279	5,322	4,643	23	-	5,299	4,643
32. Classical Studies	119	-	-	55	64	1	-	54	64
33. Computer Studies	5,331	178	251	2,450	2,452	3	-	2,447	2,452
34. Keyboarding	18	-	-	11	7	-	-	11	7
35. Choir	149	-	-	63	86	-	-	63	86
36. Orchestra	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
37. Religious Education	14,232	193	280	7,023	6,736	-	-	7,023	6,736
38. Typewriting	102	-	-	42	60	-	-	42	60
39. Health Education	211	-	-	106	105	-	-	106	105
40. Speech & Drama	401	-	280	66	55	-	-	66	55
41. Music	1,418	2	11	505	900	1	21	504	879
42. Dutch	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
43. Portugese	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
44. Danish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45. Swedish	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46. Home Economics S&S (New Syllabus)	4,749	1	89	626	4,033	14	571	612	3,462
47. Russian	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
48. Work Experience	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49. Preparation for Work	6,237	83	12	2,797	3,345	17	-	2,780	3,345
50. Enterprise Education	6,096	83	12	2,737	3,264	17	-	2,720	3,264
51. French (Basic)	403	-	-	250	153	18	-	232	153
52. German (Basic)	80	-	-	65	15	-	-	65	15
53. Spanish (Basic)	59	-	-	32	27	-	-	32	27
54. Italian (Basic)	39	-	-	13	26	-	-	13	26
55. French, Level 1	174	-	-	128	46	2	-	126	46
56. German, Level 1	23	-	-	19	4	-	-	19	4
57. Italian, Level 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
58. Spanish, Level 1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
59. Modern Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60. Arabic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
61. Religious Education (LC Exam)	551	-	-	280	271	-	-	280	271
62. Japanese	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Number of Community and Comprehensive Pupils in the Leaving Certificate Programme</b>	<b>16,794</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>8,335</b>	<b>7,986</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 21 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN ALL SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS TAKING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE APPLIED PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

SUBJECT	CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
			Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
									Boys	Girls
1. French		2,730	274	398	1,257	801	39	-	1,218	801
2. German		759	82	103	371	203	-	1	371	202
3. Spanish		1,045	42	341	372	290	-	-	372	290
4. Italian		369	44	115	117	93	11	-	106	93
5. Communicative Irish		4,942	458	854	2,128	1,502	34	1	2,094	1,501
6. Voc Preparation and Guidance		7,674	754	1,467	3,295	2,158	-	-	3,295	2,158
7. English and Communication		7,675	754	1,467	3,295	2,159	-	-	3,295	2,159
8. Social Education		7,674	754	1,466	3,295	2,159	-	-	3,295	2,159
9. Arts Dance		162	13	74	54	21	-	-	54	21
10. Arts Drama		1,498	187	334	580	397	24	1	556	396
11. Arts Visual		4,157	414	824	1,741	1,178	22	17	1,719	1,161
12. Arts Music		1,148	88	262	508	290	16	-	492	290
13. Leisure and Recreation		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14. Mathematic Applications		7,672	754	1,467	3,292	2,159	-	-	3,292	2,159
15. Information Technology		35	-	35	-	-	-	-	-	-
16. Agriculture/Horticulture.		800	42	71	470	217	41	-	429	217
17. Hotel Catering & Tourism		3,916	178	901	1,453	1,384	16	125	1,437	1,259
18. Construction/Manufacturing.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19. Crafts and Design.		1,851	216	363	683	589	16	30	667	559
20. Engineering (LCA)		1,851	83	-	1,392	376	310	-	1,082	376
21. Community Care		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22. Office Skills & Retail Distr		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Technology (LCA)		664	106	154	241	163	10	-	231	163
24. Leisure Studies		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Information Technology (Specialism)		11	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26. Sign Language		23	-	23	-	-	-	-	-	-
27. Leisure and Recreation including Physical Education		6,499	659	1,147	2,841	1,852	11	-	2,830	1,852
28. Intro to Information & Communication Technology		5,384	509	952	2,343	1,580	18	1	2,325	1,579
29. Religious Education (LCA)		4,067	474	986	1,582	1,025	21	-	1,561	1,025
30. Science (LCA)		1,802	333	416	635	418	16	-	619	418
31. Graphics & Construction Studies		3,227	527	-	1,932	768	285	6	1,647	762
32. Childcare/Community Care		1,041	-	665	118	258	-	100	118	158
33. Office Administration & Customer Care		1,021	96	362	266	297	-	44	266	253
34. Active Leisure Studies		700	76	104	323	197	-	-	323	197
35. Information & Communication Technology		3,259	348	667	1,295	949	1	17	1,294	932
36. Hair & Beauty		398	-	275	32	91	-	51	32	40
37. Personal Reflection Task		1,416	126	349	570	371	23	-	547	371
38. General Education Task		569	23	195	211	140	-	-	211	140
39. Vocational Education Task		456	34	129	172	121	7	-	165	121
40. Vocational Preparation Task		379	27	73	183	96	-	-	183	96
41. Reserved for Exams		72	-	26	36	10	-	-	36	10
<b>Total Number of Pupils in Leaving Certificate Applied Programme</b>		<b>7,674</b>	<b>754</b>	<b>1,467</b>	<b>3,294</b>	<b>2,159</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 22 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS TAKING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE APPLIED PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

SUBJECT	CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
			Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
									Boys	Girls
1. French		831	237	380	130	84	-	-	130	84
2. German		211	71	103	26	11	-	-	26	11
3. Spanish		527	42	323	74	88	-	-	74	88
4. Italian		159	44	115	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Communicative Irish		1,558	396	818	190	154	-	-	190	154
6. Voc Preparation and Guidance		2,691	664	1,431	334	262	-	-	334	262
7. English and Communication		2,691	664	1,431	334	262	-	-	334	262
8. Social Education		2,690	664	1,430	334	262	-	-	334	262
9. Arts Dance		97	13	74	9	1	-	-	9	1
10. Arts Drama		669	149	316	115	89	-	-	115	89
11. Arts Visual		1,502	379	788	182	153	-	-	182	153
12. Arts Music		364	72	244	20	28	-	-	20	28
13. Leisure and Recreation		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14. Mathematic Applications		2,691	664	1,431	334	262	-	-	334	262
15. Information Technology		35	-	35	-	-	-	-	-	-
16. Agriculture/Horticulture.		160	30	71	36	23	-	-	36	23
17. Hotel Catering & Tourism		1,358	134	901	161	162	-	3	161	159
18. Construction/Manufacturing.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19. Crafts and Design.		722	187	363	70	102	-	24	70	78
20. Engineering (LCA)		114	24	-	74	16	18	-	56	16
21. Community Care		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22. Office Skills & Retail Distr		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Technology (LCA)		279	106	136	24	13	-	-	24	13
24. Leisure Studies		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Information Technology (Specialism)		11	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26. Sign Language		23	-	23	-	-	-	-	-	-
27. Leisure and Recreation including Physical Education		2,228	569	1,129	296	234	-	-	296	234
28. Intro to Information & Communication Technology		1,817	419	916	262	220	-	-	262	220
29. Religious Education (LCA)		1,757	440	986	193	138	-	-	193	138
30. Science (LCA)		796	298	416	49	33	4	-	45	33
31. Graphics & Construction Studies		732	443	-	198	91	13	-	185	91
32. Childcare/Community Care		660	-	629	1	30	-	8	1	22
33. Office Administration & Customer Care		454	96	326	8	24	-	16	8	8
34. Active Leisure Studies		219	76	104	26	13	-	-	26	13
35. Information & Communication Technology		1,277	348	667	143	119	-	-	143	119
36. Hair & Beauty		275	-	275	-	-	-	-	-	-
37. Personal Reflection Task		631	126	349	84	72	-	-	84	72
38. General Education Task		276	23	195	22	36	-	-	22	36
39. Vocational Education Task		221	34	129	22	36	-	-	22	36
40. Vocational Preparation Task		168	27	73	37	31	-	-	37	31
41. Reserved for Exams		26	-	26	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Number of Secondary Pupils in Leaving Certificate Applied Programme</b>		<b>2,691</b>	<b>664</b>	<b>1,431</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 23 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS TAKING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE APPLIED PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

SUBJECT	CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
			Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
									Boys	Girls
1. French		1,260	29	18	752	461	38	-	714	461
2. German		262	11	-	175	76	-	1	175	75
3. Spanish		309	-	18	184	107	-	-	184	107
4. Italian		140	-	-	75	65	-	-	75	65
5. Communicative Irish		2,115	34	36	1,219	826	13	1	1,206	825
6. Voc Preparation and Guidance		3,082	62	36	1,846	1,138	-	-	1,846	1,138
7. English and Communication		3,083	62	36	1,846	1,139	-	-	1,846	1,139
8. Social Education		3,083	62	36	1,846	1,139	-	-	1,846	1,139
9. Arts Dance		45	-	-	33	12	-	-	33	12
10. Arts Drama		613	38	18	338	219	24	-	314	219
11. Arts Visual		1,657	7	36	999	615	11	16	988	599
12. Arts Music		433	16	18	252	147	5	-	247	147
13. Leisure and Recreation		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14. Mathematic Applications		3,080	62	36	1,843	1,139	-	-	1,843	1,139
15. Information Technology		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16. Agriculture/Horticulture.		474	12	-	313	149	18	-	295	149
17. Hotel Catering & Tourism		1,489	16	-	772	701	-	51	772	650
18. Construction/Manufacturing.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19. Crafts and Design.		629	21	-	341	267	16	6	325	261
20. Engineering (LCA)		1,108	31	-	857	220	155	-	702	220
21. Community Care		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22. Office Skills & Retail Distr		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Technology (LCA)		235	-	18	137	80	10	-	127	80
24. Leisure Studies		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Information Technology (Specialism)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26. Sign Language		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27. Leisure and Recreation including Physical Education		2,639	62	18	1,581	978	11	-	1,570	978
28. Intro to Information & Communication Technology		2,292	62	36	1,338	856	18	1	1,320	855
29. Religious Education (LCA)		1,328	34	-	787	507	10	-	777	507
30. Science (LCA)		478	35	-	280	163	12	-	268	163
31. Graphics & Construction Studies		1,645	56	-	1,146	443	124	6	1,022	437
32. Childcare/Community Care		331	-	36	107	188	-	75	107	113
33. Office Administration & Customer Care		447	-	36	194	217	-	27	194	190
34. Active Leisure Studies		302	-	-	194	108	-	-	194	108
35. Information & Communication Technology		1,177	-	-	672	505	-	-	672	505
36. Hair & Beauty		77	-	-	16	61	-	50	16	11
37. Personal Reflection Task		471	-	-	297	174	12	-	285	174
38. General Education Task		150	-	-	106	44	-	-	106	44
39. Vocational Education Task		125	-	-	85	40	-	-	85	40
40. Vocational Preparation Task		105	-	-	84	21	-	-	84	21
41. Reserved for Exams		31	-	-	22	9	-	-	22	9
<b>Total Number of Vocational Pupils in the Leaving Certificate Applied Programme</b>		<b>3,083</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1,846</b>	<b>1,139</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4. 24 - NUMBER OF PUPILS IN COMMUNITY AND COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOLS TAKING EACH SUBJECT IN THE LEAVING CERTIFICATE APPLIED PROGRAMME CLASSIFIED BY SEX CATEGORY OF SCHOOL**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL  SUBJECT	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
		Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
								Boys	Girls
1. French	639	8	-	375	256	1	-	374	256
2. German	286	-	-	170	116	-	-	170	116
3. Spanish	209	-	-	114	95	-	-	114	95
4. Italian	70	-	-	42	28	11	-	31	28
5. Communicative Irish	1,269	28	-	719	522	21	-	698	522
6. Voc Preparation and Guidance	1,901	28	-	1,115	758	-	-	1,115	758
7. English and Communication	1,901	28	-	1,115	758	-	-	1,115	758
8. Social Education	1,901	28	-	1,115	758	-	-	1,115	758
9. Arts Dance	20	-	-	12	8	-	-	12	8
10. Arts Drama	216	-	-	127	89	-	1	127	88
11. Arts Visual	998	28	-	560	410	11	1	549	409
12. Arts Music	351	-	-	236	115	11	-	225	115
13. Leisure and Recreation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14. Mathematic Applications	1,901	28	-	1,115	758	-	-	1,115	758
15. Information Technology	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16. Agriculture/Horticulture.	166	-	-	121	45	23	-	98	45
17. Hotel Catering & Tourism	1,069	28	-	520	521	16	71	504	450
18. Construction/Manufacturing.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19. Crafts and Design.	500	8	-	272	220	-	-	272	220
20. Engineering (LCA)	629	28	-	461	140	137	-	324	140
21. Community Care	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22. Office Skills & Retail Distr	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Technology (LCA)	150	-	-	80	70	-	-	80	70
24. Leisure Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Information Technology (Specialism)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26. Sign Language	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
27. Leisure and Recreation including Physical Education	1,632	28	-	964	640	-	-	964	640
28. Intro to Information & Communication Technology	1,275	28	-	743	504	-	-	743	504
29. Religious Education (LCA)	982	-	-	602	380	11	-	591	380
30. Science (LCA)	528	-	-	306	222	-	-	306	222
31. Graphics & Construction Studies	850	28	-	588	234	148	-	440	234
32. Childcare/Community Care	50	-	-	10	40	-	17	10	23
33. Office Administration & Customer Care	120	-	-	64	56	-	1	64	55
34. Active Leisure Studies	179	-	-	103	76	-	-	103	76
35. Information & Communication Technology	805	-	-	480	325	1	17	479	308
36. Hair & Beauty	46	-	-	16	30	-	1	16	29
37. Personal Reflection Task	314	-	-	189	125	11	-	178	125
38. General Education Task	143	-	-	83	60	-	-	83	60
39. Vocational Education Task	110	-	-	65	45	7	-	58	45
40. Vocational Preparation Task	106	-	-	62	44	-	-	62	44
41. Reserved for Exams	15	-	-	14	1	-	-	14	1
<b>Total Number of Community and Comprehensive Pupils in the Leaving Certificate Applied Programme</b>	<b>1,900</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>758</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

**TABLE 4.25 - NUMBER OF SECOND LEVEL SCHOOLS PROVIDING MODERN LANGUAGES AB-INITIO AT SENIOR CYCLE**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools	Within Mixed Schools		
		Boys	Girls		To Boys Only	To Girls Only	To Both Sexes
1. French	95	16	8	71	7	2	62
2. German	21	3	1	17	1	1	15
3. Spanish	16	3	4	9	2	-	7
4. Italian	4	1	-	3	2	-	1

**TABLE 4.26 - NUMBER OF SECOND LEVEL PUPILS TAKING MODERN LANGUAGES AB-INITIO AT SENIOR CYCLE**

CATEGORY OF SCHOOL	Total	Single Sex Schools		Mixed Schools		Within Mixed Schools			
		Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Provided to Boys only	Provided to Girls only	Provided to both sexes of which	
								Boys	Girls
1. French	2,080	371	85	1,110	514	40	4	1,070	510
2. German	455	61	3	271	120	1	3	270	117
3. Spanish	477	32	36	284	125	38	-	246	125
4. Italian	46	29	-	12	5	7	-	5	5

**Note**

The ab-initio study of modern languages in senior cycle was introduced in 1989/90 to cater for senior cycle pupils who wished to begin the study of a language ab-initio but were not in a position to take on the Leaving Certificate course in that subject.

# **Section 5**

**Second Level**

**Public Examination Statistics**





**TABLE 5.1 -NUMBERS OF JUNIOR AND LEAVING CERTIFICATE  
EXAMINATION CANDIDATES IN 2005**

		<b>Males</b>	<b>Females</b>	<b>Total</b>
1	Junior Certificate (excluding VTOS)	27,896	27,375	55,271
2	Junior Certificate (VTOS candidates)	731	638	1,369
3=1+2	Total Junior Certificate	28,627	28,013	56,640
4	Leaving Certificate School candidates			
	(excluding VTOS and repeats)	22,324	24,634	46,958
5	Leaving Certificate school repeats	1,270	1,253	2,523
6=4+5	Total Leaving Certificate school candidates			
	(excluding VTOS)	23,594	25,887	49,481
7	Leaving Certificate Applied	1,646	1,672	3,318
8	External candidates	1,624	2,108	3,732
9	VTOS/PLC candidates	325	535	860
10=6+7+8+9	Overall Leaving Certificate candidates	27,189	30,202	57,391

Source: State Examinations Commission

## Note

Junior Certificate candidates exclude students taking ab-initio subjects. VTOS candidates are examination candidates sitting the examination as participants in the Vocational Training Opportunities Scheme. These may be either school candidates who studied in a second level school, or they may be candidates who have studied in special centres outside a second level school.

