



*Australian Capital Territory*

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND TRAINING

### ACT School Census

**February 2007**

#### Highlights

In 2007 there were:

- 59,970 students attending ACT schools. Of these students, 35,020 (58.4%) were attending the 88 government schools.
- 30,668 students (51.1% of all students) attending a primary school. Of these students, 18,686 (60.9% of all primary school students) were attending a government school.
- 19,447 students (32.4% of all students) attending a high school. Of these students, 9,998 (51.4% of all high school students) were attending a government school.
- 9,517 (15.9% of all students) students attending secondary colleges. Of these students, 5,998 (63.0% of all college students) were attending a government school.
- There are slightly more males than females across each of the sectors (primary, high and colleges).
- Between 2003 and 2007 there has been a 1.6% decline in the number of students attending school in the ACT.

## Student enrolments

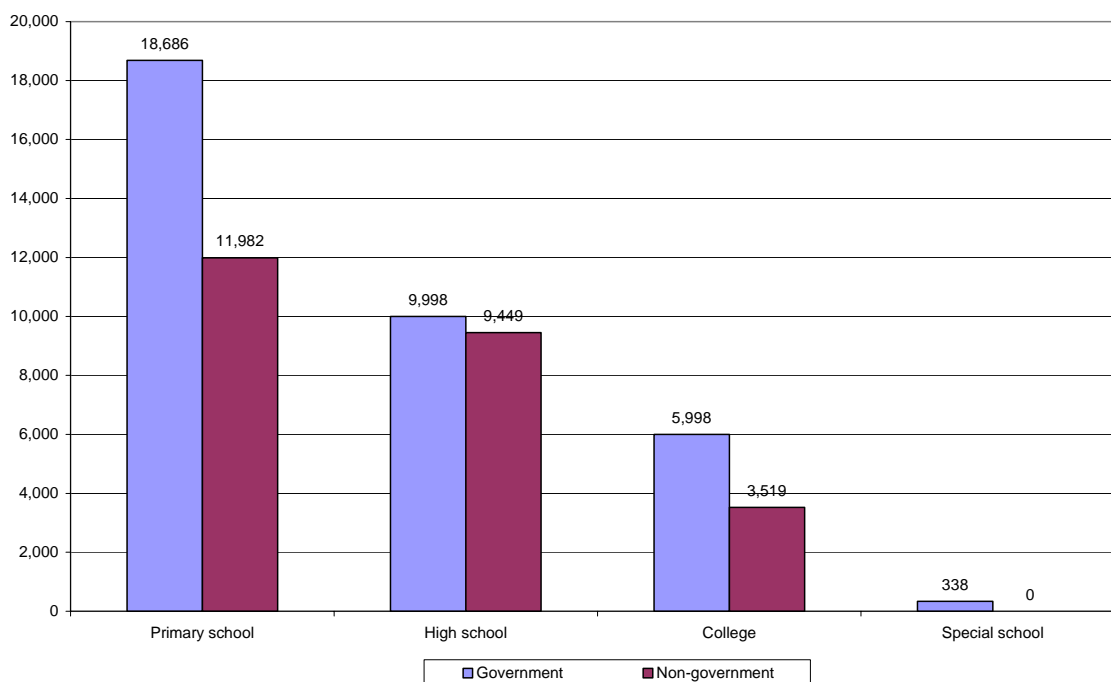
There were 59,970 students enrolled in ACT schools as at 21 February 2007, down 0.3% since 2006 and down 1.6% since 2003 (Table 1). Primary school enrolments have declined the most, down 0.6% over the past 12 months and down 3.2% since 2003 reflecting the ageing of the ACT population. The college sector has also shown a decline although not as significant as primary schools. By contrast the high school sector has grown by 0.5% since 2003.

