

**Question on Notice**  
**No. 1044**  
**Asked on 12 September 2023**

**MR M HEALY** ASKED MINISTER FOR EDUCATION, MINISTER FOR INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS AND MINISTER FOR RACING (HON G GRACE)

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise the total infrastructure investment in the Cairns Electorate State Schools since 2015 and the total infrastructure investment between 2012 and 2015 (reported separately by each state school)?

ANSWER:

The Department of Education is committed to building and maintaining fit-for-purpose learning environments that support educational outcomes.

Since 2015, the department has invested \$140.4 million (including GST) in building and maintaining education infrastructure at state schools in the Cairns Electorate, including a planned investment of \$34.6 million (including GST) in 2023–24.

Between 2012 and 2015, the department invested \$33 million (including GST) in building and maintaining education infrastructure at state schools in the Cairns Electorate.

<b>School Name</b>	<b>Investment 2012–13 to 2014–15 (Including GST)</b>	<b>Investment 2015–16 to 2023–24 (Including GST)</b>
Balaclava State School	\$850,519	\$10,043,366
Cairns School of Distance Education	\$894,330	\$7,747,977
Cairns State High School	\$10,494,176	\$23,400,561
Cairns West State School	\$2,868,547	\$16,942,542
Edge Hill State School	\$1,309,247	\$13,924,388
Parramatta State School	\$4,021,354	\$9,193,911
Trinity Bay State High School	\$8,161,510	\$54,233,119
Whitfield State School	\$4,374,164	\$4,882,339