

**EDUCATION (FORMER RESIDENTS OF CERTAIN INSTITUTIONS FOR
CHILDREN) FINANCE BOARD**

ANNUAL REPORT 2009

1. Introduction

Section 32 (1) of the Commission to Inquire into Child Abuse (Amendment) Act 2005 provides that the Education (Former Residents of Certain Institutions for Children) Finance Board, hereinafter referred to as the Board, shall not later than 31 March in each year prepare and publish in such form and manner as it considers appropriate, a report of its activities and proceedings during the preceding year.

2. Establishment of Board

The Minister for Education and Science, as provided for in Section 23 of the Commission to Inquire into Child Abuse (Amendment) Act 2005, signed an order establishing the Education (Former Residents of Certain Institutions for Children) Finance Board on a statutory basis with effect from 17 February 2006.

The composition of the Board comprises a Chairperson and eight ordinary members all of whom are appointed by the Minister for Education and Science. The members are drawn from a wide range of backgrounds with a particular provision that four of the members shall be persons who are each former residents of one or more of the Institutions.

The Board held thirteen meetings during 2009. The Board also established a Finance Committee in November 2009 and that Committee met on two occasions in 2009. In addition sub groups of Board members met between Board meetings on a further eighteen occasions to deal with the approval of grant applications so that the payment of such grants could be facilitated.

The following were members of the Board during the period covered by this report:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Attendance at Board Meetings</i>
Richard Langford, Chairperson	13/13
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brian Mooney (Deputy Chairperson until 17.06.2009)) 	9/13
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Michael O Brien,(Deputy Chairperson from 17.06.2009) 	13/13
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inez Bailey (until 16.02.2009) 	2/2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> John Brennan 	11/13
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Christine Buckley (until 16.02.2009) 	1/2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bernadette Fahy (from 17.02.2009) 	10/11
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chris Heaphy 	11/13
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Peter Ormond (from 17.02.2009) 	10/11
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jacinta Stewart 	8/13
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Patrick Walsh 	12/13

Reports of all meetings of the Board from the date of establishment have been made available on the Board's website www.educationfinanceboard.com so that key

stakeholders and other interested parties can be regularly updated on the Board's activities.

3. Functions of Board

The principal functions of the Board laid down in the 2005 Act are

- To pay grants to former residents in institutions and their relatives (spouse, son, daughter, grandson, granddaughter, stepson, stepdaughter) to assist them to avail of such educational services as the Board may determine.
- To determine and publish the criteria by reference to which it will make decisions on applications to the Board for the payment of such grants.
- To make available to former residents and their relatives information in relation to the educational services in respect of which such grants are payable.

4. Criteria for Payment of Grants

Prior to the establishment of the Board grants were paid to eligible applicants under an administrative scheme operated under the aegis of the Minister for Education and Science. The criteria by reference to which decisions were made on applications for the payment of such grants were determined by an ad hoc committee set up to operate the administrative scheme. The total draw down from the fund under the administrative scheme amounted to €2,484,992.

As it did not wish to disrupt the momentum generated under the administrative scheme the Board on its establishment decided, pending the determination of revised criteria, to continue on an interim basis with the criteria used by its predecessor ad hoc committee subject to one minor amendment which it made to have regard to the detail of the legislation.

Detailed consideration was then given to reviewing the previous and interim criteria with a view to determining revised criteria which would build on experience to date of the ad hoc committee and of the Board itself. Arising from this review the Board determined revised criteria which it has published for implementation in the case of grant applications received on or after 17 November 2006. Arrangements are in place for the

criteria to be subject to review from time to time and the criteria were again reviewed during 2009 to reflect emerging patterns in grant applications and expenditure. The criteria in operation at 31 December 2009 are detailed in the attached Appendix A.