**Table 1: Number of students by sector, 2003 to 2007**

Year	Primary school	High school	College	Special school	Total
2007	30,668	19,447	9,517	338	59,970
2006	30,848	19,437	9,535	322	60,142
2005	30,995	19,511	9,429	340	60,275
2004	31,318	19,463	9,405	313	60,499
2003	31,684	19,353	9,597	316	60,950

Across each of the education sectors (primary, high, college and special) there are more students attending a government school than a non-government school (figure 1). In 2007, around 18,700 students (60.9% of all primary school enrolments) attended a government primary school compared with almost 12,000 students in the non-government sector. The college sector showed a similar story to that of the primary school sector with 63.0% of all college students attending a government college (5,998 students). The high school sector is evenly split, with the government sector accounting for 51.4% (9,998 students) of all high school students.

**Figure 1: Number of government and non-government students by sector, 2007**



## Tables

**Table 2: Number of students by gender, sector and year level, 2007**

Year Level	Males	Females	Persons	Percentage of total
<i>Primary school enrolments</i>				
Pre-primary (a)	11	8	19	0.0
Kindergarten	2,136	2,062	4,198	7.0
Year 1	2,210	2,128	4,338	7.2
Year 2	2,183	2,138	4,321	7.2
Year 3	2,225	2,183	4,408	7.4
Year 4	2,227	2,199	4,426	7.4
Year 5	2,275	2,169	4,444	7.4
Year 6	2,295	2,219	4,514	7.5
<i>Subtotal primary school enrolments</i>	<i>15,562</i>	<i>15,106</i>	<i>30,668</i>	<i>51.1</i>
<i>High school enrolments</i>				
Year 7	2,567	2,349	4,916	8.2
Year 8	2,363	2,424	4,787	8.0
Year 9	2,522	2,360	4,882	8.1
Year 10	2,496	2,366	4,862	8.1
<i>Subtotal high school enrolments</i>	<i>9,948</i>	<i>9,499</i>	<i>19,447</i>	<i>32.4</i>
<i>College enrolments</i>				
Year 11	2,548	2,472	5,020	8.4
Year 12	2,249	2,231	4,480	7.5
Adult (b)	4	11	15	0.0
Older (c)	-	2	2	0.0
<i>Subtotal college enrolments</i>	<i>4,801</i>	<i>4,716</i>	<i>9,517</i>	<i>15.9</i>
<i>Special school enrolments (d)</i>				
Pre/primary school level	115	57	172	0.3
High school level	75	37	112	0.2
College level	32	22	54	0.1
<i>Subtotal special school enrolments</i>	<i>222</i>	<i>116</i>	<i>338</i>	<i>0.6</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>30,533</b>	<b>29,437</b>	<b>59,970</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Students attending special classes at a mainstream school at pre kindergarten level.

(b) Students in government schools aged 20 years or over on 31 January in the year of commencement of their college studies are classed as an adult.

(c) Students in government schools aged 18 years by 31 December in the year prior to the commencement of their college studies, but not aged 20 years or over on 31 January in the year of commencement of their college studies, are classed as older.

(d) Only includes special students in special schools.

**Table 3: Number of students by category of school, sector and year level, 2007**

Year Level	Government	Non-government	Persons	Percentage of total
<i>Primary enrolments</i>				
Pre-primary (a)	19	-	19	0.0
Kindergarten	2,582	1,616	4,198	7.0
Year 1	2,700	1,638	4,338	7.2
Year 2	2,677	1,644	4,321	7.2
Year 3	2,705	1,703	4,408	7.4
Year 4	2,710	1,716	4,426	7.4
Year 5	2,677	1,767	4,444	7.4
Year 6	2,616	1,898	4,514	7.5
<i>Subtotal primary enrolments</i>	<i>18,686</i>	<i>11,982</i>	<i>30,668</i>	<i>51.1</i>
<i>High school enrolments</i>				
Year 7	2,515	2,401	4,916	8.2
Year 8	2,419	2,368	4,787	8.0
Year 9	2,506	2,376	4,882	8.1
Year 10	2,558	2,304	4,862	8.1
<i>Subtotal high school enrolments</i>	<i>9,998</i>	<i>9,449</i>	<i>19,447</i>	<i>32.4</i>
<i>College enrolments</i>				
Year 11	3,172	1,848	5,020	8.4
Year 12	2,809	1,671	4,480	7.5
Adult (b)	15	-	15	0.0
Older (c)	2	-	2	0.0
<i>Subtotal college enrolments</i>	<i>5,998</i>	<i>3,519</i>	<i>9,517</i>	<i>15.9</i>
<i>Special school enrolments (d)</i>				
Pre/primary school level	172	-	172	0.3
High school level	112	-	112	0.2
College level	54	-	54	0.1
<i>Subtotal special school enrolments</i>	<i>338</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>338</i>	<i>0.6</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>35,020</b>	<b>24,950</b>	<b>59,970</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>TOTALS</b>				
Primary school (includes pre/primary) level	18,858	11,982	30,840	51.4
High school level	10,110	9,449	19,559	32.6
College level	6,052	3,519	9,571	16.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>35,020</b>	<b>24,950</b>	<b>59,970</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Students attending special classes at a mainstream school at pre kindergarten level.

