

Question on Notice
No. 985
Asked on 1 September 2004

MR QUINN asked the Minister for Education and the Arts (Ms Bligh) –

QUESTION:

Will she indicate the total number of State education teachers dedicated to special education in Queensland, each year for 2001, 2002 and 2003?

ANSWER:

Education Queensland has provided the following numbers of teachers to support students with disabilities.

Year	Teacher FTE
2001	2184.7
2002	2448.7
2003	2642.0

Source: SWD Teacher FTE component of the 2001, 2002 and 2003 Estimated Actual numbers, Department of Education and the Arts Ministerial Portfolio Statements. The FTE counts are of teacher numbers from all funding sources and include the leave and release provisions arising from the growth in teacher numbers.