5. Finance

The funds available to meet the expenditure of the Board in the performance of its functions are identified in Section 26 of the 2005 Act. These funds arise from the contribution of €12,700,000 from the Religious Congregations under the terms of the Deed of 05 June 2002 augmented by interest earned on unspent amounts from which must be subtracted any amounts paid by the Minister for Education and Science before the passing of the 2005 Act as grants to former residents in Institutions and to the relatives of such persons to assist those former residents or their relatives to avail of education services.

Section 26 (2) provides that the National Treasury Management Agency shall establish an investment account into which the amount paid to it under Section 26(1) shall be deposited. The history of that account to 31 December 2009 is detailed in the attached Appendix B and shows a balance of €5,411,142 at that date.

Having taken account of expenditure to 31 December 2009 the total funds available to the Board at that date was €5,351,649 made up as follows:

Investment Account Balance	5,411,142
Funds held by City of Dublin VEC at 31 December 2009	2,936
Unspent Balance from ad hoc scheme drawdown	13,010
Prepayments	3,064
Less accrued liabilities at 31 December, 2009	(78,503)
	<u>5,351,649</u>

The Board has set annual and overall limits in its current criteria on the amounts it may pay to former residents and/or their relatives. Grants approved by the Board are in respect of tuition fees and educational assistance for a current academic year provided they are within these limits. Where a person has embarked on a course of study which will take place over a number of years, it has been the Board's policy to estimate the costs to completion of the course and to reserve the amount of these future costs or the balance

of the persons overall grant limit whichever is the lower. If all such commitments at 31 December, 2009 were to be realized, the remaining funds available to the Board for new applications would be reduced by an additional amount in the order of €1.2m.

6. Accounts and Audits

Section 31 of the 2005 Act provides for the submission of accounts kept in pursuance of this section to the Comptroller and Auditor General for audit not later than 3 months after the end of the accounting period to which they relate.

The accounts for the periods from the establishment of the Board on 17 February 2006 to 31 December 2006 and for the 2007 and 2008 years have been audited by the Comptroller and Auditor General and these have been presented by the Board to the Minister. These accounts have been published by the Board and are available on the Board's website.

The accounts for the year ending 31 December 2009 have been prepared and submitted to the Comptroller and Auditor General for audit. Immediately after the audit, a copy of such accounts as the Minister directs, together with the report of the Comptroller and Auditor General shall be presented by the Board to the Minister following which they will be published and made available on the Board's website.

7. Grant Approvals

During 2009 the Board approved 1914 grants. The corresponding figures for 2006, 2007 and 2008 were 892, 1200 and 1526 respectively. The overall value of the grant payments during 2009 amounted to €1,811,352.

The distribution of the 1914 approved grants is as follows:

	<i>2009</i>		<i>2008</i>		<i>2007</i>		<i>2006</i>	
Former Residents	440	23.0%	371	24.3%	311	25.9%	236	26.5%
Children	1,046	54.7%	880	57.7%	761	63.4%	598	67%
Spouses	74	3.9%	61	4.0%	48	4.0%	56	6.3%
Grandchild	342	17.9%	203	13.3%	76	6.3%	01	0.01%

	<i>2009</i>		<i>2008</i>		<i>2007</i>		<i>2006</i>	
Stepchild	12	0.6%	11	0.7%	04	0.3%	00	0.0%
Group	00	0.0%	00	0.0%	00	0.0%	01	0.0%

The current locations of the former residents and relatives in receipt of the 1914 grants are as follows:

	<i>2009</i>		<i>2008</i>		<i>2007</i>		<i>2006</i>	
Ireland	1525	79.7%	1168	76.5%	804	67.0%	646	72.4%
UK	323	16.8%	304	19.9%	349	29.1%	202	22.7%
Other	66	3.5%	54	3.6%	47	3.9%	44	4.9%

2009 Other (USA 30: Australia 11: New Zealand 6: Canada 5: Sweden 4: France 3: Germany 2: Jersey 2: Austria 1: Malta 1: Spain 1)

2008 Other (USA 19: Australia 17: Sweden 8: Spain 4: Germany 2: Jersey 1: Austria 1: Netherlands 1: France 1)

2007 Other (USA 20: Australia 16: Sweden 6: Germany 3: Spain 1: Canada 1)

2006 Other (USA 21: Australia 14: Sweden 3: France 3: Spain 1; Canada 1; Portugal 1)

Grants were not awarded in the case of 80 applications which did not satisfy the criteria determined by the Board. 13 (16.3%) of these were from former residents and 67 (83.7%) were from relatives.