(b) Students in government schools aged 20 years or over on 31 January in the year of commencement of their college studies are classed as an adult.

(c) Students in government schools aged 18 years by 31 December in the year prior to the commencement of their college studies, but not aged 20 years or over on 31 January in the year of commencement of their college studies, are classed as older.

(d) Only includes special students in special schools.

**Table 4: Number of primary school enrolments by year level, category of school and school, 2007**

	Pre Primary	K	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Total
<b>Government schools</b>									
<i>North Canberra</i>									
Ainslie	-	53	66	61	55	49	41	46	371
Campbell	-	39	47	36	40	37	41	25	265
Co-operative school	-	21	20	20	-	-	-	-	61
Lyneham	-	55	60	72	60	70	64	55	436
Majura	-	54	63	39	54	47	58	38	353
Nth. Ainslie	-	39	27	39	29	39	40	31	244
Nth. Ainslie - IEC	-	29	9	3	7	4	3	7	62
Turner (a)	19	58	46	62	75	42	57	57	416
<i>Subtotal North Canberra</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>348</i>	<i>338</i>	<i>332</i>	<i>320</i>	<i>288</i>	<i>304</i>	<i>259</i>	<i>2,208</i>
<i>South Canberra</i>									
Forrest	-	46	40	61	63	72	74	65	421
Narrabundah	-	5	10	12	9	12	11	14	73
Red Hill	-	91	68	75	75	63	69	71	512
Telopea Park	-	62	60	62	59	61	59	50	413
Yarralumla	-	23	15	17	24	22	19	21	141
<i>Subtotal South Canberra</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>227</i>	<i>193</i>	<i>227</i>	<i>230</i>	<i>230</i>	<i>232</i>	<i>221</i>	<i>1,560</i>
<i>Woden Valley</i>									
Curtin	-	54	53	57	55	72	65	68	424
Farrer	-	33	46	39	36	46	41	41	282
Garran	-	58	52	40	77	44	68	74	413
Hughes	-	19	38	32	34	44	36	29	232
Hughes - IEC	-	10	10	8	6	7	2	8	51
Lyons	-	15	13	12	12	8	5	11	76
Mawson	-	17	30	18	30	28	24	16	163
Torrens	-	56	62	49	51	73	62	47	400
<i>Subtotal Woden Valley</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>262</i>	<i>304</i>	<i>255</i>	<i>301</i>	<i>322</i>	<i>303</i>	<i>294</i>	<i>2,041</i>
<i>Weston Creek</i>									
Arawang	-	51	43	53	68	61	59	52	387
Chapman	-	69	60	61	65	55	59	46	415
Duffy	-	28	27	30	15	22	22	20	164
Stromlo	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	45
<i>Subtotal Weston Creek</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>148</i>	<i>130</i>	<i>144</i>	<i>148</i>	<i>138</i>	<i>140</i>	<i>163</i>	<i>1,011</i>

