

H. Campus, student, and employee data

Figure H1
Location of campuses for Queensland universities

Region	CQU	GU	JCU	QUT	UQ	UniSQ	UniSC
Brisbane – East							
Brisbane – North							
Brisbane – South		2			1		
Brisbane – West					1		
Brisbane Inner City	1	1	1	2	1		1
Cairns	1		1				
Central Queensland	4						
Darling Downs – Maranoa						1	
Far North			1				
Gold Coast		1					
Ipswich						2	
Logan – Beaudesert		1					
Mackay – Isaac – Whitsunday	2		1				
Moreton Bay – North							1
Moreton Bay – South							1
Outback – North			1				
Outback – South							
Sunshine Coast							1
Toowoomba					1	1	
Townsville	1		1				
Wide Bay	1						2
Other ¹	10	1	2	1	1	1	4
Total	20	6	8	3	5	5	10

Notes: CQU – Central Queensland University; GU – Griffith University; JCU – James Cook University; QUT – Queensland University of Technology; UQ – The University of Queensland; UniSQ – University of Southern Queensland; UniSC – University of the Sunshine Coast.

¹ Other includes interstate, overseas, or online campuses, or other non-campus hubs.

Source: Queensland Audit Office.



Figure H2
Equivalent full-time student load for Queensland universities

Equivalent full-time student load represents the various study loads of students as a proportion of the study load they would have if studying full-time for one year.

Region	CQU	GU	JCU	QUT	UQ	UniSQ	UniSC
Brisbane – East							
Brisbane – North							
Brisbane – South		8,031			1,105		
Brisbane – West					38,104		
Brisbane Inner City	871	2,305	1,169	36,676	2,314		
Cairns	167		1,684				
Central Queensland	915						
Darling Downs – Maranoa							
Far North							
Gold Coast		12,189					
Ipswich						1,767	
Logan – Beaudesert		658					
Mackay – Isaac – Whitsunday	235		143				
Moreton Bay – North							306
Moreton Bay – South							3,128
Outback – North			4				
Outback – South							
Sunshine Coast							7,506
Toowoomba					1,632	10,063	
Townsville	29		7,289				
Wide Bay	294						394
Other	11,086	8,780	5,149	849			812
Total	13,597	31,963	15,438	37,525	43,155	11,830	12,146

Source: Queensland Audit Office.



Figure H3
Full-time equivalent employees for Queensland universities

Region	CQU	GU	JCU	QUT	UQ	UniSQ	UniSC
Brisbane – East							
Brisbane – North							
Brisbane – South		2,179			340		
Brisbane – West					6,703		
Brisbane Inner City	180	230		4,418	773	4	15
Cairns	85		459				
Central Queensland	826						
Darling Downs – Maranoa						12	
Far North			4				
Gold Coast		1,573					
Ipswich						417	
Logan – Beaudesert		172					
Mackay – Isaac – Whitsunday	108		27				
Moreton Bay – North							41
Moreton Bay – South							154
Outback – North			21				
Outback – South							
Sunshine Coast							1,007
Toowoomba					387	980	
Townsville	40		1,288				
Wide Bay	119						39
Other	399	134	126	206	383	4	1
Total	1,757	4,288	1,925	4,624	8,586	1,417	1,257

Source: Queensland Audit Office.



Figure H4
Location of Queensland grammar schools

Region	BGGS	BGS	IGGS	IGS	RGGS	RGS	TWGS	TVGS
Brisbane – East								
Brisbane – North								
Brisbane – South								
Brisbane – West								
Brisbane Inner City	1	1						
Cairns								
Central Queensland					1	1		
Darling Downs – Maranoa								
Far North								
Gold Coast								
Ipswich			1	1				
Logan – Beaudesert								
Mackay – Isaac – Whitsunday								
Moreton Bay – North								
Moreton Bay – South								
Outback – North								
Outback – South								
Sunshine Coast								
Toowoomba							1	
Townsville								3
Wide Bay								
Total	1	3						

Note: BGGS – Brisbane Girls Grammar School; BGS – Brisbane Grammar School; IGGS – Ipswich Girls' Grammar School; IGS – Ipswich Grammar School; RGGS – Rockhampton Girls Grammar School; RGS – Rockhampton Grammar School; TWGS – Toowoomba Grammar School; TVGS – Townsville Grammar School.

Source: Queensland Audit Office.