Leaving Certificate external candidates comprise candidates who have studied outside the second level school system. These exclude VTOS students. In some cases, external candidates have only sat one or two subjects in the Leaving Certificate.

The total of Leaving Certificate school candidates in line 6 excludes VTOS candidates. It is not possible to disaggregate the total of VTOS candidates shown in line 9 between school candidates and other types of candidates.

Since 1975, each candidate in the Leaving Certificate or Junior Certificate (Intermediate Certificate prior to 1992) has been awarded a Certificate showing the grades obtained without any overall result corresponding to failure, pass or honours.

In 2005, there were 4,600 public examination centres to which 4,600 superintendents were appointed. There were 6,050 examiners for all Junior Certificate and Leaving Certificate examinations, of which 1,069 corrected practical and project work at both Leaving Certificate and Junior Certificate and 1,085 were Oral Examiners and Oral Appeal Examiners in the Leaving Certificate Examination.

**TABLE 5.2 LEAVING CERTIFICATE 2005  
AGGREGATE RESULTS**

	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Total</b>
(i) Total Number of Candidates	25,543	28,530	54,073
(ii) Number of Candidates who sat a minimum of 5 subjects	24,591	27,163	51,754
(iii) Number of Candidates who received a minimum of 5 Grade D3s at any level	22,998	26,029	49,027
(iv) Number of Candidates who received a minimum of 6 Grade D3s at any level, of which a minimum of 2 were at Grade C3 or higher grades, on higher papers	14,230	17,766	31,996
(v) Number of Candidates who received a minimum of 6 Grade D3s at any level, of which a minimum of 4 were at Grade C3 or higher grades, on higher papers	8,407	12,495	20,902
(vi) Number of Candidates who received a minimum of 6 Grade C3s, or higher grades, on higher papers	3,879	6,652	10,531
(vii) Number of Candidates who received a minimum of 6 Grade C3s on higher papers, of which a minimum of 3 were at Grade B3 or Higher	3,457	5,931	9,388
(viii) Number of Candidates who received a minimum of 6 Grade C3s on higher papers, of which a minimum of 3 were at Grade A2 or Higher	1,184	1,943	3,127

Source: State Examinations Commission

Note 1: The above data excludes Leaving Certificate Applied candidates in the Leaving Certificate examination. School candidates, Repeat candidates, External candidates, VTOS and PLC candidates are included in the above table.

Note 2: Results of the Leaving Certificate examination are shown in the form of grades, each grade representing a percentage range of marks as follows:

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Percentage Rate</b>
A1 .....	90-100
A2 .....	85-89
B1 .....	80-84
B2 .....	75-79
B3 .....	70-74
C1 .....	65-69
C2 .....	60-64
C3 .....	55-59
D1 .....	50-54
D2 .....	45-49
D3 .....	40-44
E .....	25-39
F .....	10-24
No Grade .....	0-9

**TABLE 5.3 JUNIOR CERTIFICATE 2005  
AGGREGATE RESULTS FOR SCHOOL CANDIDATES**

	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Total</b>
(i) Total Number of Candidates	28,627	28,013	56,640
(ii) Number of Candidates who sat a minimum of 5 subjects	27,996	27,392	55,388
(iii) Number of Candidates who received a minimum of 5 Grade D at any level	27,627	27,238	54,865
(iv) Number of Candidates who received a minimum of 6 Grade D at any level, of which a minimum of 2 were at Grade C or higher grades, on higher and common papers	20,997	22,708	43,705
(v) Number of Candidates who received a minimum of 6 Grade D at any level, of which a minimum of 4 were at Grade C or higher grades, on higher and common papers	15,173	18,473	33,646
(vi) Number of Candidates who received a minimum of 6 Grade C or higher grades, on higher and common papers	11,513	15,154	26,667
(vii) Number of Candidates who received a minimum of 6 Grade C on higher and common papers, of which a minimum of 3 were at Grade B or Higher	9,661	13,430	23,091
(viii) Number of Candidates who received a minimum of 6 Grade C on higher and common papers, of which a minimum of 3 were at Grade A or Higher	2,724	4,524	7,248

Source: State Examinations Commission

Note 1: The above data includes School candidates and VTOS candidates.

Note 2: Results of the Junior Certificate examination are shown in the form of grades, each grade representing a percentage range of marks as follows:

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Percentage Rate</b>
A .....	85-100
B .....	70-84
C .....	55-69
D .....	40-54
E .....	25-39
F .....	10-24
NG.....	0- 9

**TABLE 5.4 LEAVING CERT APPLIED 2005  
RESULTS FOR SCHOOL CANDIDATES**

	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Total</b>
(i) Total Number of Candidates	1,646	1,672	3,318
(ii) Number of Candidates who received Distinctions	153	321	474
(iii) Number of Candidates who received Merits	888	833	1,721
(iv) Number of Candidates who received Passes	373	271	644
(v) Number of Candidates who received Record of Credits	232	247	479

Source: State Examinations Commission

<b>Explanation of Credits:</b>	
Distinction .....	85%-100%
Merit.....	70%-84%
Pass .....	60%-69%
Record of Credits .....	0%-59%

**TABLE 5.5 - JUNIOR CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
ORDINARY LEVEL PAPERS - MALE**

SUBJECT	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING							TOTAL
	Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade	
Irish	428	3,518	4,747	3,788	1,114	121	10	<b>13,726</b>
Irish (Foundation)	152	710	840	556	104	10	1	<b>2,373</b>
English	448	2,413	4,959	2,583	166	16	4	<b>10,589</b>
English (Foundation)	118	373	627	285	37	9	3	<b>1,452</b>
Mathematics	1,293	4,106	3,995	2,819	969	379	34	<b>13,595</b>
Mathematics (Foundation)	607	1,077	961	618	155	32	1	<b>3,451</b>
History	825	2,844	3,133	2,115	193	89	7	<b>9,206</b>
Geography	591	2,819	2,417	950	180	25	-	<b>6,982</b>
Latin	1	5	14	18	6	3	1	<b>48</b>
Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Classical Studies	12	24	10	13	11	11	5	<b>86</b>
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French	135	1,113	1,940	1,981	774	111	6	<b>6,060</b>
German	117	588	615	359	111	69	7	<b>1,866</b>
Spanish	18	130	168	117	44	19	3	<b>499</b>
Italian	3	19	36	24	7	-	-	<b>89</b>
Art, Craft & Design	499	1,109	1,292	681	240	103	17	<b>3,941</b>
Music	9	131	231	159	31	20	1	<b>582</b>
Science	758	3,486	3,825	2,108	492	82	7	<b>10,758</b>
Home Economics	32	455	650	237	32	16	9	<b>1,431</b>
Materials Technology	196	1,227	1,362	579	95	137	25	<b>3,621</b>
Metalwork	119	853	472	302	130	117	31	<b>2,024</b>
Technical Graphics	604	1,574	1,230	964	255	135	7	<b>4,769</b>
Technology	30	136	164	97	43	15	1	<b>486</b>
Business Studies	318	1,874	1,746	983	314	131	10	<b>5,376</b>
Typewriting	1	7	4	3	4	2	-	<b>21</b>
Environmental & Social Studies	13	97	112	61	9	5	2	<b>299</b>
Religious Education	175	1,054	1,281	553	73	34	3	<b>3,173</b>
C.S.P.E. (Common Course)	4,729	10,335	7,922	3,585	791	348	34	<b>27,744</b>

Source: State Examinations Commission

CSPE: Civic, Social and Political Education

Note: VTOS and ab-initio candidates are included in Tables 5.5 - 5.16

**TABLE 5.6 — JUNIOR CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF CANDIDATES BY GRADE AWARDED IN EACH SUBJECT  
ORDINARY LEVEL PAPERS - MALE**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Total Number of Candidates</b>	<b>Grade A</b>	<b>Grade B</b>	<b>Grade C</b>	<b>Grade D</b>	<b>Grade E</b>	<b>Grade F</b>	<b>No Grade</b>
Irish	13,726	3.1	25.6	34.6	27.6	8.1	0.9	0.1
Irish (Foundation)	2,373	6.4	29.9	35.4	23.4	4.4	0.4	-
English	10,589	4.2	22.8	46.8	24.4	1.6	0.2	-
English (Foundation)	1,452	8.1	25.7	43.2	19.6	2.5	0.6	0.2
Mathematics	13,595	9.5	30.2	29.4	20.7	7.1	2.8	0.3
Mathematics (Foundation)	3,451	17.6	31.2	27.8	17.9	4.5	0.9	-
History	9,206	9.0	30.9	34.0	23.0	2.1	1.0	0.1
Geography	6,982	8.5	40.4	34.6	13.6	2.6	0.4	-
Latin	48	2.1	10.4	29.2	37.5	12.5	6.3	2.1
Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Classical Studies	86	14.0	27.9	11.6	15.1	12.8	12.8	5.8
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French	6,060	2.2	18.4	32.0	32.7	12.8	1.8	0.1
German	1,866	6.3	31.5	33.0	19.2	5.9	3.7	0.4
Spanish	499	3.6	26.1	33.7	23.4	8.8	3.8	0.6
Italian	89	3.4	21.3	40.4	27.0	7.9	-	-
Art, Craft & Design	3,941	12.7	28.1	32.8	17.3	6.1	2.6	0.4
Music	582	1.5	22.5	39.7	27.3	5.3	3.4	0.2
Science	10,758	7.1	32.4	35.6	19.6	4.6	0.8	0.1
Home Economics	1,431	2.2	31.8	45.4	16.6	2.2	1.1	0.6
Materials Technology	3,621	5.4	33.9	37.6	16.0	2.6	3.8	0.7
Metalwork	2,024	5.9	42.1	23.3	14.9	6.4	5.8	1.5
Technical Graphics	4,769	12.7	33.0	25.8	20.2	5.3	2.8	0.1
Technology	486	6.2	28.0	33.7	20.0	8.8	3.1	0.2
Business Studies	5,376	5.9	34.9	32.5	18.3	5.8	2.4	0.2
Typewriting	21	4.8	33.3	19.1	14.3	19.1	9.5	-
Environmental & Social Studies	299	4.3	32.4	37.5	20.4	3.0	1.7	0.7
Religious Education	3,173	5.5	33.2	40.4	17.4	2.3	1.1	0.1
C.S.P.E. (Common Course)	27,744	17.1	37.3	28.6	12.9	2.9	1.3	0.1

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.7 - JUNIOR CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
ORDINARY LEVEL PAPERS - FEMALE**

SUBJECT	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING							TOTAL
	Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade	
Irish	828	4,020	3,933	2,121	335	26	2	<b>11,265</b>
Irish (Foundation)	145	483	378	184	25	3	1	<b>1,219</b>
English	813	2,548	2,697	871	31	4	1	<b>6,965</b>
English (Foundation)	109	307	313	107	12	2	-	<b>850</b>
Mathematics	1,828	4,518	3,622	2,161	599	185	10	<b>12,923</b>
Mathematics (Foundation)	457	784	660	426	102	28	-	<b>2,457</b>
History	1,214	2,649	2,514	1,753	205	41	3	<b>8,379</b>
Geography	534	2,353	1,894	880	150	23	-	<b>5,834</b>
Latin	-	6	1	1	1	-	-	<b>9</b>
Ancient Greek	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	<b>1</b>
Classical Studies	-	5	6	11	3	-	-	<b>25</b>
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	<b>-</b>
French	189	1,228	1,753	1,368	357	30	1	<b>4,926</b>
German	120	526	436	209	40	15	-	<b>1,346</b>
Spanish	49	196	164	73	20	3	-	<b>505</b>
Italian	3	14	26	11	6	-	-	<b>60</b>
Art, Craft & Design	833	1,268	1,165	453	122	50	3	<b>3,894</b>
Music	42	345	653	309	40	61	1	<b>1,451</b>
Science	624	2,402	2,525	1,423	280	27	2	<b>7,283</b>
Home Economics	127	1,737	1,451	352	64	25	3	<b>3,759</b>
Materials Technology	45	256	298	145	20	28	7	<b>799</b>
Metalwork	14	119	70	38	30	28	9	<b>308</b>
Technical Graphics	88	214	147	144	44	19	-	<b>656</b>
Technology	9	63	69	26	15	10	1	<b>193</b>
Business Studies	469	2,162	1,732	861	192	57	6	<b>5,479</b>
Typewriting	38	81	36	15	1	1	-	<b>172</b>
Environmental & Social Studies	6	52	82	53	18	6	-	<b>217</b>
Religious Education	399	1,076	803	276	18	26	4	<b>2,602</b>
C.S.P.E. (Common Course)	8,196	11,572	5,375	1,725	318	129	7	<b>27,322</b>

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.8 — JUNIOR CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF CANDIDATES BY GRADE AWARDED IN EACH SUBJECT  
ORDINARY LEVEL PAPERS - FEMALE**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Total Number of Candidates</b>	<b>Grade A</b>	<b>Grade B</b>	<b>Grade C</b>	<b>Grade D</b>	<b>Grade E</b>	<b>Grade F</b>	<b>No Grade</b>
Irish	11,265	7.4	35.7	34.9	18.8	3.0	0.2	-
Irish (Foundation)	1,219	11.9	39.6	31.0	15.1	2.1	0.2	0.1
English	6,965	11.7	36.6	38.7	12.5	0.4	0.1	-
English (Foundation)	850	12.8	36.1	36.8	12.6	1.4	0.2	-
Mathematics	12,923	14.1	35.0	28.0	16.7	4.6	1.4	0.1
Mathematics (Foundation)	2,457	18.6	31.9	26.9	17.3	4.2	1.1	-
History	8,379	14.5	31.6	30.0	20.9	2.4	0.5	-
Geography	5,834	9.2	40.3	32.5	15.1	2.6	0.4	-
Latin	9	-	66.7	11.1	11.1	11.1	-	-
Ancient Greek	1	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-
Classical Studies	25	-	20.0	24.0	44.0	12.0	-	-
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French	4,926	3.8	24.9	35.6	27.8	7.2	0.6	-
German	1,346	8.9	39.1	32.4	15.5	3.0	1.1	-
Spanish	505	9.7	38.8	32.5	14.5	4.0	0.6	-
Italian	60	5.0	23.3	43.3	18.3	10.0	-	-
Art, Craft & Design	3,894	21.4	32.6	29.9	11.6	3.1	1.3	0.1
Music	1,451	2.9	23.8	45.0	21.3	2.8	4.2	0.1
Science	7,283	8.6	33.0	34.7	19.5	3.8	0.4	-
Home Economics	3,759	3.4	46.2	38.6	9.4	1.7	0.7	0.1
Materials Technology	799	5.6	32.0	37.3	18.1	2.5	3.5	0.9
Metalwork	308	4.5	38.6	22.7	12.3	9.7	9.1	2.9
Technical Graphics	656	13.4	32.6	22.4	22.0	6.7	2.9	-
Technology	193	4.7	32.6	35.8	13.5	7.8	5.2	0.5
Business Studies	5,479	8.6	39.5	31.6	15.7	3.5	1.0	0.1
Typewriting	172	22.1	47.1	20.9	8.7	0.6	0.6	-
Environmental & Social Studies	217	2.8	24.0	37.8	24.4	8.3	2.8	-
Religious Education	2,602	15.3	41.4	30.9	10.6	0.7	1.0	0.2
C.S.P.E. (Common Course)	27,322	30.0	42.4	19.7	6.3	1.2	0.5	-