The grants approved during 2009 represent a 27% increase on the 2008 outcome. This increase in the number of approvals is due in no small way to the efforts of the different support groups for former residents and of the outreach services. The Board appreciates and values this assistance which it hopes will continue in the future. The number of applications to the Board received a particular boost in the second half of the year following on the publication in May 2009 of the Ryan Report. Arising from this the total of approvals for the period from August to December 2009 was 808 compared with 596 for the same period in 2008 – an increase of 36%. While this is welcome, the Board has noted that the surge in applications has given rise to some unavoidable processing delays

and has undertaken a review of its procedures and related communications arrangements to deal with this issue.

8. Utilisation of the Fund

The Board has carried out an extensive examination of the grant payments for the academic/school year ending 31 August 2009 and the details of that analysis are given in the attached Appendix C.

This shows that 23% of the applicants in receipt of grants in that year were former residents and 77% were relatives (56% children/stepchildren: 17% grandchildren; 4% spouses) and that 26% of the funding was received by former residents with 74% being received by relatives (57% children/stepchildren; 13% grandchildren; 4% spouses).

18% of those in receipt of grants to pursue higher education programmes (i.e. at a level equivalent to or higher than Level 7 in the National Framework of Qualifications) were former residents and 82% were relatives. 31% of the funding allocated to higher education programmes was received by former residents with the remaining 69% being received by relatives. The average grant for higher education purposes was €3,009 for former residents and €2,236 for relatives reflecting the higher limits provided in the Board's criteria in the case of former residents.

52% of the applicants in that year were under 26 years of age (36% children/stepchildren; 16% grandchildren) 38% were aged between 26 and 54 (15% former residents; 20% children/stepchildren; 1% grandchildren; 2% spouses) and the remaining 10% were over 55 years (8% former residents; 1% children; 1% spouses).

9. Staffing

The initial core staffing consisted of a Secretary/ Manager and an administrative assistant with other staffing being appointed as required on a temporary basis to deal with the processing of applications as they arise.

As the only funds available to the Board towards expenditure in the performance of its functions are those in the investment account established under the provisions of Section

26 (3) of the 2005 Act, the Board has been particularly concerned to utilise those funds to the maximum extent possible in paying grants to former residents and their relatives and the Board has been careful to minimise the essential expenditure for administrative and governance purposes. This has entailed the appointment of some additional staff to sustain an appropriate level of service to its growing client base.

The City of Dublin VEC continues to provide a payments service and the Board is grateful to the Chairperson, members and CEO of the VEC for this assistance. The Board also greatly appreciates the assistance received during its establishment and as requested thereafter from the staffs of the Residential Institutions Redress and Legal Services Units of the Department of Education and Science.

10. Contact Details

The Board's offices are located at

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Appendix A

Education (Former Residents of Certain Institutions for Children) Finance Board

Criteria for Awarding Grants

2009

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Introduction

The Board intends that the grants to be paid from funds available under Section 26 of the 2005 Act will help applicants use the educational services decided by the Board.

The Board will have particular regard to the needs of former residents as well as those of any of their relatives with identifiable gaps in their education which arose as a result of residence in one of the specified institutions.

This booklet sets out the Board's criteria for awarding grants. The criteria may be revised from time to time and will be reviewed by the Board not later than September 2010.

The Board's full-time staff will handle applications for grants from former residents and their relatives. The Board welcomes all queries and applications. Should you have any queries or should you wish to make a grant application, please use the contact information in this booklet to speak to a member of staff.