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	Pre Primary	K	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Total
<i>Belconnen North</i>									
Charnwood-Dunlop	-	33	25	26	36	27	28	27	202
Evatt	-	47	46	27	53	39	41	54	307
Fraser	-	69	56	57	55	60	49	56	402
Giralang	-	16	14	19	22	20	19	16	126
Kaleen	-	52	57	71	64	58	77	50	429
Maribyrnong	-	27	31	31	33	33	24	22	201
Miles Franklin	-	60	76	57	53	62	42	47	397
Mt. Rogers	-	19	26	26	22	27	14	33	167
<i>Subtotal Belconnen North</i>	-	323	331	314	338	326	294	305	2,231
<i>Belconnen North</i>									
Aranda	-	49	55	57	48	55	54	50	368
Cook	-	9	17	16	15	17	14	14	102
Florey	-	39	50	63	45	61	60	61	379
Hawker	-	38	32	30	35	46	34	27	242
Higgins	-	32	31	26	26	28	28	16	187
Holt	-	34	34	23	27	26	23	29	196
Latham	-	29	29	25	35	22	34	37	211
Macgregor	-	48	37	44	44	62	36	40	311
Macquarie	-	21	41	21	31	23	34	27	198
Southern Cross	-	23	14	12	19	12	14	32	126
Weetangera	-	48	47	50	53	35	41	42	316
<i>Subtotal Belconnen North</i>	-	370	387	367	378	387	372	375	2,636
<i>Tuggeranong North</i>									
Fadden	-	34	46	37	46	39	35	38	275
Gowrie	-	18	25	33	30	20	25	35	186
Monash	-	45	69	56	53	62	64	62	411
Taylor	-	37	33	25	27	27	19	26	194
Urambi	-	36	30	29	27	32	29	36	219
Village Creek	-	14	13	22	30	22	28	24	153
Village Creek - IEC	-	15	9	5	3	1	3	7	43
Wanniassa	-	26	27	37	29	32	46	40	237
Wanniassa Hills	-	35	48	56	43	44	42	38	306
<i>Subtotal Tuggeranong North</i>	-	260	300	300	288	279	291	306	2,024

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	Pre Primary	K	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Total
<i>Tuggeranong South</i>									
Bonython	-	56	49	64	45	47	60	38	359
Calwell	-	47	54	40	60	64	56	52	373
Chisholm	-	29	34	35	41	35	37	36	247
Charles Conder	-	57	67	65	68	86	81	73	497
Gilmore	-	25	34	31	34	29	37	45	235
Gordon	-	56	65	64	75	79	71	65	475
Isabella Plains	-	22	25	24	30	21	32	35	189
Richardson	-	22	27	35	27	28	27	28	194
Theodore	-	38	55	56	49	59	36	66	359
<i>Subtotal Tuggeranong South</i>	-	352	410	414	429	448	437	438	2,928
<i>Gunghalin</i>									
Amaroo	-	115	115	139	81	88	90	106	734
Ngunnawal	-	62	63	72	72	57	69	21	416
Gold Creek	-	52	58	47	49	72	63	108	449
Palmerston	-	56	65	60	68	70	75	16	410
<i>Subtotal Gungahlin</i>	-	285	301	318	270	287	297	251	2,009
<i>Other ACT Areas</i>									
Jervis Bay (b)	-	7	6	6	3	5	7	4	38
<i>Subtotal other ACT areas</i>	-	7	6	6	3	5	7	4	38
<i>Subtotal government</i>	19	2,582	2,700	2,677	2,705	2,710	2,677	2,616	18,686
<b>Non-government schools</b>									
<i>Independent schools</i>									
Blue Gum Community School	-	12	8	8	5	6	6	10	55
Brindabella Christian College	-	23	20	25	17	21	14	14	134
Burgmann Anglican School	-	50	51	56	56	57	56	84	410
Canberra Christian School	-	8	9	10	2	2	4	3	38
Canberra Girls' Grammar School	-	41	59	39	64	67	71	102	443
Canberra Grammar School	-	74	73	73	64	69	91	96	540
Canberra Montessori School	-	53	23	15	12	11	6	5	125
Covenant College	-	13	7	15	9	10	16	22	92
Emmaus Christian School	-	25	26	20	24	25	28	25	173
Islamic School of Canberra	-	15	12	8	5	10	9	3	62
Marist College Canberra	-	-	-	-	-	90	148	135	373
Orana School	-	51	55	51	58	56	56	57	384
Radford College	-	47	-	-	-	-	73	75	195
St Edmund's College	-	-	-	-	-	68	88	114	270
Trinity Christian School	-	64	69	77	81	73	81	81	526
<i>Subtotal independent schools</i>	-	476	412	397	397	565	747	826	3,820