Figure H5
Equivalent full-time student load for Queensland grammar schools

Region	BGGS	BGS	IGGS	IGS	RGGS	RGS	TWGS	TVGS
Brisbane – East								
Brisbane – North								
Brisbane – South								
Brisbane – West								
Brisbane Inner City	1,557	1,951						
Cairns								
Central Queensland					398	1,450		
Darling Downs – Maranoa								
Far North								
Gold Coast								
Ipswich			1,030	1,192				
Logan – Beaudesert								
Mackay – Isaac – Whitsunday								
Moreton Bay – North								
Moreton Bay – South								
Outback – North								
Outback – South								
Sunshine Coast								
Toowoomba							1,447	
Townsville								1,306
Wide Bay								
Total	1,557	1,951	1,030	1,192	398	1,450	1,447	1,306

Source: Queensland Audit Office.



Figure H6
Full-time equivalent employees for Queensland grammar schools

Region	BGGS	BGS	IGGS	IGS	RGGS	RGS	TWGS	TVGS
Brisbane – East								
Brisbane – North								
Brisbane – South								
Brisbane – West								
Brisbane Inner City	251	311						
Cairns								
Central Queensland					84	304		
Darling Downs – Maranoa								
Far North								
Gold Coast								
Ipswich			148	172				
Logan – Beaudesert								
Mackay – Isaac – Whitsunday								
Moreton Bay – North								
Moreton Bay – South								
Outback – North								
Outback – South								
Sunshine Coast								
Toowoomba							166	
Townsville								220
Wide Bay								
Total	251	311	148	172	84	304	166	220

Source: Queensland Audit Office.



Figure H7
Location of Department of Education schools

Region	Primary ¹	Secondary ²	Independent ³	Combined ⁴	Special ⁵
Brisbane – East	21	3	10	1	1
Brisbane – North	16		15		2
Brisbane – South	27	7	20	2	7
Brisbane – West	6	1	24		2
Brisbane Inner City ⁶	13	2	16		2
Cairns	50	6	12	5	
Central Queensland ⁶	78	14	2	8	3
Darling Downs – Maranoa ⁶	74	10	7	19	
Far North	16		1	7	
Gold Coast	33	6	34	1	2
Ipswich	69	10	16	1	5
Logan – Beaudesert	41	11	9		2
Mackay – Isaac – Whitsunday	57	12	1	3	
Moreton Bay – North	22	4	16	1	4
Moreton Bay – South	12	2	14		1
Norfolk Island				1	
Outback – North	13	1		7	1
Outback – South ⁶	19	2		10	
Sunshine Coast	31	6	24		3
Toowoomba ⁶	35	5	1		2
Townsville	51	6	11	1	3
Wide Bay ⁶	94	10	15	9	4
Total	778	118	248	76	44

Notes:

¹ Primary schools provide students with compulsory education from Prep to Year 6.

² Secondary schools (or high schools) provide educational programs for students from Year 7 to Year 12, with Years 7 to 10 compulsory.

³ Independent public schools can include schools from any other category. These schools are afforded greater autonomy in decision-making, and increased capacity to work in new ways.

⁴ Combined schools generally provide education to students from Prep to Year 10 or Year 12, depending on the school's location.

⁵ Special schools provide highly specialised and individual programs for students with significant support needs.

⁶ Each one of these regions had one or more schools with zero enrolments in 2024. (There were 12 in total.)

Source: Queensland Audit Office.

Figure H8
Equivalent full-time student load for Department of Education schools

Region	Primary	Secondary	Independent	Combined	Special
Brisbane – East	8,403	2,997	8,965	1,029	227
Brisbane – North	6,714		11,663		291
Brisbane – South	12,239	7,070	24,393	3,961	781
Brisbane – West	3,267	367	23,412		226
Brisbane Inner City	5,842	1,643	18,313		82
Cairns	10,754	4,266	10,591	7,003	
Central Queensland	14,162	9,896	5,611	1,087	278
Darling Downs – Maranoa	4,476	4,949	1,368	3,290	
Far North	619		1,236	2,680	
Gold Coast	17,203	7,303	37,341	1,745	351
Ipswich	21,124	10,272	12,957	1,679	892
Logan – Beaudesert	21,753	16,749	6,889		691
Mackay – Isaac – Whitsunday	12,225	8,690	84	489	
Moreton Bay – North	8,433	4,905	15,138	456	508
Moreton Bay – South	5,744	1,921	17,145		322
Norfolk Island				291	
Outback – North	1,765	913		1,412	27
Outback – South	543	482		1,124	
Sunshine Coast	11,139	5,259	24,966		415
Toowoomba	9,618	5,932	917		317
Townsville	9,538	2,832	11,236	334	320
Wide Bay	12,579	6,912	9,924	1,388	371
Total	198,140	103,358	242,149	27,968	6,099

Source: Queensland Audit Office.