Who may apply for grants?

The grants are open to all former residents of the institutions listed in the Residential Institutions Redress Act, 2002 (see www.educationfinanceboard.com) whose residency commenced prior to 11th May 1999 and to their relatives, i.e. their spouse, sons, daughters, grandsons, granddaughters, stepsons and stepdaughters.

Proof of residency

The relevant laws do not define the term 'resident', but it normally means living and sleeping in a place for some time. In general, the Board will consider whether the institution in question may be regarded as the applicant's home at the time.

Anyone who applies must supply satisfactory written and other appropriate evidence of identity and confirmation of residence in an institution. Relatives must also provide written evidence of their relationship to a former resident. The application form outlines the evidence required.

Courses and Criteria under which applications for funding are approved by the Board

1. Approved courses and programmes

The Board offers funding to eligible people for a range of approved courses.

(a) Adult Education, Life Skills, Post Leaving Cert., Undergraduate and Post-graduate courses

(b) Personal Development and Lifestyle courses, Driving Lessons, Literacy courses and One-to-One tuition.

(c) Primary, post-primary school support programmes

(a) Adult Education, Life Skills, Post Leaving Cert., Undergraduate and Post-graduate courses

Approved courses should:

- last at least one academic year, except in the case of Life Skills,
- ideally, be provided by a publicly-funded institution and,
- enhanced career opportunities should be an essential component of lifeskills courses.

If a suitable course is not available in a publicly-funded institution, the Board may consider applications for suitable courses offered by private bodies.

Approved courses must lead to qualifications that are recognised by a state-approved framework, whether in Ireland or another country.

In Ireland, the qualification must be placed at level 3 or higher in the National Framework of Qualifications.

An arrangement exists to align qualifications in Ireland and the UK. This will inform decisions on appropriate recognition for qualifications from UK courses.

The Board will consider courses not covered by this arrangement individually, to decide if an appropriate recognition for the qualifications can be made.

(b) Approval for other courses may include the following:

Personal development and lifestyle courses

Courses must be provided by a recognised provider or an accredited trainer of the nationally-recognised body.

Driving Lessons (up to 10 hours) To apply for funding for up to 10 hours driving lessons, all applicants must include a copy of a valid provisional driving licence.

A former resident who completes the initial 10 hours may be approved for up to another 10 hours if they provide a letter of recommendation from their driving instructor saying how many hours tuition they would need to pass the driving test.

Literacy, Numeracy and One-to-One Tuition The Board will consider these courses according to each applicant's needs and will need regular reports from the tutor to decide if further one-to-one tuition is needed.

(c) Primary, post-primary school support programmes

Extra tuition (normally one hour a week for each child) This covers extra tuition for school going students by qualified teachers if the school endorses it. The applicant must provide appropriate documents, i.e. a copy of the relevant teacher's qualifications; the teacher's PPS Number (RSI or National Insurance number in the UK) and the cost for each session.

After-school activities These might include activities such as music lessons, swimming and so on.

Short Courses

These must be formal education programmes. Examples include Gaeltacht trips or other summer language courses.

Transition Year

The Board may also consider Transition Year participation costs under this heading.

2. Special cases

If the Board believes that special circumstances apply, especially to a former resident, the Board has discretion to change the Criteria.

3. Reviewing decisions

If an applicant is not satisfied with a decision relating to their application, they may ask the Board to review it. If the applicant is dissatisfied with the Board's review, they may refer the matter to the Ombudsman.

4. Effective date

These rules take effect from the 1st September 2009.

These Criteria are subject to review and may be changed without notice.

Summary of Grants issued by the Board

5. Grants

Grants to former residents and /or their relatives may be paid under two headings as outlined below:

Grants towards Tuition Fees and Related Charges

These are a contribution towards the cost of tuition fees and /or related student service charges such as registration, examination or professional association fees.

Grants towards Education Assistance

These help applicants to continue with their participation in approved post-school, undergraduate and post-graduate courses.