Source: State Examinations Commission



**TABLE 5.9 - JUNIOR CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
ORDINARY LEVEL PAPERS - MALE AND FEMALE**

SUBJECT	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING							TOTAL
	Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade	
Irish	1,256	7,538	8,680	5,909	1,449	147	12	<b>24,991</b>
Irish (Foundation)	297	1,193	1,218	740	129	13	2	<b>3,592</b>
English	1,261	4,961	7,656	3,454	197	20	5	<b>17,554</b>
English (Foundation)	227	680	940	392	49	11	3	<b>2,302</b>
Mathematics	3,121	8,624	7,617	4,980	1,568	564	44	<b>26,518</b>
Mathematics (Foundation)	1,064	1,861	1,621	1,044	257	60	1	<b>5,908</b>
History	2,039	5,493	5,647	3,868	398	130	10	<b>17,585</b>
Geography	1,125	5,172	4,311	1,830	330	48	-	<b>12,816</b>
Latin	1	11	15	19	7	3	1	<b>57</b>
Ancient Greek	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	<b>1</b>
Classical Studies	12	29	16	24	14	11	5	<b>111</b>
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	<b>-</b>
French	324	2,341	3,693	3,349	1,131	141	7	<b>10,986</b>
German	237	1,114	1,051	568	151	84	7	<b>3,212</b>
Spanish	67	326	332	190	64	22	3	<b>1,004</b>
Italian	6	33	62	35	13	-	-	<b>149</b>
Art, Craft & Design	1,332	2,377	2,457	1,134	362	153	20	<b>7,835</b>
Music	51	476	884	468	71	81	2	<b>2,033</b>
Science	1,382	5,888	6,350	3,531	772	109	9	<b>18,041</b>
Home Economics	159	2,192	2,101	589	96	41	12	<b>5,190</b>
Materials Technology	241	1,483	1,660	724	115	165	32	<b>4,420</b>
Metalwork	133	972	542	340	160	145	40	<b>2,332</b>
Technical Graphics	692	1,788	1,377	1,108	299	154	7	<b>5,425</b>
Technology	39	199	233	123	58	25	2	<b>679</b>
Business Studies	787	4,036	3,478	1,844	506	188	16	<b>10,855</b>
Typewriting	39	88	40	18	5	3	-	<b>193</b>
Environmental & Social Studies	19	149	194	114	27	11	2	<b>516</b>
Religious Education	574	2,130	2,084	829	91	60	7	<b>5,775</b>
C.S.P.E. (Common Course)	12,925	21,907	13,297	5,310	1,109	477	41	<b>55,066</b>

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.10 — JUNIOR CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF CANDIDATES BY GRADE AWARDED IN EACH SUBJECT  
ORDINARY LEVEL PAPERS - MALE & FEMALE**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Total Number of Candidates</b>	<b>Grade A</b>	<b>Grade B</b>	<b>Grade C</b>	<b>Grade D</b>	<b>Grade E</b>	<b>Grade F</b>	<b>No Grade</b>
Irish	24,991	5.0	30.2	34.7	23.6	5.8	0.6	-
Irish (Foundation)	3,592	8.3	33.2	33.9	20.6	3.6	0.4	0.1
English	17,554	7.2	28.3	43.6	19.7	1.1	0.1	-
English (Foundation)	2,302	9.9	29.5	40.8	17.0	2.1	0.5	0.1
Mathematics	26,518	11.8	32.5	28.7	18.8	5.9	2.1	0.2
Mathematics (Foundation)	5,908	18.0	31.5	27.4	17.7	4.4	1.0	-
History	17,585	11.6	31.2	32.1	22.0	2.3	0.7	0.1
Geography	12,816	8.8	40.4	33.6	14.3	2.6	0.4	-
Latin	57	1.8	19.3	26.3	33.3	12.3	5.3	1.8
Ancient Greek	1	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-
Classical Studies	111	10.8	26.1	14.4	21.6	12.6	9.9	4.5
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French	10,986	2.9	21.3	33.6	30.5	10.3	1.3	0.1
German	3,212	7.4	34.7	32.7	17.7	4.7	2.6	0.2
Spanish	1,004	6.7	32.5	33.1	18.9	6.4	2.2	0.3
Italian	149	4.0	22.1	41.6	23.5	8.7	-	-
Art, Craft & Design	7,835	17.0	30.3	31.4	14.5	4.6	2.0	0.3
Music	2,033	2.5	23.4	43.5	23.0	3.5	4.0	0.1
Science	18,041	7.7	32.6	35.2	19.6	4.3	0.6	-
Home Economics	5,190	3.1	42.2	40.5	11.3	1.8	0.8	0.2
Materials Technology	4,420	5.5	33.6	37.6	16.4	2.6	3.7	0.7
Metalwork	2,332	5.7	41.7	23.2	14.6	6.9	6.2	1.7
Technical Graphics	5,425	12.8	33.0	25.4	20.4	5.5	2.8	0.1
Technology	679	5.7	29.3	34.3	18.1	8.5	3.7	0.3
Business Studies	10,855	7.3	37.2	32.0	17.0	4.7	1.7	0.1
Typewriting	193	20.2	45.6	20.7	9.3	2.6	1.6	-
Environmental & Social Studies	516	3.7	28.9	37.6	22.1	5.2	2.1	0.4
Religious Education	5,775	9.9	36.9	36.1	14.4	1.6	1.0	0.1
C.S.P.E. (Common Course)	55,066	23.5	39.8	24.1	9.6	2.0	0.9	0.1

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.11 - JUNIOR CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
HIGHER LEVEL PAPERS - MALE**

SUBJECT	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING							TOTAL
	Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade	
Irish	884	2,337	3,170	2,050	313	38	2	<b>8,794</b>
English	1,075	3,625	6,488	4,632	407	25	1	<b>16,253</b>
Mathematics	1,663	3,202	3,382	2,355	484	89	4	<b>11,179</b>
History	2,305	4,513	4,717	3,372	995	206	14	<b>16,122</b>
Geography	1,891	6,400	6,371	3,358	440	40	1	<b>18,501</b>
Latin	72	87	99	65	19	14	6	<b>362</b>
Ancient Greek	3	3	3	3	-	1	-	<b>13</b>
Classical Studies	39	121	93	57	14	4	2	<b>330</b>
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	<b>-</b>
French	732	2,380	3,788	3,105	625	85	4	<b>10,719</b>
German	258	854	1,072	825	178	34	2	<b>3,223</b>
Spanish	80	174	268	208	46	9	1	<b>786</b>
Italian	9	16	7	9	-	-	-	<b>41</b>
Art, Craft & Design	811	1,346	1,662	694	111	15	3	<b>4,642</b>
Music	156	536	540	246	27	8	2	<b>1,515</b>
Science	1,839	3,872	4,553	3,562	930	152	13	<b>14,921</b>
Home Economics	47	348	455	117	3	2	1	<b>973</b>
Materials Technology	1,058	4,175	3,273	1,054	130	58	21	<b>9,769</b>
Metalwork	550	2,707	1,390	407	74	12	8	<b>5,148</b>
Technical Graphics	983	1,842	1,823	1,130	301	52	6	<b>6,137</b>
Technology	141	465	543	287	51	17	3	<b>1,507</b>
Business Studies	706	3,481	4,125	1,864	186	31	4	<b>10,397</b>
Typewriting	2	13	5	2	-	-	-	<b>22</b>
Environmental & Social Studies	4	26	24	7	-	-	-	<b>61</b>
Religious Education	673	2,494	2,405	892	80	25	4	<b>6,573</b>

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.12 — JUNIOR CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF CANDIDATES BY GRADE AWARDED IN EACH SUBJECT  
HIGHER LEVEL PAPERS - MALE**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Total Number of Candidates</b>	<b>Grade A</b>	<b>Grade B</b>	<b>Grade C</b>	<b>Grade D</b>	<b>Grade E</b>	<b>Grade F</b>	<b>No Grade</b>
Irish	8,794	10.1	26.6	36.1	23.3	3.6	0.4	-
English	16,253	6.6	22.3	39.9	28.5	2.5	0.2	-
Mathematics	11,179	14.9	28.6	30.3	21.1	4.3	0.8	-
History	16,122	14.3	28.0	29.3	20.9	6.2	1.3	0.1
Geography	18,501	10.2	34.6	34.4	18.2	2.4	0.2	-
Latin	362	19.9	24.0	27.3	18.0	5.2	3.9	1.7
Ancient Greek	13	23.1	23.1	23.1	23.1	-	7.7	-
Classical Studies	330	11.8	36.7	28.2	17.3	4.2	1.2	0.6
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French	10,719	6.8	22.2	35.3	29.0	5.8	0.8	-
German	3,223	8.0	26.5	33.3	25.6	5.5	1.1	0.1
Spanish	786	10.2	22.1	34.1	26.5	5.9	1.1	0.1
Italian	41	22.0	39.0	17.1	22.0	-	-	-
Art, Craft & Design	4,642	17.5	29.0	35.8	15.0	2.4	0.3	0.1
Music	1,515	10.3	35.4	35.6	16.2	1.8	0.5	0.1
Science	14,921	12.3	26.0	30.5	23.9	6.2	1.0	0.1
Home Economics	973	4.8	35.8	46.8	12.0	0.3	0.2	0.1
Materials Technology	9,769	10.8	42.7	33.5	10.8	1.3	0.6	0.2
Metalwork	5,148	10.7	52.6	27.0	7.9	1.4	0.2	0.2
Technical Graphics	6,137	16.0	30.0	29.7	18.4	4.9	0.8	0.1
Technology	1,507	9.4	30.9	36.0	19.0	3.4	1.1	0.2
Business Studies	10,397	6.8	33.5	39.7	17.9	1.8	0.3	-
Typewriting	22	9.1	59.1	22.7	9.1	-	-	-
Environmental & Social Studies	61	6.6	42.6	39.3	11.5	-	-	-
Religious Education	6,573	10.2	37.9	36.6	13.6	1.2	0.4	0.1

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.13 - JUNIOR CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
HIGHER LEVEL PAPERS - FEMALE**

SUBJECT	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING							TOTAL
	Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade	
Irish	1,865	4,437	4,414	2,012	196	18	-	12,942
English	2,659	6,101	7,556	3,408	171	12	1	19,908
Mathematics	1,731	3,888	3,830	2,320	391	49	-	12,209
History	3,200	5,147	4,811	3,166	746	127	7	17,204
Geography	2,596	7,107	6,279	3,349	437	31	-	19,799
Latin	26	31	19	13	3	-	-	92
Ancient Greek	1	3	2	-	-	-	-	6
Classical Studies	45	72	66	18	-	-	-	201
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French	1,619	4,231	4,931	3,127	548	32	1	14,489
German	574	1,381	1,242	615	94	9	-	3,915
Spanish	209	466	528	298	58	7	1	1,567
Italian	27	27	26	24	7	-	-	111
Art, Craft & Design	2,695	3,105	2,473	537	41	10	1	8,862
Music	655	2,290	1,867	648	28	25	-	5,513
Science	2,629	4,601	4,464	3,190	864	162	5	15,915
Home Economics	1,823	7,453	3,812	522	26	9	1	13,646
Materials Technology	116	445	389	122	12	8	3	1,095
Metalwork	35	174	134	34	11	5	-	393
Technical Graphics	122	273	281	132	17	-	-	825
Technology	78	178	138	62	8	1	1	466
Business Studies	1,224	4,678	4,360	1,895	221	17	-	12,395
Typewriting	33	69	21	3	3	-	-	129
Environmental & Social Studies	-	8	9	3	-	-	-	20
Religious Education	1,668	4,126	2,405	660	37	10	-	8,906

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.14 — JUNIOR CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF CANDIDATES BY GRADE AWARDED IN EACH SUBJECT  
HIGHER LEVEL PAPERS - FEMALE**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Total Number of Candidates</b>	<b>Grade A</b>	<b>Grade B</b>	<b>Grade C</b>	<b>Grade D</b>	<b>Grade E</b>	<b>Grade F</b>	<b>No Grade</b>
Irish	12,942	14.4	34.3	34.1	15.5	1.5	0.1	-
English	19,908	13.4	30.6	38.0	17.1	0.9	0.1	-
Mathematics	12,209	14.2	31.8	31.4	19.0	3.2	0.4	-
History	17,204	18.6	29.9	28.0	18.4	4.3	0.7	-
Geography	19,799	13.1	35.9	31.7	16.9	2.2	0.2	-
Latin	92	28.3	33.7	20.7	14.1	3.3	-	-
Ancient Greek	6	16.7	50.0	33.3	-	-	-	-
Classical Studies	201	22.4	35.8	32.8	9.0	-	-	-
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French	14,489	11.2	29.2	34.0	21.6	3.8	0.2	-
German	3,915	14.7	35.3	31.7	15.7	2.4	0.2	-
Spanish	1,567	13.3	29.7	33.7	19.0	3.7	0.4	0.1
Italian	111	24.3	24.3	23.4	21.6	6.3	-	-
Art, Craft & Design	8,862	30.4	35.0	27.9	6.1	0.5	0.1	-
Music	5,513	11.9	41.5	33.9	11.8	0.5	0.5	-
Science	15,915	16.5	28.9	28.1	20.0	5.4	1.0	-
Home Economics	13,646	13.4	54.6	27.9	3.8	0.2	0.1	-
Materials Technology	1,095	10.6	40.6	35.5	11.1	1.1	0.7	0.3
Metalwork	393	8.9	44.3	34.1	8.7	2.8	1.3	-
Technical Graphics	825	14.8	33.1	34.1	16.0	2.1	-	-
Technology	466	16.7	38.2	29.6	13.3	1.7	0.2	0.2
Business Studies	12,395	9.9	37.7	35.2	15.3	1.8	0.1	-
Typewriting	129	25.6	53.5	16.3	2.3	2.3	-	-
Environmental & Social Studies	20	-	40.0	45.0	15.0	-	-	-
Religious Education	8,906	18.7	46.3	27.0	7.4	0.4	0.1	-

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.15 - JUNIOR CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
HIGHER LEVEL PAPERS - MALE AND FEMALE**

SUBJECT	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING							
	Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade	Total
Irish	2,749	6,774	7,584	4,062	509	56	2	<b>21,736</b>
English	3,734	9,726	14,044	8,040	578	37	2	<b>36,161</b>
Mathematics	3,394	7,090	7,212	4,675	875	138	4	<b>23,388</b>
History	5,505	9,660	9,528	6,538	1,741	333	21	<b>33,326</b>
Geography	4,487	13,507	12,650	6,707	877	71	1	<b>38,300</b>
Latin	98	118	118	78	22	14	6	<b>454</b>
Ancient Greek	4	6	5	3	-	1	-	<b>19</b>
Classical Studies	84	193	159	75	14	4	2	<b>531</b>
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	<b>-</b>
French	2,351	6,611	8,719	6,232	1,173	117	5	<b>25,208</b>
German	832	2,235	2,314	1,440	272	43	2	<b>7,138</b>
Spanish	289	640	796	506	104	16	2	<b>2,353</b>
Italian	36	43	33	33	7	-	-	<b>152</b>
Art, Craft & Design	3,506	4,451	4,135	1,231	152	25	4	<b>13,504</b>
Music	811	2,826	2,407	894	55	33	2	<b>7,028</b>
Science	4,468	8,473	9,017	6,752	1,794	314	18	<b>30,836</b>
Home Economics	1,870	7,801	4,267	639	29	11	2	<b>14,619</b>
Materials Technology	1,174	4,620	3,662	1,176	142	66	24	<b>10,864</b>
Metalwork	585	2,881	1,524	441	85	17	8	<b>5,541</b>
Technical Graphics	1,105	2,115	2,104	1,262	318	52	6	<b>6,962</b>
Technology	219	643	681	349	59	18	4	<b>1,973</b>
Business Studies	1,930	8,159	8,485	3,759	407	48	4	<b>22,792</b>
Typewriting	35	82	26	5	3	-	-	<b>151</b>
Environmental & Social Studies	4	34	33	10	-	-	-	<b>81</b>
Religious Education	2,341	6,620	4,810	1,552	117	35	4	<b>15,479</b>

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.16 — JUNIOR CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF CANDIDATES BY GRADE AWARDED IN EACH SUBJECT  
HIGHER LEVEL PAPERS - MALE & FEMALE**

