



# Student Attendance Rates at Queensland State Schools

## Reports and statistics

- Individual school attendance rates are published on school websites as part of the School Annual Report. The *My School* website also provides individual school attendance rates.
- The student attendance rate is based on Semester One of each year and is generated by totalling the number of full-days and part-days attended for all students, and comparing this to the total of all possible days for students to attend, expressed as a percentage.
- All full-time students enrolled are included in attendance calculations, providing students were enrolled for at least some period during Semester One and still enrolled as at August Census. This is consistent with the National attendance measure agreed to by all jurisdictions and sectors.
- The overall 2009 student attendance rate for all Queensland State Schools was 90.7 per cent.
- It should be noted that during 2009 the Human Swine Influenza Pandemic (H1N1) occurred.

**Student Attendance Rates by Education Region, 2007 to 2009**

DET Region	2007	2008	2009
Central Queensland	91.3%	90.5%	90.4%
Darling Downs South West	92.0%	91.1%	90.5%
Far North Queensland	89.2%	88.7%	88.6%
Metropolitan	93.2%	92.6%	92.2%
North Coast	91.9%	91.3%	90.6%
North Queensland	90.1%	89.5%	89.0%
South East	91.5%	90.8%	90.5%
<b>Queensland</b>	<b>91.8%</b>	<b>91.1%</b>	<b>90.7%</b>

Source: Corporate Data Warehouse.