

De-identified Student Level Dataset Data Dictionary

OFFICIAL

Variable	Type	Length	Label	Response Codes/Descriptions
TAA	Char	3	Test Administration Authority	NSW, VIC, QLD, SA, WA, TAS, NT, ACT
YEAR_LEVEL	Char	2	Year Level	Y3, Y5, Y7, Y9
RANDOM_SCHOOL_ID	Num	8	Randomised School ID	Randomised value from 1-10,000+
RANDOM_STUDENT_ID	Num	8	Randomised Student ID	Randomised value from 1-1,000,000+
ABS_REMOTENESS_CODE	Num	8	ABS Remoteness Code	0=Major Cities, 1=Inner Regional, 2=Outer Regional/Remote/Very Remote
SECTOR	Char	1	Sector	G=Government, N=Non-government
AGE	Num	8	Age	Age at time of test (to one decimal place)
SEX	Num	8	Gender	1=Male, 2=Female, 3=Other, 9=Not stated/Inadequately Described
INDIGENOUS_STATUS	Num	8	Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander status	0=Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander Origin including (Not Stated/Unknown), 1=Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Origin
LBOTE_STATUS	Char	1	Language Background Other Than English	Indicator for Language Background Other Than English: Y=Yes, N=No, 9=Not Stated/Unknown
PARENT1_SCHOOL_EDUCATION	Num	8	Parent 1 School Education	0=Not Stated/Unknown, 1=Year 9 or equivalent or below, 2=Year 10 or equivalent, 3=Year 11 or equivalent, 4=Year 12 or equivalent
PARENT1_NON_SCHOOL_EDUCATION	Num	8	Parent 1 Non-School Education	0=Not Stated/Unknown, 5=Certificate I to IV (including trade certificate), 6=Advanced diploma/Diploma, 7=Bachelor degree or above, 8=No non-school education
PARENT1_OCCUP_GROUP	Num	8	Parent 1 Occupation Group	1=Senior management, 2=Other business manager, 3=Tradesman/woman, clerks, sales and service staff, 4=Machine operators, 8=Not in paid work, 9=Not Stated/Unknown
PARENT2_SCHOOL_EDUCATION	Num	8	Parent 2 School Education	0=Not Stated/Unknown, 1=Year 9 or equivalent or below, 2=Year 10 or equivalent, 3=Year 11 or equivalent, 4=Year 12 or equivalent
PARENT2_NON_SCHOOL_EDUCATION	Num	8	Parent 2 Non-School Education	0=Not Stated/Unknown, 5=Certificate I to IV (including trade certificate), 6=Advanced diploma/Diploma, 7=Bachelor degree or above, 8=No non-school education
PARENT2_OCCUP_GROUP	Num	8	Parent 2 Occupation Group	1=Senior management, 2=Other business manager, 3=Tradesman/woman, clerks, sales and service staff, 4=Machine operators, 8=Not in paid work, 9=Not Stated/Unknown
TEST_PARTICIPATION_N	Char	2	Numeracy Test Participation	P=Present, A=Absent, E=Exempt, W=Withdrawn, S=Sanctioned Abandonment, R=Refused, C=school cancelled NAPLAN, N=No longer enrolled, M=Non-attempt. Refused are normally excluded from 2021 only.
TEST_PARTICIPATION_R	Char	2	Reading Test Participation	As above
TEST_PARTICIPATION_S	Char	2	Spelling Test Participation	As above
TEST_PARTICIPATION_G	Char	2	Grammar and Punctuation Test Participation	As above
TEST_PARTICIPATION_W	Char	2	Writing Test Participation	As above
WLE_R	Num	8	Current Reading Score	
WLE_W	Num	8	Current Writing Score	
WLE_S	Num	8	Current Spelling Score	
WLE_G	Num	8	Current Grammar and Punctuation Score	
WLE_N	Num	8	Current Numeracy Score	
Mode_R	Num	8	Current Reading Score Test Type Indicator	0=Paper test; 1=Online test
Mode_W	Num	8	Current Writing Score Test Type Indicator	0=Paper test; 1=Online test
Mode_S	Num	8	Current Spelling Score Test Type Indicator	0=Paper test; 1=Online test
Mode_G	Num	8	Current Grammar and Punctuation Score Test Type Indicator	0=Paper test; 1=Online test
Mode_N	Num	8	Current Numeracy Score Test Type Indicator	0=Paper test; 1=Online test
SAME_SCHOOL_FLAG	Num	8	Same School Flag	Student attending same school in previous NAPLAN test 0=No, 1=Yes (blank if unknown or not applicable)
PREV_WLE_R	Num	8	Previous Reading Score	
PREV_WLE_W	Num	8	Previous Writing Score	
PREV_WLE_S	Num	8	Previous Spelling Score	
PREV_WLE_G	Num	8	Previous Grammar and Punctuation Score	
PREV_WLE_N	Num	8	Previous Numeracy Score	