<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Total Number of Candidates</b>	<b>Grade A</b>	<b>Grade B</b>	<b>Grade C</b>	<b>Grade D</b>	<b>Grade E</b>	<b>Grade F</b>	<b>No Grade</b>
Irish	21,736	12.6	31.2	34.9	18.7	2.3	0.3	-
English	36,161	10.3	26.9	38.8	22.2	1.6	0.1	-
Mathematics	23,388	14.5	30.3	30.8	20.0	3.7	0.6	-
History	33,326	16.5	29.0	28.6	19.6	5.2	1.0	0.1
Geography	38,300	11.7	35.3	33.0	17.5	2.3	0.2	-
Latin	454	21.6	26.0	26.0	17.2	4.8	3.1	1.3
Ancient Greek	19	21.1	31.6	26.3	15.8	-	5.3	-
Classical Studies	531	15.8	36.3	29.9	14.1	2.6	0.8	0.4
Hebrew Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French	25,208	9.3	26.2	34.6	24.7	4.7	0.5	-
German	7,138	11.7	31.3	32.4	20.2	3.8	0.6	-
Spanish	2,353	12.3	27.2	33.8	21.5	4.4	0.7	0.1
Italian	152	23.7	28.3	21.7	21.7	4.6	-	-
Art, Craft & Design	13,504	26.0	33.0	30.6	9.1	1.1	0.2	-
Music	7,028	11.5	40.2	34.2	12.7	0.8	0.5	-
Science	30,836	14.5	27.5	29.2	21.9	5.8	1.0	0.1
Home Economics	14,619	12.8	53.4	29.2	4.4	0.2	0.1	-
Materials Technology	10,864	10.8	42.5	33.7	10.8	1.3	0.6	0.2
Metalwork	5,541	10.6	52.0	27.5	8.0	1.5	0.3	0.1
Technical Graphics	6,962	15.9	30.4	30.2	18.1	4.6	0.7	0.1
Technology	1,973	11.1	32.6	34.5	17.7	3.0	0.9	0.2
Business Studies	22,792	8.5	35.8	37.2	16.5	1.8	0.2	-
Typewriting	151	23.2	54.3	17.2	3.3	2.0	-	-
Environmental & Social Studies	81	4.9	42.0	40.7	12.3	-	-	-
Religious Education	15,479	15.1	42.8	31.1	10.0	0.8	0.2	-

Source: State Examinations Commission



TABLE 5.17 - LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005 - ORDINARY LEVEL PAPERS - MALE

NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING

SUBJECT	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING																Total
	Grade A1	Grade A2	Grade B1	Grade B2	Grade B3	Grade C1	Grade C2	Grade C3	Grade D1	Grade D2	Grade D3	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade			
1. Irish	63	276	734	1,357	1,828	2,034	1,893	1,672	1,323	1,010	963	833	212	2	14,200		
2. Irish (Foundation)	24	72	175	283	367	477	455	466	333	265	200	108	9	-	3,234		
3. English	153	506	345	855	1,629	1,011	1,632	1,651	1,029	862	692	304	65	12	10,746		
4. Latin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	3		
5. Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
6. French	6	30	170	451	855	1,044	1,026	952	835	584	583	426	79	7	7,048		
7. German	3	18	89	148	232	259	226	188	142	121	94	100	38	4	1,662		
8. Italian	-	3	2	3	5	7	4	9	6	5	8	5	4	-	61		
9. Spanish	2	3	15	17	44	45	52	56	46	26	27	28	5	-	366		
10. History	567	206	150	172	189	145	143	157	88	111	223	118	127	87	2,483		
11. Geography	92	186	275	402	446	474	518	468	361	284	304	215	58	32	4,115		
12. Mathematics	804	1,124	1,399	1,418	1,484	1,481	1,459	1,457	1,335	1,209	1,437	1,551	739	119	17,016		
13. Mathematics (Alt/Ord)	59	133	221	300	329	356	321	302	222	171	188	182	65	6	2,855		
14. Applied Mathematics	7	2	5	6	5	4	7	4	7	7	3	3	3	-	63		
15. Physics	153	204	177	223	236	152	168	161	119	126	149	134	79	26	2,107		
16. Chemistry	17	33	42	44	76	61	66	60	65	61	58	69	33	3	688		
17. Physics & Chemistry	2	3	2	3	8	11	14	21	7	13	15	28	17	7	151		
18. Biology	21	50	115	170	263	254	308	325	296	260	317	374	198	18	2,969		
19. Agricultural Science	1	2	7	30	38	79	90	106	115	79	112	97	37	1	794		
20. Agricultural Economics	1	-	-	3	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	10		
21. Home Economics (S & S)	-	8	16	26	61	78	87	115	104	86	92	94	31	4	802		
22. Home Economics (General)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
23. Accounting	98	67	57	58	71	40	55	45	35	48	64	62	63	49	812		
24. Business Studies	103	247	146	319	536	279	385	444	208	230	309	124	56	21	3,407		
25. Economics	18	61	58	91	95	87	86	71	44	49	45	29	19	4	757		
26. Economic History	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	3	-	-	5	1	-	4	17		
27. Art	2	14	43	69	136	168	199	192	154	105	64	35	10	6	1,197		
28. Engineering	8	37	98	133	159	185	190	184	135	94	68	73	15	-	1,379		
29. Technical Drawing	171	202	204	235	233	243	241	223	210	188	188	149	50	11	2,548		
30. Construction Studies	-	14	59	117	207	286	308	296	264	195	190	146	30	-	2,112		
31. Religious Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
32. Classical Studies	-	2	1	2	2	1	2	1	3	1	5	8	7	2	37		
33. Arabic	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	1	5		
34. Music	4	7	13	28	17	14	11	7	10	3	5	2	1	-	122		
35. Russian	2	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	8		
36. Japanese	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	4		

Source: State Examinations Commission

Note: VTOS and External candidates are included in Tables 5.17 - 5.28

**TABLE 5.18 — LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005 - PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF CANDIDATES BY GRADE AWARDED IN EACH SUBJECT  
ORDINARY LEVEL PAPERS - MALE**

SUBJECT	Total Number of Candidates	Grade A1	Grade A2	Grade B1	Grade B2	Grade B3	Grade C1	Grade C2	Grade C3	Grade D1	Grade D2	Grade D3	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade
1. Irish	14,200	0.4	1.9	5.2	9.6	12.9	14.3	13.3	11.8	9.3	7.1	6.8	5.9	1.5	-
2. Irish (Foundation)	3,234	0.7	2.2	5.4	8.8	11.3	14.7	14.1	14.4	10.3	8.2	6.2	3.3	0.3	-
3. English	10,746	1.4	4.7	3.2	8.0	15.2	9.4	15.2	15.4	9.6	8.0	6.4	2.8	0.6	0.1
4. Latin	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.7	-	-	-	33.3	-	-
5. Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. French	7,048	0.1	0.4	2.4	6.4	12.1	14.8	14.6	13.5	11.8	8.3	8.3	6.0	1.1	0.1
7. German	1,662	0.2	1.1	5.4	8.9	14.0	15.6	13.6	11.3	8.5	7.3	5.7	6.0	2.3	0.2
8. Italian	61	-	4.9	3.3	4.9	8.2	11.5	6.6	14.8	9.8	8.2	13.1	8.2	6.6	-
9. Spanish	366	0.5	0.8	4.1	4.6	12.0	12.3	14.2	15.3	12.6	7.1	7.4	7.7	1.4	-
10. History	2,483	22.8	8.3	6.0	6.9	7.6	5.8	5.8	6.3	3.5	4.5	9.0	4.8	5.1	3.5
11. Geography	4,115	2.2	4.5	6.7	9.8	10.8	11.5	12.6	11.4	8.8	6.9	7.4	5.2	1.4	0.8
12. Mathematics	17,016	4.7	6.6	8.2	8.3	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.6	7.8	7.1	8.4	9.1	4.3	0.7
13. Mathematics (Alt/Ord)	2,855	2.1	4.7	7.7	10.5	11.5	12.5	11.2	10.6	7.8	6.0	6.6	6.4	2.3	0.2
14. Applied Mathematics	63	11.1	3.2	7.9	9.5	7.9	6.3	11.1	6.3	11.1	11.1	4.8	4.8	4.8	-
15. Physics	2,107	7.3	9.7	8.4	10.6	11.2	7.2	8.0	7.6	5.6	6.0	7.1	6.4	3.7	1.2
16. Chemistry	688	2.5	4.8	6.1	6.4	11.1	8.9	9.6	8.7	9.4	8.9	8.4	10.0	4.8	0.4
17. Physics & Chemistry	151	1.3	2.0	1.3	2.0	5.3	7.3	9.3	13.9	4.6	8.6	9.9	18.5	11.3	4.6
18. Biology	2,969	0.7	1.7	3.9	5.7	8.9	8.6	10.4	10.9	10.0	8.8	10.7	12.6	6.7	0.6
19. Agricultural Science	794	0.1	0.3	0.9	3.8	4.8	9.9	11.3	13.4	14.5	9.9	14.1	12.2	4.7	0.1
20. Agricultural Economics	10	10.0	-	-	30.0	10.0	20.0	-	-	10.0	-	-	10.0	10.0	-
21. Home Economics (S & S)	802	-	1.0	2.0	3.2	7.6	9.7	10.8	14.3	13.0	10.7	11.5	11.7	3.9	0.5
22. Home Economics (General)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Accounting	812	12.1	8.3	7.0	7.1	8.7	4.9	6.8	5.5	4.3	5.9	7.9	7.6	7.8	6.0
24. Business Studies	3,407	3.0	7.2	4.3	9.4	15.7	8.2	11.3	13.0	6.1	6.8	9.1	3.6	1.6	0.6
25. Economics	757	2.4	8.1	7.7	12.0	12.5	11.5	11.4	9.4	5.8	6.5	5.9	3.8	2.5	0.5
26. Economic History	17	-	-	5.9	-	5.9	-	11.8	17.6	-	-	29.4	5.9	-	23.5
27. Art	1,197	0.2	1.2	3.6	5.8	11.4	14.0	16.6	16.0	12.9	8.8	5.3	2.9	0.8	0.5
28. Engineering	1,379	0.6	2.7	7.1	9.6	11.5	13.4	13.8	13.3	9.8	6.8	4.9	5.3	1.1	-
29. Technical Drawing	2,548	6.7	7.9	8.0	9.2	9.1	9.5	9.5	8.8	8.2	7.4	7.4	5.8	2.0	0.4
30. Construction Studies	2,112	-	0.7	2.8	5.5	9.8	13.5	14.6	14.0	12.5	9.2	9.0	6.9	1.4	-
31. Religious Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32. Classical Studies	37	-	5.4	2.7	5.4	5.4	2.7	5.4	2.7	8.1	2.7	13.5	21.6	18.9	5.4
33. Arabic	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	20.0	20.0	-	20.0	-	20.0
34. Music	122	3.3	5.7	10.7	23.0	13.9	11.5	9.0	5.7	8.2	2.5	4.1	1.6	0.8	-
35. Russian	8	25.0	25.0	-	12.5	12.5	-	-	-	-	25.0	-	-	-	-
36. Japanese	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.0	-	25.0	25.0	-	-

Source: State Examinations Commission

TABLE 5.19 - LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005 - ORDINARY LEVEL PAPERS - FEMALE

SUBJECT	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING														TOTAL
	Grade A1	Grade A2	Grade B1	Grade B2	Grade B3	Grade C1	Grade C2	Grade C3	Grade D1	Grade D2	Grade D3	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade	
1. Irish	99	505	1,221	1,897	2,214	2,121	1,766	1,375	980	663	568	385	71	1	13,866
2. Irish (Foundation)	34	83	165	248	260	276	233	194	130	71	61	23	-	-	1,778
3. English	232	646	429	992	1,540	891	1,156	1,139	541	404	309	111	26	3	8,419
4. Latin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
5. Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. French	10	76	322	727	1,179	1,338	1,388	1,146	911	705	650	420	57	1	8,930
7. German	3	34	107	206	233	261	190	148	122	121	82	55	11	1	1,574
8. Italian	-	1	3	8	4	8	12	6	7	2	2	3	-	-	56
9. Spanish	4	6	23	37	67	71	53	53	51	38	34	29	4	1	471
10. History	276	115	83	101	114	66	81	83	58	81	164	95	85	41	1,443
11. Geography	99	123	216	287	359	335	365	358	289	219	200	152	34	2	3,038
12. Mathematics	1,254	1,712	1,898	1,953	1,859	1,844	1,755	1,585	1,407	1,195	1,318	1,362	551	63	19,756
13. Mathematics (Alt/Ord)	77	150	232	314	340	319	309	256	218	163	153	136	37	4	2,708
14. Applied Mathematics	2	1	2	3	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	11
15. Physics	34	40	26	30	40	32	25	19	16	19	11	18	15	4	329
16. Chemistry	36	48	60	71	53	68	55	57	53	50	39	35	16	4	645
17. Physics & Chemistry	1	3	2	1	5	3	2	1	3	2	6	4	3	1	37
18. Biology	55	124	218	339	457	469	498	537	475	410	469	591	249	18	4,909
19. Agricultural Science	-	2	2	6	11	15	19	27	24	29	34	31	7	1	208
20. Agricultural Economics	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
21. Home Economics (S & S)	12	76	186	377	495	546	503	443	376	331	300	245	74	2	3,966
22. Home Economics (General)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Accounting	149	129	74	93	104	63	81	73	60	48	82	70	65	28	1,119
24. Business Studies	120	342	195	353	590	282	380	473	182	251	342	109	66	7	3,692
25. Economics	6	28	28	36	47	42	40	35	31	18	29	11	9	-	360
26. Economic History	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	4
27. Art	8	26	63	116	206	206	255	190	159	86	57	27	7	3	1,409
28. Engineering	-	1	2	5	8	12	16	6	7	7	4	6	3	-	77
29. Technical Drawing	7	17	12	14	16	10	12	18	12	13	17	13	6	-	167
30. Construction Studies	-	-	5	10	12	18	43	35	9	15	21	15	7	-	190
31. Religious Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	4
32. Classical Studies	1	1	3	1	2	2	4	6	3	2	4	8	5	1	43
33. Arabic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
34. Music	14	24	41	70	64	57	29	20	15	5	3	4	-	-	346
35. Russian	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
36. Japanese	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.20 — LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005 - PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF CANDIDATES BY GRADE AWARDED IN EACH SUBJECT  
ORDINARY LEVEL PAPERS - FEMALE**

SUBJECT	Total Number of Candidates	Grade A1	Grade A2	Grade B1	Grade B2	Grade B3	Grade C1	Grade C2	Grade C3	Grade D1	Grade D2	Grade D3	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade
1. Irish	13,866	0.7	3.6	8.8	13.7	16.0	15.3	12.7	9.9	7.1	4.8	4.1	2.8	0.5	-
2. Irish (Foundation)	1,778	1.9	4.7	9.3	13.9	14.6	15.5	13.1	10.9	7.3	4.0	3.4	1.3	-	-
3. English	8,419	2.8	7.7	5.1	11.8	18.3	10.6	13.7	13.5	6.4	4.8	3.7	1.3	0.3	-
4. Latin	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. French	8,930	0.1	0.9	3.6	8.1	13.2	15.0	15.5	12.8	10.2	7.9	7.3	4.7	0.6	-
7. German	1,574	0.2	2.2	6.8	13.1	14.8	16.6	12.1	9.4	7.8	7.7	5.2	3.5	0.7	0.1
8. Italian	56	-	1.8	5.4	14.3	7.1	14.3	21.4	10.7	12.5	3.6	3.6	5.4	-	-
9. Spanish	471	0.8	1.3	4.9	7.9	14.2	15.1	11.3	11.3	10.8	8.1	7.2	6.2	0.8	0.2
10. History	1,443	19.1	8.0	5.8	7.0	7.9	4.6	5.6	5.8	4.0	5.6	11.4	6.6	5.9	2.8
11. Geography	3,038	3.3	4.1	7.1	9.4	11.8	11.0	12.0	11.8	9.5	7.2	6.6	5.0	1.1	0.1
12. Mathematics	19,756	6.3	8.7	9.6	9.9	9.4	9.3	8.9	8.0	7.1	6.1	6.7	6.9	2.8	0.3
13. Mathematics (Alt/Ord)	2,708	2.8	5.5	8.6	11.6	12.6	11.8	11.4	9.5	8.1	6.0	5.6	5.0	1.4	0.1
14. Applied Mathematics	11	18.2	9.1	18.2	27.3	9.1	-	9.1	-	-	-	9.1	-	-	-
15. Physics	329	10.3	12.2	7.9	9.1	12.2	9.7	7.6	5.8	4.9	5.8	3.3	5.5	4.6	1.2
16. Chemistry	645	5.6	7.4	9.3	11.0	8.2	10.5	8.5	8.8	8.2	7.8	6.1	5.4	2.5	0.6
17. Physics & Chemistry	37	2.7	8.1	5.4	2.7	13.5	8.1	5.4	2.7	8.1	5.4	16.2	10.8	8.1	2.7
18. Biology	4,909	1.1	2.5	4.4	6.9	9.3	9.6	10.1	10.9	9.7	8.4	9.6	12.0	5.1	0.4
19. Agricultural Science	208	-	1.0	1.0	2.9	5.3	7.2	9.1	13.0	11.5	13.9	16.3	14.9	3.4	0.5
20. Agricultural Economics	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-
21. Home Economics (S & S)	3,966	0.3	1.9	4.7	9.5	12.5	13.8	12.7	11.2	9.5	8.3	7.6	6.2	1.9	0.1
22. Home Economics (General)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Accounting	1,119	13.3	11.5	6.6	8.3	9.3	5.6	7.2	6.5	5.4	4.3	7.3	6.3	5.8	2.5
24. Business Studies	3,692	3.3	9.3	5.3	9.6	16.0	7.6	10.3	12.8	4.9	6.8	9.3	3.0	1.8	0.2
25. Economics	360	1.7	7.8	7.8	10.0	13.1	11.7	11.1	9.7	8.6	5.0	8.1	3.1	2.5	-
26. Economic History	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.0	-	-	25.0	-	-	-
27. Art	1,409	0.6	1.8	4.5	8.2	14.6	14.6	18.1	13.5	11.3	6.1	4.1	1.9	0.5	0.2
28. Engineering	77	-	1.3	2.6	6.5	10.4	15.6	20.8	7.8	9.1	9.1	5.2	7.8	3.9	-
29. Technical Drawing	167	4.2	10.2	7.2	8.4	9.6	6.0	7.2	10.8	7.2	7.8	10.2	7.8	3.6	-
30. Construction Studies	190	-	-	2.6	5.3	6.3	9.5	22.6	18.4	4.7	7.9	11.1	7.9	3.7	-
31. Religious Education	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	25.0	-	25.0	25.0	-
32. Classical Studies	43	2.3	2.3	7.0	2.3	4.7	4.7	9.3	14.0	7.0	4.7	9.3	18.6	11.6	2.3
33. Arabic	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	-	-	-
34. Music	346	4.1	6.9	11.8	20.2	18.5	16.5	8.4	5.8	4.3	1.4	0.9	1.2	-	-
35. Russian	2	50.0	-	50.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36. Japanese	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.0	-	-	-	-	50.0	-	-

