

School Curriculum and Standards Authority

Table 1.4 Composition of Year 12 cohorts, 2011 - 2012

Category of Students	Year							
	2011				2012			
	Male	Female	Persons	%*	Male	Female	Persons	%*
"Repeating" students**	52	20	72	0.31	26	14	40	0.17
"Re-entry" students***	7	6	13	0.06	7	2	9	0.04
Mature Age students****	248	219	467	2.02	191	220	411	1.75
Overseas full fee paying students*****	409	494	903	3.90	380	391	771	3.29

* The percentage of the number of Year 12 students who completed WACE course units. For a given year, the addition of the percentages is greater than 100 per cent as the categories used are not independent. That is, some "re-entry" students could also be classified as mature-age students. These students would have been counted in both.

** "Repeating" students are Year 12 students who completed at least one WACE course unit or equivalent and were Year 12 full-time (studying ten course units or equivalent) students in the previous year.

*** "Re-entry" students are Year 12 full-time students who received grades in subjects, completed course units or equivalent and had not been enrolled in a School Curriculum and Standards Authority Year 12 subject, course unit or equivalent for at least one year. Students who are re-entering do not have to enrol in the WACE course units completed previously.

**** Mature-age students are students aged 19 years or more on 1 March of the year they received grade(s) in at least one WACE course unit.

***** Overseas full fee paying students are Year 12 students who are classified as full fee paying students and are studying at an overseas school. These students completed at least one course unit or equivalent.