



AEI State Summary Sheet: Annual 2007 data Tasmania

International student enrolments and commencements

Sector	Tasmania			Australia		
	2006	2007	Growth	2006	2007	Growth
Enrolments						
Higher Education	2,236	2,413	7.9%	171,246	177,760	3.8%
VET	300	327	9.0%	83,405	121,422	45.6%
ELICOS	803	766	-4.6%	77,885	101,824	30.7%
Schools	419	419	0.0%	24,606	27,426	11.5%
Other	181	167	-7.7%	25,338	26,753	5.6%
Total	3,939	4,092	3.9%	382,480	455,185	19.0%
Commencements						
Higher Education	980	946	-3.5%	68,080	72,603	6.6%
VET	191	218	14.1%	49,546	74,575	50.5%
ELICOS	535	600	12.1%	59,880	80,662	34.7%
Schools	206	227	10.2%	11,255	14,092	25.2%
Other	172	156	-9.3%	21,241	22,477	5.8%
Total	2,084	2,147	3.0%	210,002	264,409	25.9%

Source: AEI – International Student Enrolment Data 2007

- ◆ Tasmania recorded 4,092 international student enrolments and 2,147 commencements by students on a student visa in 2007 – an increase of 3.9% and 3.0% respectively on 2006.
- ◆ In 2007, Tasmania had a 1.0% share of total international student enrolments on a student visa in Australia.
- ◆ Most enrolments continue to be in higher education (2,413 – 59.0% of total Tasmanian enrolments), with growth of 7.9% on 2006.
- ◆ Highest enrolment growth was in the VET sector (9.0% on 2006), followed by the Higher Education sector (7.9% on 2006). The largest increase in commencements was in the VET sector (14.1%) followed by the ELICOS sector (12.1%).
- ◆ Largest source nationalities of enrolments for Tasmania were China (32.8% of total), Malaysia (16.5%) and the Republic of Korea (8.0%).

Top 10 Nationalities in Tasmania, 2007

Nationality	Higher Education					Total
	Higher Education	VET	ELICOS	Schools	Other	
Enrolments						
China	838	77	341	77	10	1,343
Malaysia	618	6	23	28	0	675
Republic of Korea	60	18	131	109	9	327
Japan	64	34	88	34	8	228
Thailand	86	21	50	23	3	183
Hong Kong	59	19	26	53	2	159
India	119	25	10	0	0	154
Singapore	125	7	0	14	0	146
United States of America	44	4	0	1	73	122
Vietnam	44	10	12	10	0	76
Other	356	106	85	70	62	679
Total	2,413	327	766	419	167	4,092
Commencements						
China	355	65	282	37	10	749
Malaysia	209	5	22	17	0	253
Republic of Korea	28	13	90	62	8	201
Japan	21	16	62	15	8	122
India	68	17	10	0	0	95
Thailand	32	15	39	7	1	94
Hong Kong	29	15	18	27	2	91
United States of America	12	0	0	1	72	85
Vietnam	26	9	10	7	0	52
Germany	6	4	0	36	4	50
Other	160	59	67	18	51	355
Total	946	218	600	227	156	2,147

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