Source: State Examinations Commission

TABLE 5.21 - LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005 - ORDINARY LEVEL PAPERS - MALE & FEMALE

SUBJECT	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING														TOTAL
	Grade A1	Grade A2	Grade B1	Grade B2	Grade B3	Grade C1	Grade C2	Grade C3	Grade D1	Grade D2	Grade D3	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade	
1. Irish	162	781	1,955	3,254	4,042	4,155	3,659	3,047	2,303	1,673	1,531	1,218	283	3	28,066
2. Irish (Foundation)	58	155	340	531	627	753	688	660	463	336	261	131	9	-	5,012
3. English	385	1,152	774	1,847	3,169	1,902	2,788	2,790	1,570	1,266	1,001	415	91	15	19,165
4. Latin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	4
5. Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. French	16	106	492	1,178	2,034	2,382	2,414	2,098	1,746	1,289	1,233	846	136	8	15,978
7. German	6	52	196	354	465	520	416	336	264	242	176	155	49	5	3,236
8. Italian	-	4	5	11	9	15	16	15	13	7	10	8	4	-	117
9. Spanish	6	9	38	54	111	116	105	109	97	64	61	57	9	1	837
10. History	843	321	233	273	303	211	224	240	146	192	387	213	212	128	3,926
11. Geography	191	309	491	689	805	809	883	826	650	503	504	367	92	34	7,153
12. Mathematics	2,058	2,836	3,297	3,371	3,343	3,325	3,214	3,042	2,742	2,404	2,755	2,913	1,290	182	36,772
13. Mathematics (Alt/Ord)	136	283	453	614	669	675	630	558	440	334	341	318	102	10	5,563
14. Applied Mathematics	9	3	7	9	6	4	8	4	7	7	4	3	3	-	74
15. Physics	187	244	203	253	276	184	193	180	135	145	160	152	94	30	2,436
16. Chemistry	53	81	102	115	129	129	121	117	118	111	97	104	49	7	1,333
17. Physics & Chemistry	3	6	4	4	13	14	16	22	10	15	21	32	20	8	188
18. Biology	76	174	333	509	720	723	806	862	771	670	786	965	447	36	7,878
19. Agricultural Science	1	4	9	36	49	94	109	133	139	108	146	128	44	2	1,002
20. Agricultural Economics	1	-	-	3	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	11
21. Home Economics (S & S)	12	84	202	403	556	624	590	558	480	417	392	339	105	6	4,768
22. Home Economics (General)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Accounting	247	196	131	151	175	103	136	118	95	96	146	132	128	77	1,931
24. Business Studies	223	589	341	672	1,126	561	765	917	390	481	651	233	122	28	7,099
25. Economics	24	89	86	127	142	129	126	106	75	67	74	40	28	4	1,117
26. Economic History	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	6	-	-	6	1	-	4	21
27. Art	10	40	106	185	342	374	454	382	313	191	121	62	17	9	2,606
28. Engineering	8	38	100	138	167	197	206	190	142	101	72	79	18	-	1,456
29. Technical Drawing	178	219	216	249	249	253	253	241	222	201	205	162	56	11	2,715
30. Construction Studies	-	14	64	127	219	304	351	331	273	210	211	161	37	-	2,302
31. Religious Education	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	4
32. Classical Studies	1	3	4	3	4	3	6	7	6	3	9	16	12	3	80
33. Arabic	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	1	-	1	6
34. Music	18	31	54	98	81	71	40	27	25	8	8	6	1	-	468
35. Russian	3	2	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	10
36. Japanese	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	1	2	-	-	6

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.22 — LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005 - PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF CANDIDATES BY GRADE AWARDED IN EACH SUBJECT  
ORDINARY LEVEL PAPERS - MALE & FEMALE**

SUBJECT	Total Number of Candidates	Grade A1	Grade A2	Grade B1	Grade B2	Grade B3	Grade C1	Grade C2	Grade C3	Grade D1	Grade D2	Grade D3	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade
1. Irish	28,066	0.6	2.8	7.0	11.6	14.4	14.8	13.0	10.9	8.2	6.0	5.5	4.3	1.0	-
2. Irish (Foundation)	5,012	1.2	3.1	6.8	10.6	12.5	15.0	13.7	13.2	9.2	6.7	5.2	2.6	0.2	-
3. English	19,165	2.0	6.0	4.0	9.6	16.5	9.9	14.5	14.6	8.2	6.6	5.2	2.2	0.5	0.1
4. Latin	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.0	-	-	-	25.0	-	-
5. Ancient Greek	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. French	15,978	0.1	0.7	3.1	7.4	12.7	14.9	15.1	13.1	10.9	8.1	7.7	5.3	0.9	0.1
7. German	3,236	0.2	1.6	6.1	10.9	14.4	16.1	12.9	10.4	8.2	7.5	5.4	4.8	1.5	0.2
8. Italian	117	-	3.4	4.3	9.4	7.7	12.8	13.7	12.8	11.1	6.0	8.5	6.8	3.4	-
9. Spanish	837	0.7	1.1	4.5	6.5	13.3	13.9	12.5	13.0	11.6	7.6	7.3	6.8	1.1	0.1
10. History	3,926	21.5	8.2	5.9	7.0	7.7	5.4	5.7	6.1	3.7	4.9	9.9	5.4	5.4	3.3
11. Geography	7,153	2.7	4.3	6.9	9.6	11.3	11.3	12.3	11.5	9.1	7.0	7.1	5.1	1.3	0.5
12. Mathematics	36,772	5.6	7.7	9.0	9.2	9.1	9.0	8.7	8.3	7.5	6.5	7.5	7.9	3.5	0.5
13. Mathematics (Alt/Ord)	5,563	2.4	5.1	8.1	11.0	12.0	12.1	11.3	10.0	7.9	6.0	6.1	5.7	1.8	0.2
14. Applied Mathematics	74	12.2	4.1	9.5	12.2	8.1	5.4	10.8	5.4	9.5	9.5	5.4	4.1	4.1	-
15. Physics	2,436	7.7	10.0	8.3	10.4	11.3	7.6	7.9	7.4	5.5	6.0	6.6	6.2	3.9	1.2
16. Chemistry	1,333	4.0	6.1	7.7	8.6	9.7	9.7	9.1	8.8	8.9	8.3	7.3	7.8	3.7	0.5
17. Physics & Chemistry	188	1.6	3.2	2.1	2.1	6.9	7.4	8.5	11.7	5.3	8.0	11.2	17.0	10.6	4.3
18. Biology	7,878	1.0	2.2	4.2	6.5	9.1	9.2	10.2	10.9	9.8	8.5	10.0	12.2	5.7	0.5
19. Agricultural Science	1,002	0.1	0.4	0.9	3.6	4.9	9.4	10.9	13.3	13.9	10.8	14.6	12.8	4.4	0.2
20. Agricultural Economics	11	9.1	-	-	27.3	9.1	18.2	-	-	9.1	-	-	9.1	18.2	-
21. Home Economics (S & S)	4,768	0.3	1.8	4.2	8.5	11.7	13.1	12.4	11.7	10.1	8.7	8.2	7.1	2.2	0.1
22. Home Economics (General)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Accounting	1,931	12.8	10.2	6.8	7.8	9.1	5.3	7.0	6.1	4.9	5.0	7.6	6.8	6.6	4.0
24. Business Studies	7,099	3.1	8.3	4.8	9.5	15.9	7.9	10.8	12.9	5.5	6.8	9.2	3.3	1.7	0.4
25. Economics	1,117	2.1	8.0	7.7	11.4	12.7	11.5	11.3	9.5	6.7	6.0	6.6	3.6	2.5	0.4
26. Economic History	21	-	-	4.8	-	4.8	-	9.5	28.6	-	-	28.6	4.8	-	19.1
27. Art	2,606	0.4	1.5	4.1	7.1	13.1	14.4	17.4	14.7	12.0	7.3	4.6	2.4	0.7	0.3
28. Engineering	1,456	0.5	2.6	6.9	9.5	11.5	13.5	14.1	13.1	9.8	6.9	4.9	5.4	1.2	-
29. Technical Drawing	2,715	6.6	8.1	8.0	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3	8.9	8.2	7.4	7.6	6.0	2.1	0.4
30. Construction Studies	2,302	-	0.6	2.8	5.5	9.5	13.2	15.2	14.4	11.9	9.1	9.2	7.0	1.6	-
31. Religious Education	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0	25.0	-	25.0	25.0	-
32. Classical Studies	80	1.3	3.8	5.0	3.8	5.0	3.8	7.5	8.8	7.5	3.8	11.3	20.0	15.0	3.8
33. Arabic	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	16.7	33.3	-	16.7	-	16.7
34. Music	468	3.8	6.6	11.5	20.9	17.3	15.2	8.5	5.8	5.3	1.7	1.7	1.3	0.2	-
35. Russian	10	30.0	20.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	-	-
36. Japanese	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.7	-	33.3	-	16.7	33.3	-	-

Source: State Examinations Commission

TABLE 5.23 - LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
HIGHER LEVEL PAPERS - MALE

SUBJECT	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING														TOTAL
	Grade A1	Grade A2	Grade B1	Grade B2	Grade B3	Grade C1	Grade C2	Grade C3	Grade D1	Grade D2	Grade D3	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade	
1. Irish	217	302	380	484	553	620	595	570	425	285	145	45	4	1	4,626
2. English	471	664	621	1,095	1,580	1,515	1,929	1,958	1,509	1,079	894	321	24	5	13,665
3. Latin	10	5	8	7	13	7	7	3	1	4	2	1	2	-	70
4. Ancient Greek	1	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
5. French	209	242	309	372	493	565	657	669	633	482	429	174	14	-	5,248
6. German	100	100	141	162	202	215	244	215	166	114	85	37	1	-	1,782
7. Italian	1	1	5	4	7	1	5	2	3	2	1	-	-	-	32
8. Spanish	19	20	26	29	23	38	39	36	44	25	14	6	-	-	319
9. History	200	194	205	271	328	308	338	378	248	262	320	190	71	25	3,338
10. Geography	280	507	528	1,005	1,237	1,271	1,329	1,230	1,027	855	699	433	70	12	10,483
11. Mathematics	448	397	480	523	526	537	516	445	343	304	255	188	58	8	5,028
12. Applied Mathematics	113	116	58	90	120	69	82	88	46	41	56	44	33	5	961
13. Physics	383	340	348	352	362	267	279	328	234	247	306	234	113	19	3,812
14. Chemistry	302	266	275	223	227	222	185	214	130	144	158	146	37	15	2,544
15. Physics & Chemistry	32	25	24	42	36	29	26	25	14	22	30	18	11	2	336
16. Biology	257	322	393	436	527	526	560	525	454	354	410	290	51	8	5,113
17. Agricultural Science	63	96	113	163	194	206	198	221	171	130	130	95	14	1	1,795
18. Agricultural Economics	1	6	3	3	2	5	6	4	8	9	5	5	2	-	59
19. Home Economics (S & S)	10	25	41	50	66	85	123	101	110	60	67	31	3	2	774
20. Home Economics (General)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21. Accounting	146	304	334	297	300	154	165	116	112	82	95	105	70	24	2,304
22. Business Studies	201	374	413	503	603	577	591	654	417	473	583	360	84	6	5,839
23. Economics	61	192	157	230	251	251	242	226	153	137	220	88	35	4	2,247
24. Economic History	4	11	-	18	29	12	23	32	18	13	21	17	7	5	210
25. Art	12	61	132	182	299	357	426	373	296	189	171	40	1	1	2,540
26. Engineering	121	223	288	373	361	405	376	342	280	208	177	109	17	-	3,280
27. Technical Drawing	186	223	216	268	317	328	282	280	266	173	145	100	13	-	2,797
28. Construction Studies	123	326	571	738	906	866	852	685	506	349	246	119	13	-	6,300
29. Religious Education	3	2	1	3	1	3	1	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	19
30. Classical Studies	8	16	27	29	46	36	42	34	21	30	27	31	13	5	365
31. Arabic	2	9	10	17	6	12	6	6	2	1	-	1	-	-	72
32. Japanese	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	7
33. Music	55	120	163	199	195	145	106	54	25	22	7	6	2	-	1,099
34. Russian	40	5	3	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.24 — LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF CANDIDATES BY GRADE AWARDED IN EACH SUBJECT  
HIGHER LEVEL PAPERS - MALE**