6. Limits on Grants

There is a Total Grant Limit and an Annual Grant Limit on the amount payable to any former resident and/or their relative. These are as follows:

Total Grant Limit

- ✦ A total of €15,000 to a former resident.
- ✦ A total of €15,000 to all relatives of a former resident with a maximum of €5,000 to an individual relative

Annual Grant Limit

These limits are detailed in Section 8.

7. Points to note:

- ✦ Payment of all grants is subject to the availability of funds to the Board.

✦The Board can only pay grants to applicants that meet all the criteria of the grant scheme.

✦The Board will only support a single course at a particular level, unless there are exceptional circumstances. For example, if you receive a grant towards the fees or related charges of a primary degree, you cannot later apply for funding for a second primary degree.

✦The Board will only pay grants for the current year of study, i.e. 1st September 2009 to 30th August 2010. Applications relating to courses or course modules that have been completed in a previous academic year will not be eligible for grants or assistance.

8. Schedule of grants towards tuition fees, related charges and educational assistance

The maximum amounts a former resident and/or their relatives may get for suitable courses under this scheme are outlined below. These amounts are subject to the overall limits detailed in Section 6 above. The maximum amounts in this schedule, relate to the 'nett charge' for a course. This charge is the amount an applicant must personally pay for the course after receiving other grants. It is not the full cost of the course.

Annual Grant Limits on Tuition Fees and Related Charges

Grants

Fees for approved post-school, life skills and undergraduate courses:

Former Residents:

A maximum of €6,000 a year towards the nett charge

Relatives:

✦A maximum of €1500 a year where the nett charge is €3,000 or less each year.

✦Half the nett charge, up to a maximum of €2,000 a year, where the nett charge is more than €3,000 a year.

Fees for approved postgraduate courses:

Former Residents:

A maximum of €6,000 towards the nett charge for the normal length of the course

Relatives:

- ✦ A maximum of €1,500 a year where the nett charge is €3,000 or less each year.
- ✦ Half the nett charge, up to a maximum of €2,500 in each year, where the nett charge is more than €3,000 for each year of the course.
- ✦ Overall maximum €5000 for the length of the course.

Educational assistance

Full-time study: two payments of €800 a year (total €1,600)

Part-time study: two payments of €300 a year (total €600)

The Board will consider each application related to distance education individually

Applicants must provide written evidence that they are still taking part in the course to receive their second payment of the year

Annual Grant Limits on Personal Development and Lifestyle courses, Driving Lessons, Literacy and One-to-One tuition

Personal development and lifestyle courses

- ✦ A maximum of €1,000 for each applicant each year
- ✦ Assistance up to €200 towards additional certified expenditure in respect of course materials and other course-related costs may be available.

Driving lessons

- ✦ Car – a maximum of €40 per lesson, theory test, plus statutory test fee
- ✦ Truck or minibus or PSV Driver's Licence course – a maximum of €750 plus statutory test fee
- ✦ Coach – a maximum of €1000 plus statutory test fee
- ✦ Driving instructor – a maximum of €1,500 in Ireland and an appropriate contribution for a similar course overseas.

Extra tuition, after-school programmes and summer courses

- ✦ The Board has set aside a suggested budget of €75,000 for 2009/2010.
- ✦ Extra tuition and after-school programmes – a maximum of €30 an hour and €900 a year
- ✦ Course costs – a maximum of €900 a year.

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Background

The Education (Former Residents of Certain Institutions for Children) Finance Board

Under the terms of the Indemnity Agreement between the Irish State and 18 religious congregations, dated the 5th June 2002, a fund of €12.7 million is to be used for former residents and their relatives to facilitate them in accessing education programmes.

On 17th February 2006, Minister for Education and Science, Mary Hanafin TD, established a statutory body, the Education Finance Board/An Bord Airgeadais Oideachais, under the Commission to Inquire into Child Abuse (Amendment) Act 2005, to administer the fund. The Education Finance Board has replaced the Ad Hoc Committee that managed the fund until the legislation was in place.