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	Pre Primary	K	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Total
<i>Catholic Systemic schools</i>									
St Vincent's Primary School	-	19	16	17	22	20	28	23	145
St Francis of Assisi Primary School	-	71	80	89	83	78	76	82	559
St Thomas More's Primary School	-	24	28	20	36	15	20	25	168
St Thomas Aquinas Primary School	-	29	27	26	24	30	20	20	176
St Clare of Assisi Primary School	-	100	110	114	101	106	91	85	707
Holy Trinity Primary School	-	28	46	46	49	30	22	27	248
St Monica's Primary School	-	61	61	70	50	79	61	58	440
St John the Apostle Primary School	-	44	50	55	53	76	74	87	439
Sts Peter and Paul's Primary School	-	50	52	72	65	53	38	36	366
Holy Family Parish Primary School	-	94	87	90	90	79	76	79	595
St Jude's Primary School	-	39	39	27	45	31	20	24	225
St Michael's Primary School	-	32	26	38	44	26	22	55	243
St Thomas the Apostle Primary School	-	49	53	45	70	45	38	56	356
St Benedict's Primary School	-	27	21	25	30	16	19	22	160
Holy Spirit Primary School	-	80	88	90	86	81	88	89	602
St Joseph's Primary School	-	22	40	24	25	20	22	26	179
St Matthew's Primary School	-	53	55	50	46	49	48	20	321
Sacred Heart Primary School	-	51	46	63	61	31	32	33	317
St Bede's Primary School	-	29	28	28	30	28	27	21	191
St Anthony's Parish School	-	50	68	68	82	79	64	70	481
St John Vianney's Primary School	-	45	48	46	55	30	20	35	279
Rosary Primary School	-	54	54	57	62	76	56	58	417
Good Shepherd Primary School	-	89	103	87	97	73	58	41	548
<i>Subtotal Catholic Systemic schools</i>	-	1,140	1,226	1,247	1,306	1,151	1,020	1,072	8,162
<i>Subtotal non-government schools</i>	-	1,616	1,638	1,644	1,703	1,716	1,767	1,898	11,982
<b>Total primary schools</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>4,198</b>	<b>4,338</b>	<b>4,321</b>	<b>4,408</b>	<b>4,426</b>	<b>4,444</b>	<b>4,514</b>	<b>30,668</b>

(a) Students attending special classes at a mainstream school at pre kindergarten level.

(b) The ACT Department of Education and Training administers Jervis Bay School for the Australian Government under a service agreement.