SUBJECT	Total Number of Candidates	Grade A1	Grade A2	Grade B1	Grade B2	Grade B3	Grade C1	Grade C2	Grade C3	Grade D1	Grade D2	Grade D3	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade
1. Irish	4,626	4.7	6.5	8.2	10.5	12.0	13.4	12.9	12.3	9.2	6.2	3.1	1.0	0.1	-
2. English	13,665	3.4	4.9	4.5	8.0	11.6	11.1	14.1	14.3	11.0	7.9	6.5	2.3	0.2	-
3. Latin	70	14.3	7.1	11.4	10.0	18.6	10.0	10.0	4.3	1.4	5.7	2.9	1.4	2.9	-
4. Ancient Greek	6	16.7	33.3	33.3	0.0	16.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. French	5,248	4.0	4.6	5.9	7.1	9.4	10.8	12.5	12.7	12.1	9.2	8.2	3.3	0.3	-
6. German	1,782	5.6	5.6	7.9	9.1	11.3	12.1	13.7	12.1	9.3	6.4	4.8	2.1	0.1	-
7. Italian	32	3.1	3.1	15.6	12.5	21.9	3.1	15.6	6.3	9.4	6.3	3.1	-	-	-
8. Spanish	319	6.0	6.3	8.2	9.1	7.2	11.9	12.2	11.3	13.8	7.8	4.4	1.9	-	-
9. History	3,338	6.0	5.8	6.1	8.1	9.8	9.2	10.1	11.3	7.4	7.8	9.6	5.7	2.1	0.7
10. Geography	10,483	2.7	4.8	5.0	9.6	11.8	12.1	12.7	11.7	9.8	8.2	6.7	4.1	0.7	0.1
11. Mathematics	5,028	8.9	7.9	9.5	10.4	10.5	10.7	10.3	8.9	6.8	6.1	5.1	3.7	1.2	0.2
12. Applied Mathematics	961	11.8	12.1	6.0	9.4	12.5	7.2	8.5	9.2	4.8	4.3	5.8	4.6	3.4	0.5
13. Physics	3,812	10.1	8.9	9.1	9.2	9.5	7.0	7.3	8.6	6.1	6.5	8.0	6.1	3.0	0.5
14. Chemistry	2,544	11.9	10.5	10.8	8.8	8.9	8.7	7.3	8.4	5.1	5.7	6.2	5.7	1.5	0.6
15. Physics & Chemistry	336	9.5	7.4	7.1	12.5	10.7	8.6	7.7	7.4	4.2	6.5	8.9	5.4	3.3	0.6
16. Biology	5,113	5.0	6.3	7.7	8.5	10.3	10.3	11.0	10.3	8.9	6.9	8.0	5.7	1.0	0.2
17. Agricultural Science	1,795	3.5	5.3	6.3	9.1	10.8	11.5	11.0	12.3	9.5	7.2	7.2	5.3	0.8	0.1
18. Agricultural Economics	59	1.7	10.2	5.1	5.1	3.4	8.5	10.2	6.8	13.6	15.3	8.5	8.5	3.4	-
19. Home Economics (S & S)	774	1.3	3.2	5.3	6.5	8.5	11.0	15.9	13.1	14.2	7.8	8.7	4.0	0.4	0.3
20. Home Economics (General)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21. Accounting	2,304	6.3	13.2	14.5	12.9	13.0	6.7	7.2	5.0	4.9	3.6	4.1	4.6	3.0	1.0
22. Business Studies	5,839	3.4	6.4	7.1	8.6	10.3	9.9	10.1	11.2	7.1	8.1	10.0	6.2	1.4	0.1
23. Economics	2,247	2.7	8.5	7.0	10.2	11.2	11.2	10.8	10.1	6.8	6.1	9.8	3.9	1.6	0.2
24. Economic History	210	1.9	5.2	-	8.6	13.8	5.7	11.0	15.2	8.6	6.2	10.0	8.1	3.3	2.4
25. Art	2,540	0.5	2.4	5.2	7.2	11.8	14.1	16.8	14.7	11.7	7.4	6.7	1.6	-	-
26. Engineering	3,280	3.7	6.8	8.8	11.4	11.0	12.3	11.5	10.4	8.5	6.3	5.4	3.3	0.5	-
27. Technical Drawing	2,797	6.6	8.0	7.7	9.6	11.3	11.7	10.1	10.0	9.5	6.2	5.2	3.6	0.5	-
28. Construction Studies	6,300	2.0	5.2	9.1	11.7	14.4	13.7	13.5	10.9	8.0	5.5	3.9	1.9	0.2	-
29. Religious Education	19	15.8	10.5	5.3	15.8	5.3	15.8	5.3	10.5	10.5	5.3	-	-	-	-
30. Classical Studies	365	2.2	4.4	7.4	7.9	12.6	9.9	11.5	9.3	5.8	8.2	7.4	8.5	3.6	1.4
31. Arabic	72	2.8	12.5	13.9	23.6	8.3	16.7	8.3	8.3	2.8	1.4	-	1.4	-	-
32. Japanese	7	42.9	14.3	-	-	14.3	-	-	-	-	14.3	-	14.3	-	-
33. Music	1,099	5.0	10.9	14.8	18.1	17.7	13.2	9.6	4.9	2.3	2.0	0.6	0.5	0.2	-
34. Russian	51	78.4	9.8	5.9	-	3.9	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source: State Examinations Commission



TABLE 5.25 - LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
HIGHER LEVEL PAPERS - FEMALE

SUBJECT	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING														TOTAL
	Grade A1	Grade A2	Grade B1	Grade B2	Grade B3	Grade C1	Grade C2	Grade C3	Grade D1	Grade D2	Grade D3	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade	
1. Irish	625	791	1,013	1,154	1,249	1,215	1,185	972	722	458	262	81	1	-	9,728
2. English	895	1,294	1,111	1,789	2,479	2,243	2,582	2,468	1,686	1,151	780	187	14	-	18,679
3. Latin	4	7	3	2	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	-	-	-	28
4. Ancient Greek	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
5. French	545	604	754	898	962	1,048	1,077	1,112	930	679	521	219	14	-	9,363
6. German	246	263	326	350	327	376	291	288	200	120	86	32	1	-	2,906
7. Italian	21	16	16	14	14	13	16	10	10	2	3	-	-	-	135
8. Spanish	66	58	62	89	85	97	97	73	85	53	37	14	-	-	816
9. History	247	197	235	291	301	277	318	314	185	203	248	154	57	12	3,039
10. Geography	435	701	672	1,153	1,455	1,335	1,240	1,079	864	615	539	335	32	2	10,457
11. Mathematics	329	368	464	547	581	576	523	442	357	259	213	127	24	3	4,813
12. Applied Mathematics	27	29	15	34	44	27	41	28	15	15	19	20	13	3	330
13. Physics	207	202	173	191	135	141	115	126	90	81	117	82	27	4	1,691
14. Chemistry	396	387	378	375	349	329	259	249	191	188	182	137	58	10	3,488
15. Physics & Chemistry	36	20	28	28	22	21	17	13	12	6	5	4	1	-	213
16. Biology	630	876	985	1,242	1,288	1,240	1,374	1,300	992	873	865	596	98	10	12,369
17. Agricultural Science	52	62	67	70	96	104	91	64	66	46	59	45	6	-	828
18. Agricultural Economics	2	3	1	3	1	1	2	5	-	3	3	5	1	-	30
19. Home Economics (S & S)	206	458	667	953	1,151	1,242	1,218	1,044	804	588	410	192	15	2	8,950
20. Home Economics (General)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21. Accounting	223	386	459	410	335	216	208	126	122	78	95	83	41	6	2,788
22. Business Studies	364	558	574	714	875	715	775	807	503	517	643	427	88	4	7,564
23. Economics	56	125	109	159	163	163	140	134	105	92	104	53	27	3	1,433
24. Economic History	-	6	-	6	8	3	7	15	6	7	11	7	1	2	79
25. Art	40	189	443	660	739	844	757	594	405	256	127	37	1	1	5,093
26. Engineering	8	12	10	15	20	13	16	14	11	10	13	12	1	-	155
27. Technical Drawing	14	19	29	25	42	29	25	26	18	15	14	7	-	-	263
28. Construction Studies	3	15	43	34	66	50	57	56	31	34	14	14	2	-	419
29. Religious Education	5	9	4	4	15	7	4	7	-	1	1	-	-	-	57
30. Classical Studies	16	35	30	54	39	45	27	37	21	30	21	10	6	-	371
31. Arabic	1	11	7	7	7	6	4	3	2	3	1	2	-	-	54
32. Japanese	8	2	3	4	4	-	3	2	1	3	1	2	-	-	33
33. Music	147	383	572	606	539	370	260	133	63	33	18	3	1	-	3,128
34. Russian	51	4	3	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.26 — LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF CANDIDATES BY GRADE AWARDED IN EACH SUBJECT  
HIGHER LEVEL PAPERS - FEMALE**

SUBJECT	Total Number of Candidates	Grade A1	Grade A2	Grade B1	Grade B2	Grade B3	Grade C1	Grade C2	Grade C3	Grade D1	Grade D2	Grade D3	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade
1. Irish	9,728	6.4	8.1	10.4	11.9	12.8	12.5	12.2	10.0	7.4	4.7	2.7	0.8	-	-
2. English	18,679	4.8	6.9	5.9	9.6	13.3	12.0	13.8	13.2	9.0	6.2	4.2	1.0	0.1	-
3. Latin	28	14.3	25.0	10.7	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	3.6	7.1	3.6	7.1	-	-	-
4. Ancient Greek	2	50.0	-	-	-	-	-	50.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. French	9,363	5.8	6.5	8.1	9.6	10.3	11.2	11.5	11.9	9.9	7.3	5.6	2.3	0.1	-
6. German	2,906	8.5	9.1	11.2	12.0	11.3	12.9	10.0	9.9	6.9	4.1	3.0	1.1	-	-
7. Italian	135	15.6	11.9	11.9	10.4	10.4	9.6	11.9	7.4	7.4	1.5	2.2	-	-	-
8. Spanish	816	8.1	7.1	7.6	10.9	10.4	11.9	11.9	8.9	10.4	6.5	4.5	1.7	-	-
9. History	3,039	8.1	6.5	7.7	9.6	9.9	9.1	10.5	10.3	6.1	6.7	8.2	5.1	1.9	0.4
10. Geography	10,457	4.2	6.7	6.4	11.0	13.9	12.8	11.9	10.3	8.3	5.9	5.2	3.2	0.3	-
11. Mathematics	4,813	6.8	7.6	9.6	11.4	12.1	12.0	10.9	9.2	7.4	5.4	4.4	2.6	0.5	0.1
12. Applied Mathematics	330	8.2	8.8	4.5	10.3	13.3	8.2	12.4	8.5	4.5	4.5	5.8	6.1	3.9	0.9
13. Physics	1,691	12.2	11.9	10.2	11.3	8.0	8.3	6.8	7.5	5.3	4.8	6.9	4.8	1.6	0.2
14. Chemistry	3,488	11.4	11.1	10.8	10.8	10.0	9.4	7.4	7.1	5.5	5.4	5.2	3.9	1.7	0.3
15. Physics & Chemistry	213	16.9	9.4	13.1	13.1	10.3	9.9	8.0	6.1	5.6	2.8	2.3	1.9	0.5	-
16. Biology	12,369	5.1	7.1	8.0	10.0	10.4	10.0	11.1	10.5	8.0	7.1	7.0	4.8	0.8	0.1
17. Agricultural Science	828	6.3	7.5	8.1	8.5	11.6	12.6	11.0	7.7	8.0	5.6	7.1	5.4	0.7	-
18. Agricultural Economics	30	6.7	10.0	3.3	10.0	3.3	3.3	6.7	16.7	-	10.0	10.0	16.7	3.3	-
19. Home Economics (S & S)	8,950	2.3	5.1	7.5	10.6	12.9	13.9	13.6	11.7	9.0	6.6	4.6	2.1	0.2	-
20. Home Economics (General)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21. Accounting	2,788	8.0	13.8	16.5	14.7	12.0	7.7	7.5	4.5	4.4	2.8	3.4	3.0	1.5	0.2
22. Business Studies	7,564	4.8	7.4	7.6	9.4	11.6	9.5	10.2	10.7	6.6	6.8	8.5	5.6	1.2	0.1
23. Economics	1,433	3.9	8.7	7.6	11.1	11.4	11.4	9.8	9.4	7.3	6.4	7.3	3.7	1.9	0.2
24. Economic History	79	-	7.6	-	7.6	10.1	3.8	8.9	19.0	7.6	8.9	13.9	8.9	1.3	2.5
25. Art	5,093	0.8	3.7	8.7	13.0	14.5	16.6	14.9	11.7	8.0	5.0	2.5	0.7	-	-
26. Engineering	155	5.2	7.7	6.5	9.7	12.9	8.4	10.3	9.0	7.1	6.5	8.4	7.7	0.6	-
27. Technical Drawing	263	5.3	7.2	11.0	9.5	16.0	11.0	9.5	9.9	6.8	5.7	5.3	2.7	-	-
28. Construction Studies	419	0.7	3.6	10.3	8.1	15.8	11.9	13.6	13.4	7.4	8.1	3.3	3.3	0.5	-
29. Religious Education	57	8.8	15.8	7.0	7.0	26.3	12.3	7.0	12.3	-	1.8	1.8	-	-	-
30. Classical Studies	371	4.3	9.4	8.1	14.6	10.5	12.1	7.3	10.0	5.7	8.1	5.7	2.7	1.6	-
31. Arabic	54	1.9	20.4	13.0	13.0	13.0	11.1	7.4	5.6	3.7	5.6	1.9	3.7	-	-
32. Japanese	33	24.2	6.1	9.1	12.1	12.1	-	9.1	6.1	3.0	9.1	3.0	6.1	-	-
33. Music	3,128	4.7	12.2	18.3	19.4	17.2	11.8	8.3	4.3	2.0	1.1	0.6	0.1	-	-
34. Russian	60	85.0	6.7	5.0	-	-	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source: State Examinations Commission

TABLE 5.27 - LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
HIGHER LEVEL PAPERS - MALE & FEMALE

SUBJECT	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES RECEIVING														TOTAL
	Grade A1	Grade A2	Grade B1	Grade B2	Grade B3	Grade C1	Grade C2	Grade C3	Grade D1	Grade D2	Grade D3	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade	
1. Irish	842	1,093	1,393	1,638	1,802	1,835	1,780	1,542	1,147	743	407	126	5	1	14,354
2. English	1,366	1,958	1,732	2,884	4,059	3,758	4,511	4,426	3,195	2,230	1,674	508	38	5	32,344
3. Latin	14	12	11	9	15	9	9	4	3	5	4	1	2	-	98
4. Ancient Greek	2	2	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
5. French	754	846	1,063	1,270	1,455	1,613	1,734	1,781	1,563	1,161	950	393	28	-	14,611
6. German	346	363	467	512	529	591	535	503	366	234	171	69	2	-	4,688
7. Italian	22	17	21	18	21	14	21	12	13	4	4	-	-	-	167
8. Spanish	85	78	88	118	108	135	136	109	129	78	51	20	-	-	1,135
9. History	447	391	440	562	629	585	656	692	433	465	568	344	128	37	6,377
10. Geography	715	1,208	1,200	2,158	2,692	2,606	2,569	2,309	1,891	1,470	1,238	768	102	14	20,940
11. Mathematics	777	765	944	1,070	1,107	1,113	1,039	887	700	563	468	315	82	11	9,841
12. Applied Mathematics	140	145	73	124	164	96	123	116	61	56	75	64	46	8	1,291
13. Physics	590	542	521	543	497	408	394	454	324	328	423	316	140	23	5,503
14. Chemistry	698	653	653	598	576	551	444	463	321	332	340	283	95	25	6,032
15. Physics & Chemistry	68	45	52	70	58	50	43	38	26	28	35	22	12	2	549
16. Biology	887	1,198	1,378	1,678	1,815	1,766	1,934	1,825	1,446	1,227	1,275	886	149	18	17,482
17. Agricultural Science	115	158	180	233	290	310	289	285	237	176	189	140	20	1	2,623
18. Agricultural Economics	3	9	4	6	3	6	8	9	8	12	8	10	3	-	89
19. Home Economics (S & S)	216	483	708	1,003	1,217	1,327	1,341	1,145	914	648	477	223	18	4	9,724
20. Home Economics (General)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21. Accounting	369	690	793	707	635	370	373	242	234	160	190	188	111	30	5,092
22. Business Studies	565	932	987	1,217	1,478	1,292	1,366	1,461	920	990	1,226	787	172	10	13,403
23. Economics	117	317	266	389	414	414	382	360	258	229	324	141	62	7	3,680
24. Economic History	4	17	-	24	37	15	30	47	24	20	32	24	8	7	289
25. Art	52	250	575	842	1,038	1,201	1,183	967	701	445	298	77	2	2	7,633
26. Engineering	129	235	298	388	381	418	392	356	291	218	190	121	18	-	3,435
27. Technical Drawing	200	242	245	293	359	357	307	306	284	188	159	107	13	-	3,060
28. Construction Studies	126	341	614	772	972	916	909	741	537	383	260	133	15	-	6,719
29. Religious Education	8	11	5	7	16	10	5	9	2	2	1	-	-	-	76
30. Classical Studies	24	51	57	83	85	81	69	71	42	60	48	41	19	5	736
31. Arabic	3	20	17	24	13	18	10	9	4	4	1	3	-	-	126
32. Japanese	11	3	3	4	5	-	3	2	1	4	1	3	-	-	40
33. Music	202	503	735	805	734	515	366	187	88	55	25	9	3	-	4,227
34. Russian	91	9	6	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	111

Source: State Examinations Commission

**TABLE 5.28 — LEAVING CERTIFICATE RESULTS 2005  
PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF CANDIDATES BY GRADE AWARDED IN EACH SUBJECT  
HIGHER LEVEL PAPERS - MALE & FEMALE**

