



International Student Enrolment Data 2009

Table D: International Student Enrolments in Australia by Nationality and State/Territory, 2008 - 2009

Nationality	NSW		VIC		QLD		WA		SA		ACT		TAS		NT		Australia		
	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	
Southern and Central Asia																			
India	26,923	28,171	46,816	56,789	13,039	20,670	4,135	7,285	4,706	6,988	487	651	197	211	104	148	96,407	120,913	
Nepal	13,413	16,580	2,880	4,781	1,074	1,938	316	651	248	491	24	28	12	31	35	79	18,002	24,579	
Sri Lanka	803	875	5,793	6,211	637	721	448	487	235	246	100	105	7	4	2	5	8,025	8,654	
Pakistan	1,783	2,320	3,080	3,550	307	441	472	745	241	255	220	278	4	8	18	25	6,125	7,622	
Bangladesh	5,190	5,502	1,127	1,054	180	207	230	241	82	112	94	103	10	8	9	6	6,922	7,233	
Bhutan	44	65	29	33	13	41	46	35	2	11	27	42	0	1	0	0	161	228	
Maldives	23	28	38	45	51	47	51	43	24	26	9	5	9	8	0	0	205	202	
Uzbekistan	78	82	5	12	1	2	2	3	3	4	3	3	0	0	0	0	92	106	
Kazakhstan	25	38	12	19	12	15	6	8	23	13	6	7	0	0	1	1	85	101	
Afghanistan	26	40	21	31	4	3	3	4	0	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	57	83	
Azerbaijan	7	8	2	3	1	5	0	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	13	21	
Other Nationalities ¹	13	12	8	8	2	4	3	3	2	0	5	5	0	0	1	0	34	32	
Southern and Central Asia Total	48,328	53,721	59,811	72,536	15,321	24,094	5,712	9,507	5,567	8,150	979	1,230	240	272	170	264	136,128	169,774	

¹ Includes Armenia, Georgia, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan and Turkmenistan

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	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	
South East Asia																			
Thailand	13,774	16,659	4,348	5,001	2,081	2,558	1,143	1,306	380	403	263	251	181	214	59	68	22,229	26,460	
Vietnam	5,330	7,761	6,796	10,424	1,213	1,987	1,026	1,572	1,040	1,349	317	490	101	127	21	45	15,844	23,755	
Malaysia	3,539	3,912	7,995	8,641	2,104	2,444	4,012	4,312	2,258	2,482	450	531	721	755	12	26	21,091	23,103	
Indonesia	7,287	8,481	5,480	5,693	778	865	1,777	1,989	312	445	199	239	22	24	120	131	15,975	17,867	
Singapore	1,534	1,621	2,956	3,196	1,257	1,400	1,968	2,063	536	530	342	363	181	177	2	1	8,776	9,351	
Philippines	1,642	2,259	338	512	437	633	171	243	92	134	35	63	10	11	74	108	2,799	3,963	
Myanmar	291	451	117	137	70	78	224	304	16	12	25	25	1	2	6	9	750	1,018	
Brunei Darussalam	78	78	173	169	251	233	162	148	14	10	9	10	1	0	0	0	688	648	
Cambodia	190	229	185	233	27	24	17	18	37	35	25	24	4	2	2	1	487	566	
Lao People's Democratic Republic	82	135	47	60	10	12	3	7	9	13	32	35	5	3	1	1	189	266	
East Timor	25	27	19	23	3	13	24	31	12	18	1	1	3	6	14	15	101	134	
Timor-Leste	0	0	5	6	5	6	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	13	18	
South East Asia Total	33,772	41,613	28,459	34,095	8,236	10,253	10,529	11,998	4,706	5,431	1,698	2,032	1,230	1,321	312	406	88,942	107,149	

