

# SNAPSHOT

School and Learning Consultation 2016 - Year 7 to 12 students

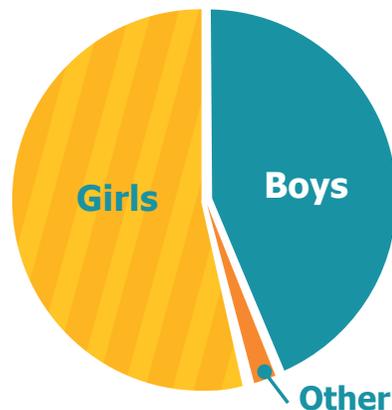


Commissioner for Children and Young People  
Western Australia

Who did we talk to?

# 850

students from Year 7 to Year 12 had their say



## Thank You!

In Terms 3 and 4 this year my staff and I visited 49 West Australian secondary schools to talk to students about what helps them do well at school and learning.

Thank you to every student who took part for sharing your views and ideas.

I have created this Snapshot so you can see what other students from all over the state had to say.

In 2017 I will publish a more detailed report on what WA students said about school and learning.

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They lived all over WA



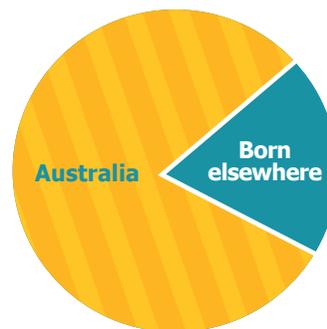
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# 80%

of students were Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander

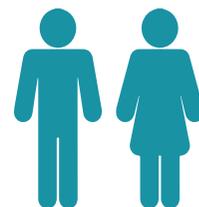
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students were in education support (from Year 3 to Year 12)



## Most students were born in Australia

Those students who were not born in Australia were mainly born in the United Kingdom, New Zealand, the Philippines and South Africa.



# 7%

of students said they had a long-term disability.

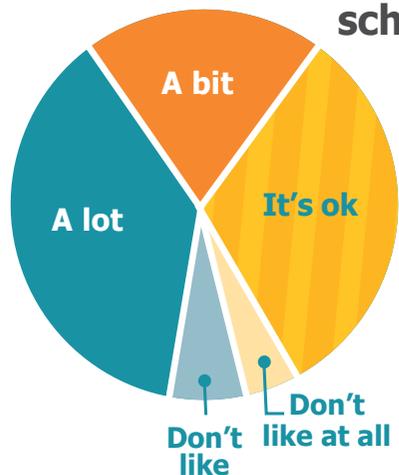
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of these students said it caused them some form of difficulty, mainly with doing school work in class and doing homework.



What did Year 7 to 12 students say?

## Do students LIKE school?



## What do students LIKE about school?

The **TOP** three things students liked were

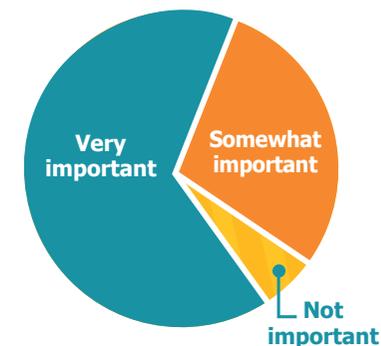


Students who do not like school said that the main reasons for this were that it was boring, that they did not like the way they were being taught and because it was not interesting.

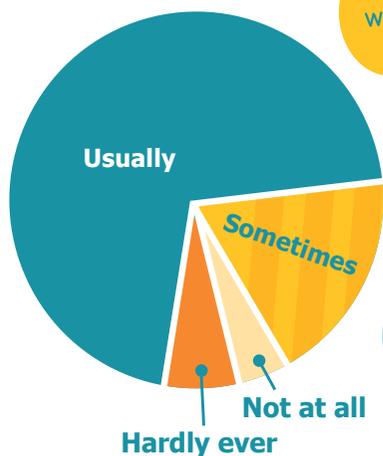


## Is it important for students to be at school every day?

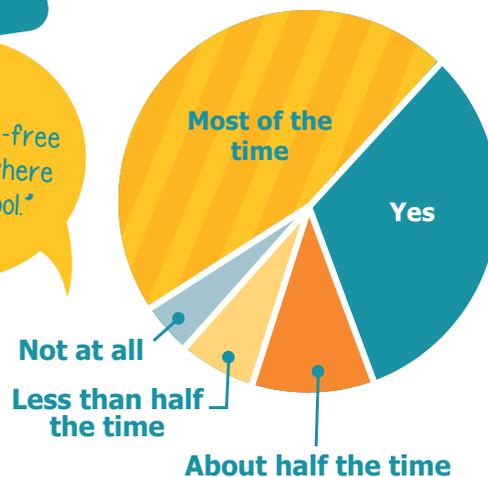
Nearly all students said their parents or carers think it is important for them to be at school every day.



## Do students get along with their teachers?



## Do students feel safe at their school?



## Have you 'wagged' school this year?