SUBJECT	Total Number of Candidates	Grade A1	Grade A2	Grade B1	Grade B2	Grade B3	Grade C1	Grade C2	Grade C3	Grade D1	Grade D2	Grade D3	Grade E	Grade F	No Grade
1. Irish	14,354	5.9	7.6	9.7	11.4	12.6	12.8	12.4	10.7	8.0	5.2	2.8	0.9	-	-
2. English	32,344	4.2	6.1	5.4	8.9	12.5	11.6	13.9	13.7	9.9	6.9	5.2	1.6	0.1	-
3. Latin	98	14.3	12.2	11.2	9.2	15.3	9.2	9.2	4.1	3.1	5.1	4.1	1.0	2.0	-
4. Ancient Greek	8	25.0	25.0	25.0	-	12.5	-	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. French	14,611	5.2	5.8	7.3	8.7	10.0	11.0	11.9	12.2	10.7	7.9	6.5	2.7	0.2	-
6. German	4,688	7.4	7.7	10.0	10.9	11.3	12.6	11.4	10.7	7.8	5.0	3.6	1.5	-	-
7. Italian	167	13.2	10.2	12.6	10.8	12.6	8.4	12.6	7.2	7.8	2.4	2.4	-	-	-
8. Spanish	1,135	7.5	6.9	7.8	10.4	9.5	11.9	12.0	9.6	11.4	6.9	4.5	1.8	-	-
9. History	6,377	7.0	6.1	6.9	8.8	9.9	9.2	10.3	10.9	6.8	7.3	8.9	5.4	2.0	0.6
10. Geography	20,940	3.4	5.8	5.7	10.3	12.9	12.4	12.3	11.0	9.0	7.0	5.9	3.7	0.5	0.1
11. Mathematics	9,841	7.9	7.8	9.6	10.9	11.2	11.3	10.6	9.0	7.1	5.7	4.8	3.2	0.8	0.1
12. Applied Mathematics	1,291	10.8	11.2	5.7	9.6	12.7	7.4	9.5	9.0	4.7	4.3	5.8	5.0	3.6	0.6
13. Physics	5,503	10.7	9.8	9.5	9.9	9.0	7.4	7.2	8.3	5.9	6.0	7.7	5.7	2.5	0.4
14. Chemistry	6,032	11.6	10.8	10.8	9.9	9.5	9.1	7.4	7.7	5.3	5.5	5.6	4.7	1.6	0.4
15. Physics & Chemistry	549	12.4	8.2	9.5	12.8	10.6	9.1	7.8	6.9	4.7	5.1	6.4	4.0	2.2	0.4
16. Biology	17,482	5.1	6.9	7.9	9.6	10.4	10.1	11.1	10.4	8.3	7.0	7.3	5.1	0.9	0.1
17. Agricultural Science	2,623	4.4	6.0	6.9	8.9	11.1	11.8	11.0	10.9	9.0	6.7	7.2	5.3	0.8	-
18. Agricultural Economics	89	3.4	10.1	4.5	6.7	3.4	6.7	9.0	10.1	9.0	13.5	9.0	11.2	3.4	-
19. Home Economics (S & S)	9,724	2.2	5.0	7.3	10.3	12.5	13.6	13.8	11.8	9.4	6.7	4.9	2.3	0.2	-
20. Home Economics (General)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21. Accounting	5,092	7.2	13.6	15.6	13.9	12.5	7.3	7.3	4.8	4.6	3.1	3.7	3.7	2.2	0.6
22. Business Studies	13,403	4.2	7.0	7.4	9.1	11.0	9.6	10.2	10.9	6.9	7.4	9.1	5.9	1.3	0.1
23. Economics	3,680	3.2	8.6	7.2	10.6	11.3	11.3	10.4	9.8	7.0	6.2	8.8	3.8	1.7	0.2
24. Economic History	289	1.4	5.9	-	8.3	12.8	5.2	10.4	16.3	8.3	6.9	11.1	8.3	2.8	2.4
25. Art	7,633	0.7	3.3	7.5	11.0	13.6	15.7	15.5	12.7	9.2	5.8	3.9	1.0	-	-
26. Engineering	3,435	3.8	6.8	8.7	11.3	11.1	12.2	11.4	10.4	8.5	6.3	5.5	3.5	0.5	-
27. Technical Drawing	3,060	6.5	7.9	8.0	9.6	11.7	11.7	10.0	10.0	9.3	6.1	5.2	3.5	0.4	-
28. Construction Studies	6,719	1.9	5.1	9.1	11.5	14.5	13.6	13.5	11.0	8.0	5.7	3.9	2.0	0.2	-
29. Religious Education	76	10.5	14.5	6.6	9.2	21.1	13.2	6.6	11.8	2.6	2.6	1.3	-	-	-
30. Classical Studies	736	3.3	6.9	7.7	11.3	11.5	11.0	9.4	9.6	5.7	8.2	6.5	5.6	2.6	0.7
31. Arabic	126	2.4	15.9	13.5	19.1	10.3	14.3	7.9	7.1	3.2	3.2	0.8	2.4	-	-
32. Japanese	40	27.5	7.5	7.5	10.0	12.5	-	7.5	5.0	2.5	10.0	2.5	7.5	-	-
33. Music	4,227	4.8	11.9	17.4	19.0	17.4	12.2	8.7	4.4	2.1	1.3	0.6	0.2	0.1	-
34. Russian	111	82.0	8.1	5.4	-	1.8	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Source: State Examinations Commission

# **Section 6**

**Special Schools for Young Offenders  
(Industrial and Reformatory Schools)**



**TABLE 6.1 - NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN CARE ON 30th JUNE, 2005  
UNDER THE HEALTH ACT, 1953 (SECTION 55)**

**STATEMENT showing (a) number of committed children in care, (b) number of children on remand, (c) number of children admitted under Section 55 Health Act, 1953**

SPECIAL SCHOOLS	(a) Committed		(b) On Remand		(c) Health Act		Total		Grand Total
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	
Trinity House, Lusk	17	-	1	-	-	-	18	-	18
Finglas Children's Centre	8	-	7	-	-	-	15	-	15
St. Joseph's, Clonmel	4	-	-	-	24	-	28	-	28
Oberstown Boys Centre, Lusk	12	-	2	-	-	-	14	-	14
Oberstown Girls Centre, Lusk	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	5	5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>80</b>

**\* TABLE 6.2 - CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH CHILDREN WERE COMMITTED TO CARE DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDED 30th JUNE, 2005, UNDER THE CHILDREN ACTS, 1908 to 1957**

BASIS OF COMMITMENT	Special Schools		
	Boys	Girls	Total
Indictable offences	41	5	46
School attendance	-	-	-
Out of parental control	-	-	-
Section 58 (4), Childrens Act 1908	-	-	-
High Court Civil Judicial Review	2	-	2
Ward of Court	-	-	-
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>48</b>

**\* TABLE 6.3 - DESTINATION OF CHILDREN DISCHARGED DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDED 30th JUNE, 2005**

MODE OF DISCHARGE	Special Schools		
	Boys	Girls	Total
To parents or guardians	24	1	25
To other Detention Centre	5	-	5
Remaining in care for further education	11	-	11
To Health Services Executive	-	1	1
Prison Service	7	-	7
Other reason	4	-	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>53</b>

\* Tables 6.2 and 6.3 refer only to children committed to care directly by the courts under the Children Acts, 1908 (Part IV), for whom the Department of Education and Science is responsible. Children placed in care for the purposes of remand pursuant to Part V of the Children Act, 1908 or by the Health Services Executive under the Health Act are not included.

**TABLE 6.4 - EDUCATIONAL AND OTHER ARRANGEMENTS FOR CHILDREN IN CARE IN SPECIAL SCHOOLS FOR YOUNG OFFENDERS ON 30th JUNE, 2005**

	Boys	Girls	Total
Number attending school on the premises:			
Primary	22	-	22
Second-level	53	4	57
Number attending school or college outside the premises:			
Primary	-	-	-
Second-level	-	-	-
Number in employment	-	-	-
Other areas (Work Experience)	-	1	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>80</b>

**TABLE 6.5 - AGES OF CHILDREN IN SPECIAL SCHOOLS FOR YOUNG OFFENDERS**

Age on June 30th, 2005	Committed		On Remand		Health Act		Total		Grand Total
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	
11 and under	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	3
12	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	3
13	-	-	2	-	6	-	8	-	8
14	6	1	2	-	5	-	13	1	14
15	20	1	6	1	3	-	29	2	31
16	13	1	-	1	4	-	17	2	19
17 and over	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>80</b>



**TABLE 6.6 - COUNTY OF ORIGIN OF CHILDREN IN SPECIAL SCHOOLS FOR YOUNG OFFENDERS ON 30th JUNE, 2005**

COUNTY OR PLACE OF ORIGIN	Committed		On Remand		Health Act		Total		Grand Total
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	
Carlow	1	-	-	-	3	-	4	-	4
Cavan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clare	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Cork	6	-	1	-	5	-	12	-	12
Donegal	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Dublin	15	-	5	2	5	-	25	2	27
Galway	1	2	-	-	-	-	1	2	3
Kerry	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Kildare	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	2
Kilkenny	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Laois	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leitrim	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Limerick	4	1	-	-	1	-	5	1	6
Longford	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Louth	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	2
Mayo	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Meath	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	2
Monaghan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offaly	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	2
Roscommon	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Sligo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tipperary	3	-	1	-	1	-	5	-	5
Waterford	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1
Westmeath	2	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	3
Wexford	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	2
Wicklow	-	-	1	-	2	-	3	-	3
Other Countries	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>80</b>

**TABLE 6.7 - STAFF NUMBERS IN SPECIAL SCHOOLS FOR YOUNG OFFENDERS ON 30th JUNE, 2005**

GRADE	Number in Grade		Total
	Full-time	Part-time	
Administrative/Clerical Staff	20	12	32
Care Staff	191	41	232
Domestic/Maintenance Staff	52	29	81
* Management	40	2	42
Night Supervisor	61	13	74
Teachers	38	1	39
Other Staff	15	6	21
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>521</b>

\* Management figures include Directors and Deputy Directors employed by the schools for young offenders.

**TABLE 6.8 - STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FROM DEPARTMENTAL FUNDS ON SPECIAL SCHOOLS FOR YOUNG OFFENDERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 2004**

Subhead Title	Expenditure (€)
Special Schools (operating costs) *	27,831,630
Transport Services & Child Care Courses	407,428
Building and Equipment Grants (Capital Expenditure)	2,048,082
Superannuation	346,052
<b>Gross Total</b>	<b>30,633,192</b>
Deduct Receipts	1,607,311
<b>NET TOTAL</b>	<b>29,025,881</b>

\* Operating costs includes expenditure on salaries of all staff including Directors, Deputy Directors and Teachers. Receipts includes all income from other sources including that from the Local Authorities in respect of children committed to care pursuant to the Children Acts, 1908 to 1989 and from the Health Boards in respect of children in care in accordance with the Health Act.

# **Section 7**

## **Third Level Education Statistics**



**TABLE 7.1 - NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN FULL-TIME THIRD LEVEL COURSES BY AGE AND TYPE OF INSTITUTION - MALE AND FEMALE**

Type of Institution	AGE (ON 1ST JANUARY, 2005)										TOTAL
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25 & over	
<b>AIDED BY DEPT OF EDUCATION &amp; SCIENCE:</b>											
<b>H.E.A. Institutions (Aided)*</b>	-	1,628	9,355	13,709	14,367	11,838	7,297	4,019	2,930	13,827	78,970
<b>Teacher Training Colleges:</b>											
<i>Primary</i>	-	13	108	176	149	79	26	28	19	78	676
<i>Home Economics</i>	-	12	23	66	49	45	41	16	8	154	414
<b>Technological Colleges:</b>											
<i>Institutes of Technology</i>	4	1,543	7,358	9,916	9,719	7,963	5,199	2,762	1,566	5,629	51,659
<i>Killybegs H.T.C. and Tipperary Institute</i>	14	46	67	91	76	61	39	29	16	131	570
<b>Other Aided Institutions</b>	-	43	173	280	278	227	157	49	21	174	1,402
<b>Aided by Other Depts (Defence/Justice)</b>	-	2	20	44	102	196	229	226	177	323	1,319
<b>Non-Aided:</b>											
<i>Religious Institutions</i>	-	13	82	107	84	111	52	26	18	491	984
<i>Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland*</i>	-	10	99	165	278	230	192	176	132	387	1,669
<i>Other</i>	1	57	384	654	648	756	762	711	509	1,401	5,883
<b>TOTAL - Third Level</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>3,367</b>	<b>17,669</b>	<b>25,208</b>	<b>25,750</b>	<b>21,506</b>	<b>13,994</b>	<b>8,042</b>	<b>5,396</b>	<b>22,595</b>	<b>143,546</b>
<i>of which aided by Dept of Ed. &amp; Science</i>	18	3,285	17,084	24,238	24,638	20,213	12,759	6,903	4,560	19,993	133,691

\* Data Source: Higher Education Authority

**TABLE 7.2 - DOMICILARY ORIGIN OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN FULL-TIME THIRD LEVEL COURSES  
BY TYPE OF INSTITUTION**

County	Sector	Teacher Training		*Higher Education Authority	Institutes of Technology and Other Technological Colleges	Other Aided by Department of Education & Science	Aided by Other Departments	Non-Aided	Total
	Primary	Home Economics							
<b>Connaught</b>									
Galway		31	33	5,570	2,960	14	88	159	8,855
Leitrim		11	36	529	525	7	15	23	1,146
Mayo		41	45	2,361	2,304	24	65	75	4,915
Roscommon		9	53	1,022	1,043	10	27	37	2,201
Sligo		5	60	1,060	1,213	10	32	35	2,415
<b>Leinster</b>									
Carlow		17	2	796	765	5	18	106	1,709
Dublin		192	22	17,368	9,546	562	230	2,353	30,273
Kildare		40	4	2,982	1,761	103	75	250	5,215
Kilkenny		19	5	1,305	1,196	17	23	93	2,658
Laois		14	6	928	744	16	21	58	1,787
Longford		7	5	646	578	18	16	33	1,303
Louth		7	5	1,157	1,796	34	29	82	3,110
Meath		35	4	2,191	1,909	62	40	196	4,437
Offaly		12	9	924	868	17	35	72	1,937
Westmeath		16	4	1,202	1,272	18	34	79	2,625
Wexford		28	5	1,486	1,801	27	34	103	3,484
Wicklow		31	6	2,252	1,202	60	31	187	3,769
<b>Munster</b>									
Clare		6	7	2,509	1,348	10	53	70	4,003
Cork		31	18	10,625	5,338	12	167	239	16,430
Kerry		16	7	2,726	2,537	8	61	86	5,441
Limerick		5	13	4,023	2,139	5	64	179	6,428
Tipperary		16	10	2,672	2,032	14	78	114	4,936
Waterford		6	5	1,468	1,601	8	27	49	3,164
<b>Ulster</b>									
Antrim		-	-	302	10	2	-	4	318
Armagh		-	-	131	6	3	-	5	145
Cavan		24	15	832	995	13	13	43	1,935
Derry		-	-	152	8	7	-	6	173
Donegal		41	30	1,308	2,101	20	28	52	3,580
Down		-	-	226	18	6	-	7	257
Fermanagh		-	5	67	9	-	-	3	84
Monaghan		16	-	585	851	15	15	42	1,524
Tyrone		-	-	109	8	1	-	6	124
Unspecified (Ire)		-	-	276	-	-	-	-	276
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>676</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>71,790</b>	<b>50,484</b>	<b>1,128</b>	<b>1,319</b>	<b>4,846</b>	<b>130,657</b>
<i>of which N. Ireland</i>		-	5	987	59	19	-	31	1,101
<b>European Union</b>									
Austria		-	-	28	21	-	-	1	50
Belgium		-	-	51	12	-	-	2	65
Cyprus		-	-	7	1	-	-	20	28
Czech Republic		-	-	16	13	-	-	1	30
Denmark		-	-	22	3	-	-	1	26
Estonia		-	-	4	3	-	-	-	7
Finland		-	-	31	43	1	-	1	76
France		-	-	338	306	-	-	56	700
Germany		-	-	401	240	-	-	19	660
Great Britain		-	-	859	246	6	-	42	1,153
Greece		-	-	45	4	-	-	4	53
Hungary		-	-	12	3	-	-	2	17
Italy		-	-	146	43	-	-	10	199
Latvia		-	-	9	1	-	-	8	18
Lithuania		-	-	9	6	1	-	5	21
Luxembourg		-	-	8	1	-	-	1	10
Malta		-	-	6	-	1	-	2	9
Netherlands		-	-	56	23	-	-	1	80
Poland		-	-	69	40	-	-	11	120
Portugal		-	-	14	2	-	-	1	17
Slovakia		-	-	6	2	-	-	4	12
Slovenia		-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
Spain		-	-	130	199	-	-	21	350
Sweden		-	-	46	27	-	-	17	90
<b>TOTAL E.U.</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,315</b>	<b>1,239</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>3,793</b>
<b>Rest of Europe</b>									
America		-	-	268	37	4	-	203	512
U.S.A.		-	-	2,029	25	-	-	114	2,168
Canada		-	-	242	3	2	-	112	359
Other America		-	-	68	2	-	-	25	95
Africa		-	-	412	58	18	-	226	714
Asia		-	-	1,670	372	11	-	2,466	4,519
Australasia		-	-	44	5	-	-	25	74
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,733</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3,171</b>	<b>8,441</b>
Origin Unknown		-	-	132	4	230	-	289	655
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>676</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>78,970</b>	<b>52,229</b>	<b>1,402</b>	<b>1,319</b>	<b>8,536</b>	<b>143,546</b>