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	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	
North East Asia																			
China	58,946	64,585	38,835	47,370	13,318	17,450	6,095	7,922	9,860	11,970	2,650	3,639	1,424	1,712	82	129	131,210	154,777	
Republic of Korea	15,959	16,523	5,902	6,117	8,566	8,461	1,992	1,845	1,830	1,768	509	554	362	419	13	21	35,133	35,708	
Japan	4,516	4,566	2,347	2,152	4,077	3,673	1,130	974	880	784	233	222	215	169	17	13	13,415	12,553	
Hong Kong	4,481	3,832	3,691	3,179	1,888	1,669	1,283	1,094	1,254	1,186	274	239	99	96	4	5	12,974	11,300	
Taiwan	2,254	2,264	1,733	1,689	4,085	4,082	358	374	431	371	130	99	74	63	8	11	9,073	8,953	
Macau	127	129	138	135	144	125	39	39	10	14	7	8	0	0	0	0	465	450	
Mongolia	120	238	44	51	36	49	20	31	4	7	9	12	2	0	0	0	235	388	
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	21	21	10	9	11	7	2	2	4	4	2	2	2	0	0	0	52	45	
North East Asia Total	86,424	92,158	52,700	60,702	32,125	35,516	10,919	12,281	14,273	16,104	3,814	4,775	2,178	2,459	124	179	202,557	224,174	

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	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
North Africa and the Middle East																		
Saudi Arabia	2,450	3,922	1,639	2,869	2,036	3,045	1,056	1,451	335	693	116	336	155	283	1	0	7,788	12,599
Turkey	1,033	1,284	486	753	247	348	99	154	28	33	24	30	2	3	2	2	1,921	2,607
Iran, Islamic Republic of	661	846	538	711	306	351	161	196	143	175	27	40	17	16	1	2	1,854	2,337
Egypt	1,896	1,932	220	193	42	52	31	36	20	26	9	10	7	6	1	1	2,226	2,256
United Arab Emirates	87	97	647	753	564	605	64	65	107	100	9	24	37	62	0	0	1,515	1,706
Lebanon	713	737	256	356	12	15	15	13	5	5	4	4	2	2	14	20	1,021	1,152
Jordan	739	669	56	53	72	80	46	52	7	6	6	10	2	1	0	0	928	871
Oman	37	47	289	249	221	288	125	110	15	21	10	7	10	7	0	0	707	729
Israel	161	219	227	270	58	94	20	22	5	9	6	8	1	1	0	0	478	623
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	62	99	49	77	72	140	32	48	8	9	4	2	1	1	0	0	228	376
Bahrain	23	22	76	76	151	159	29	38	5	4	4	3	0	0	0	0	288	302
Kuwait	29	33	20	37	107	125	17	21	21	35	1	1	0	1	0	0	195	253
Iraq	47	82	46	51	40	61	27	33	8	14	3	4	0	0	0	0	171	245
Qatar	21	13	11	10	23	35	29	43	23	11	1	1	9	4	0	0	117	117
Syrian Arab Republic	39	62	19	10	8	12	2	2	0	1	2	4	1	1	1	1	72	93
Palestine	52	72	12	10	3	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	85
Sudan	8	8	2	6	0	0	12	13	5	7	1	0	0	1	0	0	28	35
Yemen	5	9	1	5	5	8	9	10	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	22	35
Morocco	14	9	7	3	1	5	3	3	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	27	23
Algeria	3	3	3	1	6	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	7
Tunisia	3	2	2	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
North Africa and the Middle East Total																		
	8,083	10,167	4,606	6,494	3,975	5,431	1,780	2,311	736	1,151	230	487	245	390	20	26	19,675	26,457

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	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
Sub-Saharan Africa																		
Mauritius	892	962	2,130	2,589	117	144	1,180	1,477	25	37	15	16	7	6	0	0	4,366	5,231
Zimbabwe	269	295	635	599	574	532	686	744	36	37	17	27	11	13	9	12	2,237	2,259
Kenya	401	417	405	460	101	125	874	903	180	264	29	29	0	1	0	2	1,990	2,201
South Africa	181	197	100	126	169	233	198	258	27	38	19	27	8	11	0	1	702	891
Zambia	45	51	56	52	30	30	678	748	6	5	3	5	0	0	0	0	818	891
Botswana	88	74	168	158	67	66	64	57	48	41	8	8	9	8	0	1	452	413
Nigeria	62	89	40	71	28	46	45	66	9	7	15	22	5	4	3	7	207	312
Tanzania, United Republic of	51	49	34	42	26	28	58	59	8	8	3	3	0	0	1	1	181	190
Ghana	21	18	22	20	33	32	48	45	3	2	9	11	1	2	0	0	137	130
Seychelles	7	6	14	16	5	6	114	84	7	5	0	0	10	11	0	0	157	128
Malawi	8	11	12	11	10	9	55	56	2	4	0	3	1	1	0	0	88	95
Uganda	25	29	16	15	13	17	31	24	1	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	88	88
Ethiopia	9	7	23	21	3	3	3	4	5	8	1	4	2	1	0	0	46	48
Reunion	0	0	0	0	1	1	25	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	27
Cameroon	5	5	8	12	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	2	2	2	1	0	21	24
Mozambique	3	3	5	10	6	3	8	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	23	21
Other Nationalities ²	38	36	29	24	19	18	28	22	10	10	8	8	2	2	1	1	135	121
Sub-Saharan Africa Total																		
	2,105	2,249	3,697	4,226	1,204	1,295	4,097	4,578	369	466	128	167	59	64	15	25	11,674	13,070

