



Australian Government
Department of Education,
Skills and Employment

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT DATA

monthly summary

February 2021*

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT NUMBERS

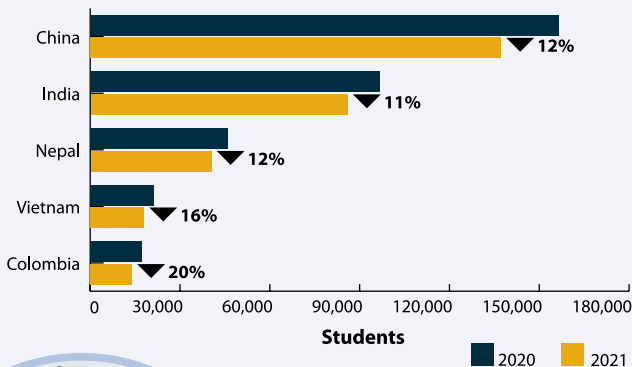


483,484

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
IN FEBRUARY 2021



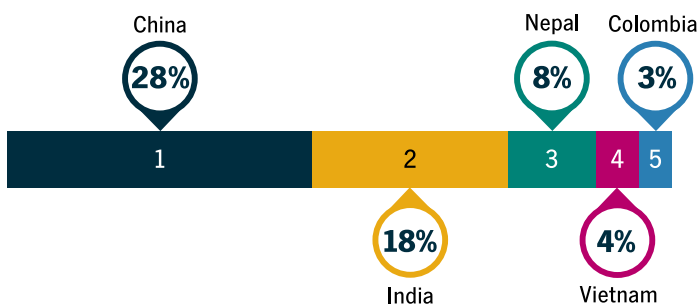
This is **-17%**
students than
in February 2020



TOP FIVE COUNTRIES

61%

OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ARE FROM THESE TOP FIVE COUNTRIES



ENROLMENTS

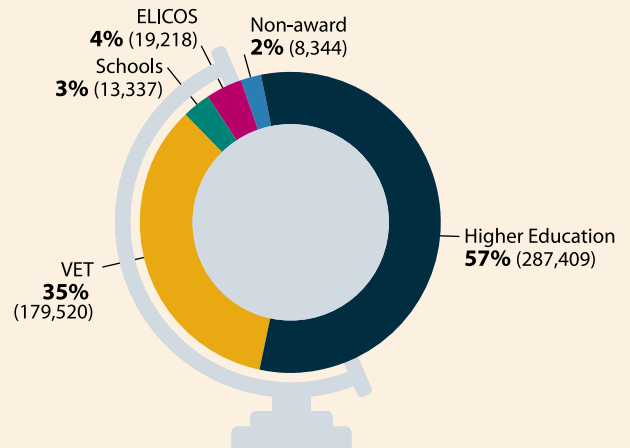


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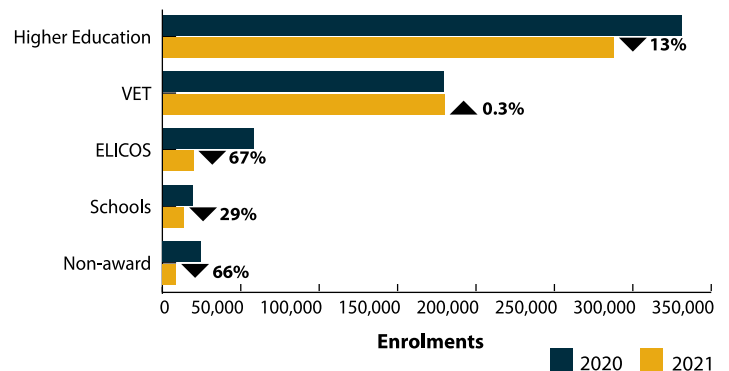
INTERNATIONAL ENROLMENTS
IN FEBRUARY 2021

Enrolments show what courses international students are studying in the Higher Education, VET, Schools, English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELICOS) and Non-award sectors.

There are more enrolments than students since a student can study in more than one course in one calendar year.



EDUCATION SECTORS



* Note: The February data should be interpreted with caution as most higher education and vocational education and training (VET) commencements for first semester typically take place in March each year.

Also note that an enrolment does not confirm that a student is currently in Australia.