The functions of the Board are as follows:

- to determine and publish the criteria for the payment of such grants
- to pay grants to former residents of institutions and their relatives to assist them in the availing of educational services
- to provide information in relation to educational services for which grants are payable

Appendix B

National Treasury Management Agency Investment Account

National Treasury Management Agency Investment Account

Section 26 of the Commission to Enquire into Child Abuse (Amendment) Act 2005 provides for the payment of a specified amount into an investment account managed by the National Treasury Management Agency (NTMA). Amounts were transferred by the Minister for Finance prior to the establishment of the board. The balance available at 31 December 2008 arose as follows.

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Contribution of Religious Congregations under the terms of the Deed of 5 June 2002	12,700,000
Accrued interest (second relevant amount)	240,000
Amount arisen by accretion (third relevant amount)	510,000
	13,450,000
Expenditure incurred under an ad hoc scheme which operated from 2003 prior to the establishment of the Board on 17 February 2006	(2,484,992)
Transfer to NTMA to establish investment account	10,965,008
Interest on amounts transferred up to establishment date	126,055
Fund opening balance at 17 February 2006	11,091,063
Total expenditure for the year 2006	(1,450,614)
Interest on amounts up to 31 December 2006	266,320
Fund opening balance at 1 January 2007	9,906,769
Total expenditure for the year 2007	(1,384,082)
Interest on amounts up to 31 December 2007	360,942
Fund opening balance at 1 January 2008	8,883,629
Total expenditure for the year 2008	(1,844,010)
Interest on amounts up to 31 December 2008	310,106

Fund balance at 31 December 2008	7,349,725
Recoupment of costs in 2008	3,190
Fund balance at 1 January 2009	7,352,915
Total expenditure for the year 2009	(2,046,412)
Interest on amounts up to 31 December 2009	45,146
Fund balance at 31 December 2009	5,351,649

Appendix C

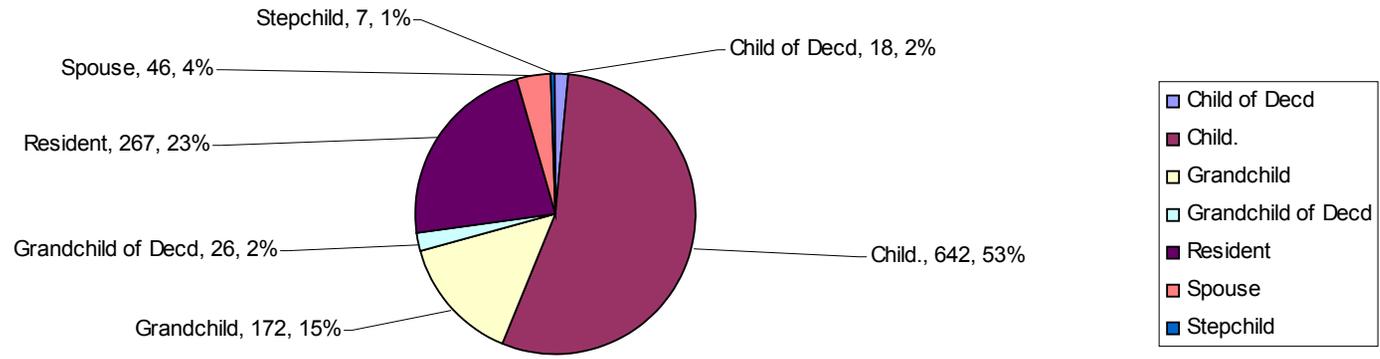
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Statistical analysis