² Includes Angola, Benin, British Indian Ocean Territory, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Chad, Congo, Cte d'Ivoire, Dem. Rep. of Congo, Eritrea, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Lesotho, Liberia, Madagascar, Mali, Mauritania, Namibia, Niger, Rwanda, Sao Tom and Principe, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Somalia and Swaziland

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	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
Americas																		
Brazil	8,093	8,649	774	1,033	4,797	5,512	2,048	2,139	140	139	27	26	8	14	12	17	15,899	17,529
United States of America	4,860	4,514	1,740	1,672	3,278	3,059	1,001	924	301	259	227	205	98	103	14	10	11,519	10,746
Colombia	2,553	3,118	1,900	2,441	2,507	3,254	557	801	124	221	23	23	8	6	2	2	7,674	9,866
Canada	1,368	1,415	672	700	1,865	2,036	338	356	212	229	78	92	55	60	10	10	4,598	4,898
Peru	930	1,288	239	294	398	498	65	96	40	41	27	29	7	12	0	3	1,706	2,261
Chile	457	695	201	347	245	383	61	93	41	48	14	38	10	7	0	1	1,029	1,612
Mexico	595	607	353	415	433	400	26	33	22	25	26	45	8	9	1	2	1,464	1,536
Venezuela	127	151	122	177	85	127	30	47	32	33	1	3	0	0	0	0	397	538
Argentina	88	116	32	30	35	43	4	3	7	7	5	5	0	1	1	0	172	205
Ecuador	39	65	15	15	56	74	11	8	4	6	1	0	3	2	0	0	129	170
El Salvador	9	10	4	6	9	28	12	28	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	74
Trinidad and Tobago	12	11	2	4	6	7	2	3	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	24	28
Uruguay	13	10	5	7	3	8	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	22	27
Guatemala	7	10	5	6	2	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	16	25
Panama	9	9	4	5	9	10	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	25
Bolivia	8	11	3	4	1	1	0	2	1	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	14	23
Other Nationalities ³	37	41	21	19	33	25	9	7	5	2	0	0	3	4	0	0	108	98
Americas Total	19,205	20,720	6,092	7,175	13,762	15,468	4,167	4,546	930	1,018	430	468	202	221	40	45	44,828	49,661

³ Includes Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bermuda, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Puerto Rico, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname and United States

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	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
Southern and Eastern Europe																		
Czech Republic	1,824	2,017	104	95	329	346	178	182	10	13	1	2	4	1	2	2	2,452	2,658
Poland	1,435	1,549	231	257	168	221	192	205	66	59	5	6	7	8	1	1	2,105	2,306
Italy	697	939	276	365	281	388	124	199	33	60	19	32	6	6	4	4	1,440	1,993
Slovakia	1,212	1,246	54	62	107	158	121	125	3	2	6	1	0	0	0	0	1,503	1,594
Russian Federation	582	702	150	169	162	239	61	59	39	39	23	27	7	12	0	0	1,024	1,247
Hungary	608	653	78	87	363	399	87	85	4	12	2	4	1	1	0	0	1,143	1,241
Spain	510	687	95	130	332	343	32	41	18	23	6	6	8	8	4	2	1,005	1,240
Portugal	223	307	188	220	174	201	80	86	26	29	15	14	4	4	0	0	710	861
Romania	95	96	49	47	42	38	18	22	4	3	3	4	0	0	0	1	211	211
Macedonia, The former Yugoslav Republic	110	119	26	42	3	9	20	14	2	2	4	7	0	0	0	0	165	193
Ukraine	51	60	19	19	21	30	7	9	0	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	100	123
Slovenia	24	34	13	15	25	42	9	4	3	5	1	1	1	2	0	0	76	103
Lithuania	79	73	8	10	7	6	6	7	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	103	99
Greece	30	34	20	26	13	12	5	9	5	5	1	2	3	0	0	0	77	88
Latvia	38	45	7	19	6	11	4	5	1	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	58	83
Estonia	21	30	15	13	14	16	3	7	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	56	69
Albania	3	7	17	33	3	3	0	0	21	19	0	0	1	0	0	0	45	62
Bulgaria	11	17	8	20	9	15	1	4	4	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	33	61
Serbia	13	22	6	11	5	15	3	10	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	29	61
Croatia	18	13	14	16	5	9	5	9	4	4	0	2	2	1	0	0	48	54
Bosnia and Herzegovina	3	8	8	13	3	8	2	9	0	0	3	2	0	1	0	0	19	41
Yugoslavia	12	10	9	8	6	5	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	30	25
Serbia and Montenegro	12	6	4	4	4	4	7	4	2	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	31	21
Malta	14	6	1	7	2	1	4	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	20
Other Nationalities ⁴	16	19	22	22	14	15	3	1	4	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	61	60
Southern and Eastern Europe Total	7,641	8,699	1,422	1,710	2,098	2,534	973	1,101	255	290	100	122	44	46	13	12	12,546	14,514