Figure H9
Full-time equivalent employees for Department of Education schools

Region	Primary	Secondary	Independent	Combined	Special
Brisbane – East	873	339	922	135	109
Brisbane – North	666		1,272		163
Brisbane – South	1,182	758	2,286	418	461
Brisbane – West	306	63	2,273		149
Brisbane Inner City	583	192	1,724		132
Cairns	1,314	573	1,301	611	
Central Queensland	1,665	1,202	229	175	138
Darling Downs – Maranoa	652	726	167	573	
Far North	110		285	394	
Gold Coast	1,755	817	3,877	190	176
Ipswich	2,297	1,227	1,347	188	482
Logan – Beaudesert	2,277	1,839	746		311
Mackay – Isaac – Whitsunday	1,356	1,065	41	82	
Moreton Bay – North	960	570	1,597	65	281
Moreton Bay – South	578	233	1,707		145
Norfolk Island				39	
Outback – North	217	158		234	14
Outback – South	105	85		249	
Sunshine Coast	1,165	606	2,582		222
Toowoomba	1,112	730	135		174
Townsville	1,150	419	1,136	52	187
Wide Bay	1,640	928	1,218	242	193
Total	21,963	12,530	24,845	3,647	3,337

Source: Queensland Audit Office.



Figure H10
Campus data for Queensland vocational education and training

Region	TAFEQ	CQU
Brisbane – East	2	
Brisbane – North	2	
Brisbane – South	3	
Brisbane – West	1	
Brisbane Inner City	1	1
Cairns	6	1
Central Queensland	4	5
Darling Downs – Maranoa	4	
Far North	3	
Gold Coast	6	
Ipswich	3	
Logan – Beaudesert	3	
Mackay – Isaac – Whitsunday	3	2
Moreton Bay – North	2	
Moreton Bay – South		
Outback – North	3	
Outback – South	1	
Sunshine Coast	5	
Toowoomba	2	
Townsville	6	1
Wide Bay	8	1
Other ¹	5	3
Total	73	14

Notes: TAFEQ – TAFE Queensland; CQU – Central Queensland University.

¹ Other includes interstate, overseas, or online campuses, or other non-campus hubs.

Source: Queensland Audit Office.



Figure H11
Equivalent full-time student load for Queensland vocational education and training

Region	TAFEQ	CQU
Brisbane – East	5,656	
Brisbane – North	9,473	
Brisbane – South	15,995	
Brisbane – West	752	
Brisbane Inner City	23,128	474
Cairns	8,640	219
Central Queensland	3,605	2,632
Darling Downs – Maranoa	1,433	
Far North	472	
Gold Coast	11,125	
Ipswich	8,475	
Logan – Beaudesert	907	
Mackay – Isaac – Whitsunday	444	1,246
Moreton Bay – North	1,375	
Moreton Bay – South		
Outback – North	656	
Outback – South	85	
Sunshine Coast	12,632	
Toowoomba	7,268	
Townsville	3,549	107
Wide Bay	9,200	184
Other	28,471	10
Total	153,341	4,872

Note: TAFE Queensland does not calculate equivalent full-time student load. Student numbers provided are unique student numbers by campus. Student numbers provided by campus are higher than the total unique student count. Where a student attends more than one campus, they are counted once at each campus. Students trained via third-party providers or at offsite locations are reported against their enrolling campus.

Source: Queensland Audit Office.



Figure H12
Full-time equivalent employees for Queensland vocational education and training

Region	TAFEQ	CQU
Brisbane – East	178	
Brisbane – North	281	
Brisbane – South	746	
Brisbane – West	24	
Brisbane Inner City	852	8
Cairns	357	9
Central Queensland	8	179
Darling Downs – Maranoa	31	
Far North	8	
Gold Coast	620	
Ipswich	225	
Logan – Beaudesert	115	
Mackay – Isaac – Whitsunday	25	75
Moreton Bay – North	51	
Moreton Bay – South		
Outback – North	17	
Outback – South ¹		
Sunshine Coast	322	
Toowoomba	225	
Townsville	235	5
Wide Bay	190	14
Other	14	45
Total	4,524	335

Note:

¹ TAFEQ has 85 students and 0.1 FTE.

Source: Queensland Audit Office.

