

Question on Notice

No. 325

Asked on 3 April 2025

HON D FARMER MP ASKED MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND THE ARTS (HON J LANGBROEK)

QUESTION:

With reference to the Schooling Resource Standard (SRS)—

Will the Minister provide the SRS contributions as a percentage (in table format, reported separately by year) from 2012 to date?

ANSWER:

I am advised.

The Australian Government has released publicly available publications on the Commonwealth's contribution for the School Resource Standard (SRS).

The Member is able to access the Australian Government's relevant publications through referencing:

- Question on Notice 309 during the 2024-25 Supplementary budget estimates is available here: <https://www.aph.gov.au/api/qon/downloadestimatesquestions/EstimatesQuestion-Committeeld4-EstimatesRoundld21-Portfoliold41-QuestionNumber178> for 2018 - 2023, and;
- Question on Notice 178 during the 2023-24 Budget estimates is available here: <https://www.aph.gov.au/api/qon/downloadestimatesquestions/EstimatesQuestion-Committeeld4-EstimatesRoundld25-Portfoliold41-QuestionNumber309> for 2024.

The Australian Government has released publicly available publications on Queensland's contribution for the School Resource Standard (SRS).

The Member is also able to access the State's share through by referencing Queensland's Bilateral Agreement under the National School Reform Agreement (2018 - 2024) - <https://www.education.gov.au/recurrent-funding-schools/resources/queensland-bilateral-agreement>.

Pre-2018 SRS funding target shares have not been included as: the SRS was created with commencement of the *Australian Education Act 2013* from 1 January 2014; and Queensland did not have state SRS target shares for 2014 to 2017 as it was not a signatory to the *National Education Reform Agreement*.