⁴ Includes Andorra, Belarus, Cyprus, Montenegro, Republic of Moldova and San Marino

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	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
North-West Europe Europe																		
Germany	1,913	1,960	1,008	1,036	2,050	2,407	468	448	355	319	89	87	61	62	19	20	5,963	6,339
United Kingdom	1,673	1,734	968	1,036	1,135	1,178	794	927	297	307	92	105	45	38	12	12	5,016	5,337
France	1,251	1,486	444	503	1,070	1,368	816	779	99	139	54	58	10	20	3	8	3,747	4,361
Norway	632	645	303	328	763	812	265	304	95	92	20	17	12	9	1	5	2,091	2,212
Sweden	731	722	303	316	542	614	167	176	52	47	17	19	19	13	5	4	1,836	1,911
Switzerland	511	530	90	84	497	535	354	371	14	16	19	12	12	9	0	1	1,497	1,558
Netherlands	334	392	160	213	141	163	63	67	36	42	24	25	4	7	1	1	763	910
Denmark	200	242	137	168	137	224	50	50	30	27	14	19	13	17	2	3	583	750
Belgium	266	299	152	146	110	100	74	79	36	39	11	12	2	4	1	0	652	679
Ireland	141	213	77	100	64	88	51	86	3	7	6	7	3	2	0	1	345	504
Austria	148	169	63	67	88	132	36	50	23	20	12	10	14	11	6	6	390	465
Finland	134	118	65	75	96	128	22	16	16	19	6	1	0	2	0	1	339	360
Iceland	25	18	20	19	11	11	8	6	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	67	60
Luxembourg	10	12	5	2	4	10	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	25
Liechtenstein	8	6	0	0	1	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	10
Monaco	1	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4
North-West Europe Europe Total	7,978	8,546	3,795	4,093	6,711	7,775	3,173	3,363	1,059	1,080	364	372	195	194	50	62	23,325	25,485
Oceania and Antarctica																		
Papua New Guinea	69	81	41	50	397	492	15	12	11	10	12	22	2	3	4	6	551	676
Fiji	200	213	78	87	126	128	7	5	6	7	13	17	6	9	0	0	436	466
Kiribati	5	3	0	2	78	96	0	0	1	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	86	104
Solomon Islands	15	15	3	5	51	61	1	0	2	4	4	5	0	0	0	0	76	90
Tonga	20	15	10	10	10	8	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	43	36
Vanuatu	10	15	1	2	6	9	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	19	28
Samoa	2	3	7	6	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	14	11
Tuvalu	2	2	1	2	7	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	11	11
Other	5	5	1	4	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	10
French Polynesia	4	7	0	0	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	10
New Caledonia	0	0	0	0	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	7	5
Micronesia, Federated States of	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Nauru	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Oceania and Antarctica Total	335	361	143	168	691	808	26	19	24	25	31	47	10	14	4	7	1,264	1,449
Unknown	75	67	42	49	24	29	40	35	20	16	2	2	2	4	0	0	205	202
Total	213,946	238,301	160,767	191,248	84,147	103,203	41,416	49,739	27,939	33,731	7,776	9,702	4,405	4,985	748	1,026	541,144	631,935