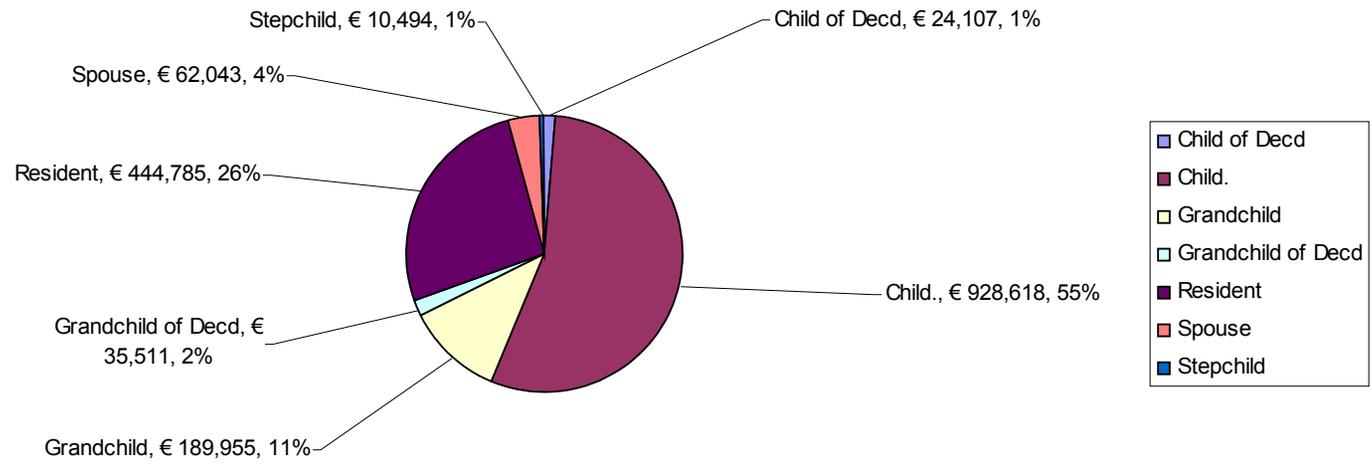
Amount Funded for Academic Year 2008 / 2009								
Course	Child of Decd	Child.	Grandchild	Grandchild of Decd	Resident	Spouse	Stepchild	Grand Total
After School Programme		€ 28,066	€ 14,981	€ 3,403				€ 46,450
Driving Lessons	€ 738	€ 28,721	€ 5,618	€ 526	€ 24,283	€ 2,255	€ 610	€ 62,751
Level 1 Certificate		€ 3,100			€ 10,311			€ 13,411
Level 10 Doctoral Degree		€ 3,200						€ 3,200
Level 3 Certificate Junior Cert		€ 13,887	€ 1,014		€ 21,903	€ 2,560		€ 39,364
Level 4 Certificate Leaving Certificate		€ 5,049			€ 4,650			€ 9,699
Level 5 Certificate Leaving Certificate	€ 2,680	€ 73,925	€ 3,884	€ 6,000	€ 34,821	€ 5,849		€ 127,159
Level 6 Advanced Certificate	€ 6,304	€ 58,386	€ 11,942	€ 1,500	€ 15,466	€ 3,450	€ 710	€ 97,758
Level 7 Ordinary Bachelor Degree	€ 1,500	€ 94,506	€ 11,483	€ 6,050	€ 63,996	€ 11,177		€ 188,711
Level 8 Honours Degree H Dip	€ 2,600	€ 471,832	€ 104,649	€ 14,487	€ 139,261	€ 21,344	€ 8,825	€ 762,998
Level 9 Masters Degree	€ 3,902	€ 71,398	€ 6,792		€ 59,212	€ 9,358		€ 150,660
Lifestyle	€ 6,383	€ 71,643	€ 29,594	€ 1,655	€ 61,172	€ 5,776	€ 350	€ 176,573
Professional		€ 4,735		€ 1,890	€ 9,710	€ 275		€ 16,609
Technical		€ 170						€ 170
Grand Total	€ 24,107	€ 928,618	€ 189,955	€ 35,511	€ 444,785	€ 62,043	€ 10,494	€ 1,695,513