\* Data source: Higher Education Authority

**TABLE 7.3-STUDENTS FROM IRELAND & NORTHERN IRELAND ENROLLED IN FULL-TIME THIRD LEVEL COURSES  
IN INSTITUTIONS AIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION & SCIENCE BY COUNTY OF ORIGIN AND COUNTY OF STUDY**

COUNTY OF ORIGIN	COUNTY OF STUDY													Total
	Westmeath	Carlow	Cork	Donegal	Dublin	Louth	Galway	Kerry	Kildare	Limerick	Sligo	Waterford	Tipperary	
<b>Connaught</b>														
Galway	489	24	163	33	982	11	5,576	37	139	862	250	39	3	8,608
Leitrim	56	6	10	37	339	12	217	1	59	50	313	7	1	1,108
Mayo	132	21	60	91	1,061	12	2,170	14	120	363	702	25	4	4,775
Roscommon	314	9	24	27	501	8	665	7	80	128	363	9	2	2,137
Sligo	34	7	26	89	476	10	639	2	88	90	882	5	-	2,348
<b>Leinster</b>														
Carlow	5	416	44	2	707	6	63	8	111	52	8	162	1	1,585
Dublin	61	134	247	25	24,856	296	307	19	1,381	196	58	109	1	27,690
Kildare	51	375	69	5	2,836	30	172	9	1,006	135	29	167	6	4,890
Kilkenny	6	186	329	2	813	6	87	4	117	293	6	680	13	2,542
Laois	88	205	58	1	689	8	166	12	103	169	9	186	14	1,708
Longford	203	12	13	12	489	10	198	3	98	47	156	13	-	1,254
Louth	21	19	30	14	1,177	1,375	88	-	201	28	23	22	1	2,999
Meath	138	47	38	20	2,635	448	190	10	445	90	70	67	3	4,201
Offaly	393	66	44	8	561	8	284	9	143	205	36	64	9	1,830
Westmeath	832	15	22	5	800	28	409	6	184	130	54	26	1	2,512
Wexford	8	332	198	4	1,376	6	73	6	143	174	8	1,015	4	3,347
Wicklow	13	164	44	7	2,906	13	79	10	99	55	10	151	-	3,551
<b>Munster</b>														
Clare	47	20	349	10	354	5	902	114	49	1,912	39	72	7	3,880
Cork	17	32	12,014	9	1,004	15	341	345	64	1,796	31	343	13	16,024
Kerry	13	14	1,686	5	539	5	307	1,428	54	1,149	15	76	3	5,294
Limerick	15	17	758	1	513	6	400	255	45	4,023	23	121	8	6,185
Tipperary	59	91	1,039	6	786	10	323	56	101	1,371	12	625	265	4,744
Waterford	3	34	812	1	533	2	71	20	42	316	9	1,237	8	3,088
<b>Ulster</b>														
Antrim	-	-	8	1	261	2	31	-	7	4	-	-	-	314
Armagh	-	-	1	-	123	2	9	-	4	1	-	-	-	140
Cavan	143	22	15	36	907	191	179	2	117	29	215	22	1	1,879
Derry	-	-	1	-	141	-	17	-	6	2	-	-	-	167
Donegal	27	4	26	1,422	759	20	686	3	166	73	299	12	3	3,500
Down	-	1	2	-	216	11	13	-	5	2	-	-	-	250
Fermanagh	1	-	-	-	60	-	14	-	-	-	6	-	-	81
Monaghan	56	20	13	86	622	377	67	6	90	31	86	11	2	1,467
Tyrone	-	-	2	1	97	1	10	-	3	2	1	1	-	118
Unspecified	-	-	-	-	274	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	276
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>3,225</b>	<b>2,293</b>	<b>18,145</b>	<b>1,960</b>	<b>50,393</b>	<b>2,934</b>	<b>14,755</b>	<b>2,386</b>	<b>5,270</b>	<b>13,778</b>	<b>3,713</b>	<b>5,267</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>124,492</b>
of which N. Ireland	1	1	14	2	898	16	94	-	25	11	7	1	-	1,070

**TABLE 7.4 - NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN THIRD LEVEL COURSES IN INSTITUTIONS AIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND SCIENCE BY INSTITUTION AND MODE OF STUDY**

<b>INSTITUTIONS</b>	<b>Full-time enrolments</b>	<b>Part-time enrolments (third-level only)</b>
<b>Higher Education Authority*</b>	<b>78,970</b>	<b>16,166</b>
University College Cork - National University of Ireland, Cork	13,611	1,603
University College Dublin - National University of Ireland, Dublin	16,314	6,145
National University of Ireland, Galway	11,661	2,885
Trinity College, Dublin	12,679	2,242
National University of Ireland, Maynooth	5,109	694
Dublin City University	6,041	1,089
** University of Limerick	10,428	1,052
† St. Patrick's Teacher Training College, Drumcondra	1,957	234
Mater Dei Institute, Clonliffe Road, Dublin	327	187
National College of Art & Design	843	35
<b>Institutes of Technology/Other Technological Colleges</b>	<b>52,229</b>	<b>15,200</b>
Dublin Institute of Technology	10,353	5,328
Athlone Institute of Technology	3,269	276
Institute of Technology, Carlow	2,474	601
Cork Institute of Technology	6,205	3,344
Dundalk Institute of Technology	3,072	735
Galway - Mayo Institute of Technology	4,338	1,136
Letterkenny Institute of Technology	1,891	119
Limerick Institute of Technology	3,627	152
Institute of Technology, Sligo	3,472	465
Institute of Technology, Tallaght	2,364	693
Institute of Technology, Tralee	2,477	321
Waterford Institute of Technology	5,598	1,511
Dun Laoghaire Institute of Art, Design and Technology	1,423	71
Institute of Technology, Blanchardstown	1,096	318
Tipperary Institute	378	78
Hotel Training & Catering College, Killybegs, Co. Donegal	192	52
<b>Other Colleges</b>	<b>2,492</b>	<b>3,143</b>
Coláiste Mhuire, Marino, Dublin	371	-
Church of Ireland College of Education, Rathmines	91	-
Froebel College of Education, Blackrock, Co. Dublin	214	-
St. Angela's College, Lough Gill, Co. Sligo	337	243
St. Catherine's College, Sion Hill, Co. Dublin	77	-
National College of Ireland	1,070	2,882
Pontifical College, Maynooth, Co. Kildare	332	18
<b>OVERALL TOTAL</b>	<b>133,691</b>	<b>34,509</b>

Note: Full-time enrolments include both undergraduates and postgraduates as well as students from outside the State.

\* Data source: Higher Education Authority

\*\* Figures for Mary Immaculate College Limerick are included in the University of Limerick figures.

† Of the 1,957 full-time students at St. Patrick's Teacher Training College 1,210 were attending the Bachelor of Education degree course.



**TABLE 7.5 - ENTRANTS TO THIRD LEVEL COURSES IN ALL INSTITUTIONS (INCLUDING NON-AIDED) BY SEX, TYPE OF INSTITUTION AND SECTOR OF ORIGIN**

From	Second Level Courses within the State			Educational Institutions Outside the State			Outside the Educational System **			Unknown			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
H.E.A. Institutions *															
Aided Only ***										7,070	10,490	17,560	7,070	10,490	17,560
Other(R.C.S.I.) ***										173	188	361	173	188	361
Technological Sector	7,608	6,464	14,072	65	103	168	197	152	349	835	719	1,554	8,705	7,438	16,143
Other Aided Institutions	62	348	410	-	-	-	-	-	-	158	190	348	220	538	758
Aided By Other Depts/Private Colleges	41	135	176	28	30	58	53	53	106	1,232	863	2,095	1,354	1,081	2,435
TOTAL (excluding H.E.A.)	7,711	6,947	14,658	93	133	226	250	205	455	2,225	1,772	3,997	10,279	9,057	19,336
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>													<b>17,522</b>	<b>19,735</b>	<b>37,257</b>

\* Entrants in H.E.A. institutions relate to undergraduate courses only. A small number of entrants to H.E.A. colleges were following full-time third level courses in non-H.E.A. colleges in 2003/2004. However, data in respect of non-H.E.A. institutions exclude transfers from H.E.A. colleges. Data in respect of H.E.A. institutions were not available in the classifications specified.

\*\* Students who did not come directly from any educational institution within the State, i.e., who were not in any full-time course during the school year 2003/2004.

\*\*\* Data source: Higher Education Authority

R.C.S.I. = Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland

Note: M = Male, F = Female, T = Total.

**TABLE 7.6 - NUMBER OF ENTRANTS TO FULL-TIME THIRD LEVEL COURSES IN INSTITUTIONS AIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND SCIENCE BY INSTITUTION**

<b>INSTITUTIONS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>Higher Education Authority*</b>	<b>17,560</b>
University College Cork - National University of Ireland, Cork	3,108
University College Dublin - National University of Ireland, Dublin	3,578
National University of Ireland, Galway	2,495
Trinity College, Dublin	2,395
National University of Ireland, Maynooth	1,306
Dublin City University	1,479
** University of Limerick	2,367
† St. Patrick's Teacher Training College, Drumcondra	576
Mater Dei Institute, Clonliffe Road, Dublin	84
National College of Art & Design	172
<b>Institutes of Technology/Other Technological Colleges</b>	<b>16,143</b>
Dublin Institute of Technology	2,958
Athlone Institute of Technology	1,016
Institute of Technology, Carlow	732
Cork Institute of Technology	1,710
Dundalk Institute of Technology	1,029
Galway - Mayo Institute of Technology	1,366
Letterkenny Institute of Technology	704
Limerick Institute of Technology	1,187
Institute of Technology, Sligo	1,197
Institute of Technology, Tallaght	678
Institute of Technology, Tralee	716
Waterford Institute of Technology	1,819
Dun Laoghaire Institute of Art, Design and Technology	418
Institute of Technology, Blanchardstown	345
Tipperary Institute	126
Hotel Training & Catering College, Killybegs, Co. Donegal	142
<b>Other Colleges</b>	<b>758</b>
Coláiste Mhuire, Marino, Dublin	97
Church of Ireland College of Education, Rathmines	27
Froebel College of Education, Blackrock, Co. Dublin	63
St. Angela's College, Lough Gill, Co. Sligo	129
St. Catherine's College, Sion Hill, Co. Dublin	-
National College of Ireland	359
Pontifical College, Maynooth, Co. Kildare	83
<b>Overall Total</b>	<b>34,461</b>

Note: Entrants to postgraduate courses are excluded from the above data.

Some students returned as first-time entrants may have entered third level courses in the State in a previous year.

It is unlikely that more than 5% of entrants fall into this category.

\* Data source: Higher Education Authority

\*\* Figures for Mary Immaculate College Limerick are included in the University of Limerick figures.

† Of the 576 entrants of full-time undergraduate courses at St. Patrick's Teacher Training College, 395 entered the Bachelor of Education degree programme.

**TABLE 7.7 - NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN PART-TIME THIRD LEVEL AND SECOND LEVEL COURSES IN INSTITUTES OF TECHNOLOGY AND OTHER TECHNICAL COLLEGES AIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND SCIENCE BY INSTITUTE AND TYPE OF COURSE**

<b>Institutions</b>	<b>Third Level</b>	<b>Other Second Level / Further Education Courses</b>	<b>Junior and Leaving Certificate Courses</b>	<b>Adult Education</b>	<b>Apprentices</b>
Dublin Institute of Technology	5,328	*1,577	-	-	2,943
Athlone Institute of Technology	276	-	40	1,174	423
Institute of Technology, Carlow	601	739	-	-	277
Cork Institute of Technology	3,344	*2,973	56	811	2,329
Dundalk Institute of Technology	735	78	-	603	1,026
Galway - Mayo Institute of Technology	1,136	583	-	1,828	775
Letterkenny Institute of Technology	119	-	-	-	-
Limerick Institute of Technology	152	768	-	-	966
Institute of Technology, Sligo	465	-	-	209	955
Institute of Technology, Tallaght	693	52	-	369	-
Institute of Technology, Tralee	321	-	-	357	417
Waterford Institute of Technology	1,511	-	-	2,046	746
Dun Laoghaire Institute of Art, Design and Technology	71	-	-	760	-
Institute of Technology, Blanchardstown	318	40	-	-	368
Tipperary Institute	78	-	-	253	-
Hotel Training & Catering College, Killybegs, Co. Donegal	52	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>15,200</b>	<b>6,810</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>8,410</b>	<b>11,225</b>

Note: Third Level Education normally requires the successful completion of Leaving Certificate or equivalent as a minimal condition for admission.

\* Includes second level students in music courses.

**TABLE 7.8 - PUBLIC AID TO THIRD LEVEL STUDENTS**

<b>Category of Grant/Loan</b>	<b>No. of New Awards 2004/2005</b>	<b>Total number held 2004/2005</b>	<b>Total Expenditure 2004 (€)</b>
A. University Scholarships	56	254	1,173,609
B. Higher Education Grants	10,101	27,635	
(i) Tuition Fees			30,190,644
(ii) Maintenance Grants			64,885,288
C. Scholarships awarded by V.E.C. to Institutes of Technology	4,627	8,092	
(i) Tuition Fees			5,930,495
(ii) Maintenance Grants			19,034,978
D. Students on Higher Certificate & Ordinary Bachelor Degree Courses in Institutes of Technology			
(i) Tuition Fees	n/a	27,930	31,193,470
(ii) Maintenance Grants **	n/a	13,415	32,308,458
<b>OVERALL TOTAL</b>	<b>14,784</b>	<b>63,911</b>	<b>184,716,942</b>

University Scholarships (line A above) include Easter Week 1916 Commemoration Scholarships, Scoláireachtaí Ollscoile (Mícleínn ón Ghaeltacht), Scoláireachtaí Ollscoile (Teagasc trí mheán na Gaeilge).

Total expenditure under the H.E.G. scheme in 2004 (line B above) relates to re-imburement by the Department of Education and Science of expenditure by local authorities in respect of grants to students in the 2003/2004 academic year.

The breakdown of expenditure by tuition fees and maintenance grants is based on estimates supplied by the local authorities.

\*\* Grants in lieu of fees were paid to Institutes of Technology in respect of 27,930 students in the academic year 2004/2005. Of the 27,930 students maintenance grants were paid to 13,415.

**TABLE 7.9 -STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE FROM PUBLIC FUNDS ON THIRD-LEVEL EDUCATION DURING THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER 2004**

	€ (millions)
<b>CURRENT EXPENDITURE</b>	
Department Pay and Other Overheads	6.0
Pay and Operating Costs:	
Higher Education Authority - General expenses	5.2
HEA - General grants to Universities and Colleges and designated institutions of Higher Education	630.5
Running costs of Institutes of Technology and one V.E.C. College	440.3
Training Colleges for Primary Teachers (excluding those funded through H.E.A.)	9.7
Dublin Institute for Advanced Studies	4.9
Dublin Dental Hospital	6.2
Training Colleges for Teachers of Home Economics	9.7
<b>Student Support</b>	
Graduate / Undergraduate	204.1
Other	14.3
<b>Research and Development</b>	53.8
<b>Public Private Partnerships</b>	
Current Costs	9.6
Miscellaneous grants and services	13.0
<b>TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE</b>	1407.3
<b>CAPITAL EXPENDITURE</b>	
Institutes of Technology and one V.E.C. College	44.0
Higher Education Authority - Building and Equipment costs	20.0
Other Third-Level Capital Projects	0.1
Research, Technology & Innovation Capital	32.5
Department overheads - capital	0.1
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE</b>	96.7
<b>GROSS TOTAL</b>	1504.0
<b>* DEDUCT RECEIPTS</b>	33.0
<b>NET TOTAL</b>	1471.0

\* This figure includes €9.9m received from the European Social Fund.