**Table 5: Number of high school enrolments by year level, category of school and school, 2007**

<b>Government schools</b>	<b>Year 7</b>	<b>Year 8</b>	<b>Year 9</b>	<b>Year 10</b>	<b>Total</b>
<i>North Canberra</i>					
Campbell	154	145	144	163	606
Lyneham	252	256	234	239	981
AEP (a)	-	-	-	10	10
ACT Secondary IEC (b)	8	13	9	8	38
<i>Subtotal North Canberra</i>	<i>414</i>	<i>414</i>	<i>387</i>	<i>420</i>	<i>1,635</i>
<i>South Canberra</i>					
Alfred Deakin	199	201	188	210	798
Telopea Park	178	163	182	176	699
<i>Subtotal South Canberra</i>	<i>377</i>	<i>364</i>	<i>370</i>	<i>386</i>	<i>1,497</i>
<i>Woden Valley</i>					
Melrose	204	202	210	199	815
<i>Subtotal Woden Valley</i>	<i>204</i>	<i>202</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>199</i>	<i>815</i>
<i>Weston Creek</i>					
Stromlo	156	156	168	187	667
SAEP (c)	-	-	1	17	18
<i>Subtotal Weston Creek</i>	<i>156</i>	<i>156</i>	<i>169</i>	<i>204</i>	<i>685</i>
<i>Belconnen North</i>					
Kaleen	56	58	83	62	259
Melba	180	178	141	141	640
<i>Subtotal Belconnen North</i>	<i>236</i>	<i>236</i>	<i>224</i>	<i>203</i>	<i>899</i>
<i>Belconnen South</i>					
Belconnen	199	177	193	176	745
Canberra	171	167	199	198	735
<i>Subtotal Belconnen South</i>	<i>370</i>	<i>344</i>	<i>392</i>	<i>374</i>	<i>1,480</i>
<i>Tuggeranong North</i>					
Kambah	23	20	31	61	135
Wanniassa	90	67	106	91	354
<i>Subtotal Tuggeranong North</i>	<i>113</i>	<i>87</i>	<i>137</i>	<i>152</i>	<i>489</i>
<i>Tuggeranong South</i>					
Calwell	130	117	122	113	482
Caroline Chisholm	110	136	127	139	512
Lanyon	173	149	172	172	666
<i>Subtotal Tuggeranong South</i>	<i>413</i>	<i>402</i>	<i>421</i>	<i>424</i>	<i>1,660</i>
<i>Gungahlin</i>					
Amaroo School	92	72	51	55	270
Gold Creek	140	142	145	141	568
<i>Subtotal Gungahlin</i>	<i>232</i>	<i>214</i>	<i>196</i>	<i>196</i>	<i>838</i>
<i>Subtotal government</i>	<i>2,515</i>	<i>2,419</i>	<i>2,506</i>	<i>2,558</i>	<i>9,998</i>

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	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Total
<b>Non-government schools</b>					
<i>Independent schools</i>					
Blue Gum Community School	4	-	-	-	4
Brindabella Christian College	22	18	21	14	75
Burgmann Anglican School	83	84	76	89	332
Canberra Girls' Grammar School	149	161	152	171	633
Canberra Grammar School	159	157	152	161	629
Covenant College	19	15	23	15	72
Daramalan College	245	248	245	243	981
Emmaus Christian School	27	23	28	21	99
Marist College Canberra	226	218	215	212	871
Orana School	54	50	49	40	193
Radford College	176	177	176	176	705
St Edmund's College	176	172	185	172	705
The Galilee School	1	3	6	10	20
Trinity Christian School	107	108	124	117	456
<i>Subtotal independent schools</i>	<i>1,448</i>	<i>1,434</i>	<i>1,452</i>	<i>1,441</i>	<i>5,775</i>
<i>Catholic Systemic schools</i>					
St Clare's College	223	217	218	217	875
St Francis Xavier College	217	209	213	210	849
Mackillop Catholic College	323	318	310	279	1,230
Merici College	190	190	183	157	720
<i>Subtotal Catholic Systemic schools</i>	<i>953</i>	<i>934</i>	<i>924</i>	<i>863</i>	<i>3,674</i>
<i>Subtotal non-government schools</i>	<i>2,401</i>	<i>2,368</i>	<i>2,376</i>	<i>2,304</i>	<i>9,449</i>
<b>Total high schools</b>	<b>4,916</b>	<b>4,787</b>	<b>4,882</b>	<b>4,862</b>	<b>19,447</b>

(a) Alternative Education Program located at Dickson College.

(b) ACT Secondary Introductory English Centre located at Dickson College.

(c) Southside Alternative Education Program located at the Canberra College.