Number of Applicants Funded for Academic Year 2008/2009								
Course	Child of Decd	Child.	Grandchild	Grandchild of Decd	Resident	Spouse	Stepchild	Grand Total
After School Programme		49	35	4				88
Driving Lessons	3	74	18	2	34	5	2	138
Level 1 Certificate		1			6			7
Level 10 Doctoral Degree		2						2
Level 3 Certificate Junior Cert		19	2		15	1		37
Level 4 Certificate Leaving Certificate		5			5			10
Level 5 Certificate Leaving Certificate	2	57	4	4	31	7		105
Level 6 Advanced Certificate	4	36	6	1	12	2	1	62
Level 7 Ordinary Bachelor Degree	1	48	7	3	27	6		92
Level 8 Honours Degree H Dip	2	193	44	6	41	10	3	299
Level 9 Masters Degree	1	32	3		11	2		49
Lifestyle	5	122	53	5	83	12	1	281
Professional		3		1	2	1		7
Technical		1						1
Grand Total	18	642	172	26	267	46	7	1178

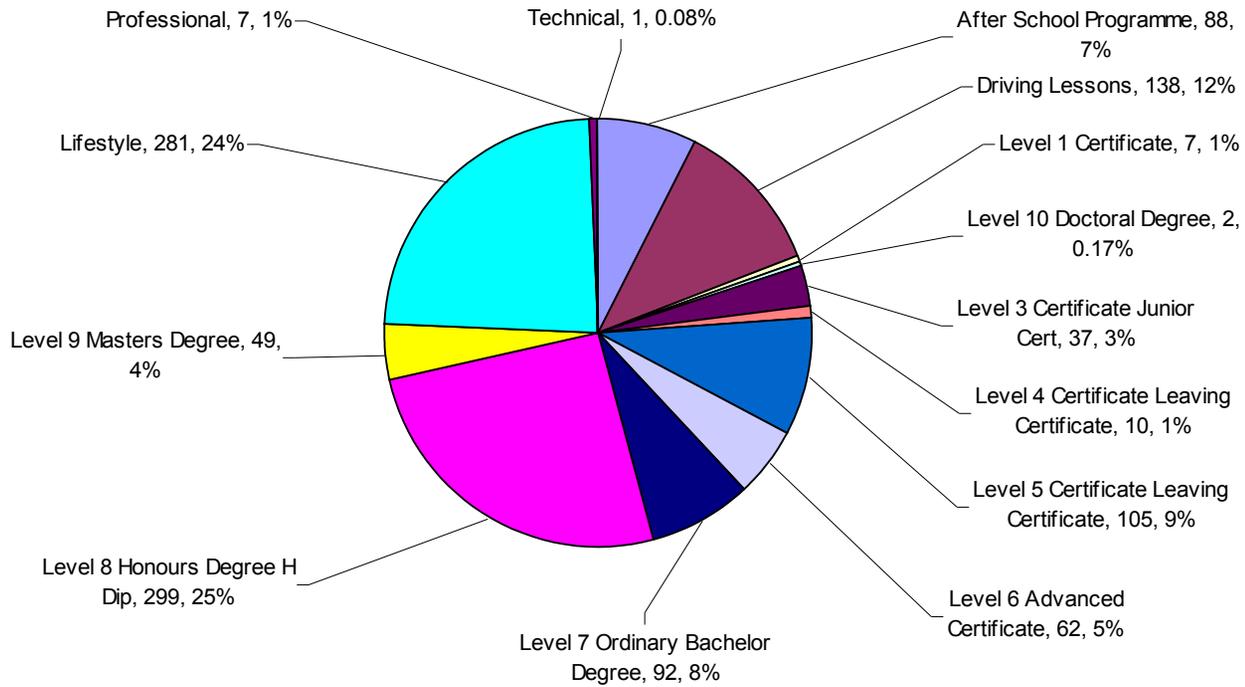
Number of Applicants by Category - 2008/2009



Amount Funded by Applicant Category - 2008/2009



Number of Applicants by Course Category - 2008/2009



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