**Table 6: Number of college enrolments by year level, category of school and school, 2007**

	Year 11	Year 12	Adult (a)	Older (b)	Total
<b>Government</b>					
<i>North Canberra</i>					
Dickson College	330	256	-	-	586
ACT Secondary IEC (c)	12	6	-	-	18
<i>Subtotal North Canberra</i>	<i>342</i>	<i>262</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>604</i>
<i>South Canberra</i>					
Narrabundah College	467	449	-	-	916
<i>Subtotal South Canberra</i>	<i>467</i>	<i>449</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>916</i>
<i>Woden Valley</i>					
Canberra College	415	416	15	1	847
<i>Subtotal Woden Valley</i>	<i>415</i>	<i>416</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>847</i>
<i>Belconnen North</i>					
Copland College	197	216	-	-	413
<i>Subtotal Belconnen North</i>	<i>197</i>	<i>216</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>413</i>
<i>Belconnen South</i>					
Hawker College	471	395	-	1	867
Lake Ginninderra College	306	290	-	-	596
<i>Subtotal Belconnen South</i>	<i>777</i>	<i>685</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1,463</i>
<i>Tuggeranong</i>					
Erindale College	521	358	-	-	879
Lake Tuggeranong College	453	423	-	-	876
<i>Subtotal Tuggeranong</i>	<i>974</i>	<i>781</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1,755</i>
<i>Subtotal government</i>	<i>3,172</i>	<i>2,809</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>5,998</i>

**Table 6 Continued**

	Year 11	Year 12	Adult (a)	Older (b)	Total
<b>Non-government schools</b>					
<i>Independent schools</i>					
Burgmann Anglican School	44	-	-	-	44
Canberra Girls' Grammar School	153	152	-	-	305
Canberra Grammar School	157	162	-	-	319
Daramalan College	226	218	-	-	444
Marist College Canberra	204	192	-	-	396
Orana School	13	15	-	-	28
Radford College	176	168	-	-	344
St Edmund's College	135	115	-	-	250
Trinity Christian School	65	61	-	-	126
<i>Subtotal independent schools</i>	<i>1,173</i>	<i>1,083</i>			<i>2,256</i>
<i>Catholic Systemic schools</i>					
St Clare's College	172	163	-	-	335
St Francis Xavier College	175	147	-	-	322
Mackillop Catholic College	203	165	-	-	368
Merici College	125	113	-	-	238
<i>Subtotal Catholic Systemic schools</i>	<i>675</i>	<i>588</i>	-	-	<i>1,263</i>
<i>Subtotal non-government schools</i>	<i>1,848</i>	<i>1,671</i>	-	-	<i>3,519</i>
<b>Total college</b>	<b>5,020</b>	<b>4,480</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9,517</b>

(a) Students in government schools aged 20 years or over on 31 January in the year of commencement of their college studies are classed as Adult.

(b) Students in government schools aged 18 years by 31 December in the year prior to the commencement of their college studies, but not aged 20 years or over on 31 January in the year of commencement of their college studies, are classed as Older.

(c) ACT Secondary Introductory English Centre located at Dickson College.

**Table 7: Number of special school enrolments by category of school, school and year level, 2007**

	Pre primary	Primary	High	College	Total
<b>Government</b>					
<i>North Canberra</i>					
Black Mountain School	-	-	39	54	93
<i>South Canberra</i>					
The Woden School	-	7	73	-	80
<i>Woden Valley</i>					
Malkara Special School	21	67	-	-	88
<i>Belconnen</i>					
Cranleigh Special School	29	48	-	-	77
<b>Total special schools</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>338</b>

## **Explanatory Notes**

### **1. Reference Date**

The 2007 census was conducted on Wednesday 21 February.

### **2. Scope and Coverage**

The census includes all ACT government and non-government schools providing primary, secondary and special education. Jervis Bay is included in ACT government primary schools as the ACT Department of Education and Training administers the Jervis Bay School for the Australian Government under a service agreement.

### **3. Collection**

ACT government school census data was electronically downloaded. Non-government school census data was collected and collated both manually and electronically.

### **4. Student Enrolments**

The census includes students enrolled in a school on census day.

### **5. Special Schools**

Special schools cater for students with intellectual and physical disabilities, or who require additional emotional and/or behavioral assistance.

### **6. Introductory English Centres (IECs)**

IECs are for students who require intensive full time English language instruction.