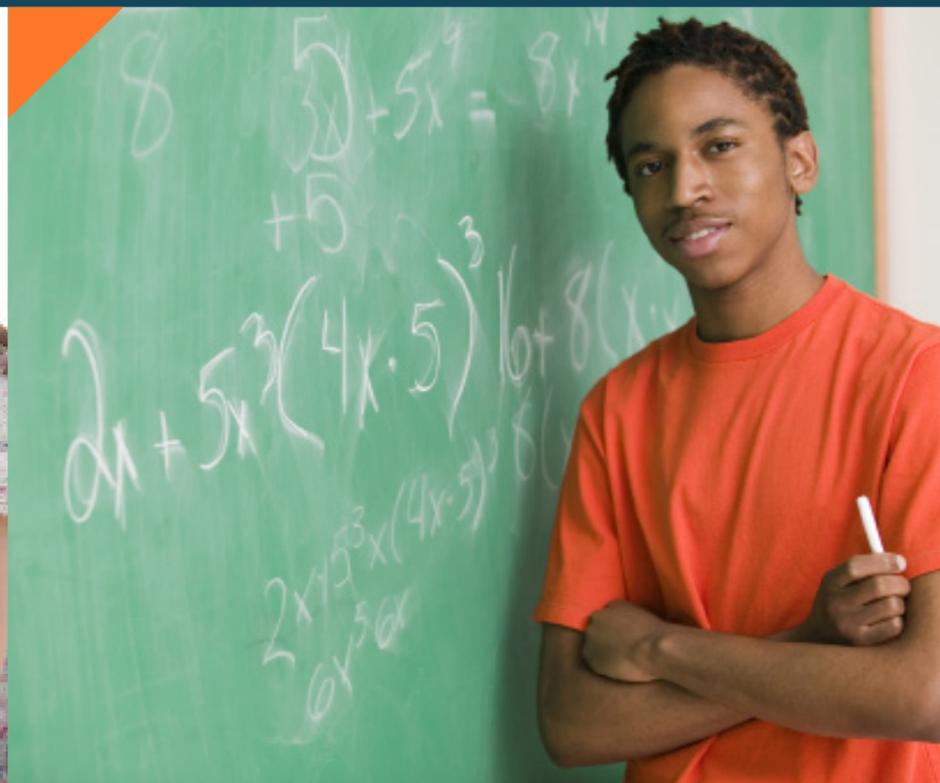


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**SCHOOL POPULATION**

The number of pupils in elementary and secondary education in this publication refers to all pupils and students enrolled (including pupils not eligible for funding) on 1 February 2015. For non-university tertiary education and university education, the data refer to all active enrolments in a degree contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2015 (enrolments on academic initial programmes). Courses in a language other than Dutch are also taken into account in the figures. A student may be enrolled on several programmes.

In adult education, the number of unique enrolments on a programme during the reference period is recorded. Students can enroll on more than one programme. The data concerning adult education refer to the period from 1 April 2014 to 31 March 2015. In part-time arts education, the number of pupils/students eligible for funding is reported. Individuals enrolled on more than one course of study are counted more than once.

In order to avoid double counting, pupils enrolled in special education due to long-term illness (type 5 special education) are not included in the figures for special education (121 pupils in special nursery education, 235 pupils in special primary education and 470 pupils in special secondary education on 1 February 2015).

Pupils and students enrolled in French language schools or in French language sections of Dutch language schools under the control of the Flemish authorities are not included in the figures either.

In the academic year 2013-2014 the higher education sector was thoroughly reorganised. With the exception of the academically oriented arts programmes and the academically oriented programmes offered by the Maritime Academy (Hogere Zeevaartschool), the university colleges have transferred their academically oriented bachelor and master programmes to the universities. Today the university colleges continue to offer their professionally oriented programmes and, in the context of a 'School of Arts', also academically oriented arts programmes. The Maritime Academy continues to organise both professionally and academically oriented programmes within the field of Nautical Sciences.

**SCHOOLS**

A school is an institution which provides education and which is managed by one principal.

In adult education, the term 'centre for adult education' is used; in adult basic education the term 'centre for adult basic education'. Institutions providing type 5 special education are not included in the figures (six schools in special nursery education, six schools in special primary education and five schools in special secondary education).

**STAFF**

Staff statistics only record staff members who are either paid directly by the Education and Training policy area or whose salaries are covered by the block grant awarded to higher education. As a consequence, staff members benefiting from the pre-pension scheme (TBS55+) are included in the figures. Maintenance, technical and service staff in subsidised educational networks are not included. Subsidised contractual staff are not taken into account either, as these staff members are not fully paid by the Education and Training policy area. Contractual staff in tenured posts is included in the figures.

Staff data for the 2014-2015 school year relate to January 2015, as known in June 2015. University staff data were provided by the Flemish Interuniversity Council (VLIR) and reflect the position on 1 February 2014. Data on the 2014-2015 academic year were not available at the time of publication (December 2015).

The staff data include school principals, vice-principals, teaching staff, administrative staff, manual staff in Community education, educational support staff, paramedic staff, staff of pupil guidance centres, inspectorate staff, educational advisors, staff in boarding schools and childcare workers in nursery education.

In this publication, most data in the tables and charts refer to staff members expressed as numbers of physical persons. Replacements of less than one year are taken into account. Physical persons are registered for the education level and education network where they carry out their main teaching assignment.

In a limited number of tables and charts the number of staff members is expressed in budgetary full-time equivalents. This is explicitly mentioned in the title. The number of budgetary full-time equivalents is the sum of all partial assignments of all staff members (i.e. including the replacements of less than one year). In university colleges, teaching assignments of visiting professors and mandate fees are not included in the full-time equivalents. For university education, staff figures include visiting professors and those in early retirement in terms of staff members, but not in the budgetary full-time equivalents.

As a result of the transfer (in 2013-2014) of the academically oriented higher education programmes from university colleges to universities, personnel involved in the transferred fields of study is no longer included in the staff statistics of the university colleges from 1 January 2014 onwards.

In the year 2013-2014 personnel working in the transferred fields of study in the Catholic University of Leuven (K.U.Leuven) and Ghent University (UGent) has already been reported in the staff statistics of the universities. The staff in the transferred fields of study of the other universities has been reported in the staff statistics of the university colleges. As from 2014-2015 all personnel in the transferred fields of study is reported in the staff statistics of the universities.

On 1 September 2009, the fourth stage vocational secondary education programme in nursing was converted into the associate degree programme. This kind of programme can be organised by secondary schools, centres for adult education and university colleges. The data for the associate degree in nursing are estimates. Since the school year 2009-2010, these data have no longer been reported in the tables on secondary education.

**BUDGET**

The budget is expressed in terms of available operating appropriations which are estimated annually and included in the (adjusted) expenditure budget of the Flemish authorities.

The operating appropriations comprise differentiated new commitment appropriations, variable appropriations and authorisations. The term 'available appropriations' means that these appropriations, in addition to the appropriations mentioned above, also comprise the share of overall provisions (mainly index and collective labour agreement) and reallocations of appropriations.

Certain cross-level expenses, of which the breakdown among the different levels is known, are allocated to the respective levels (including educational priority policy and investments). Without this adjustment, the picture of actual expenditure per level is distorted. For 2015, the actual data are not available yet, so either an estimate is used or the same breakdown as in 2014 is assumed.

The cost per pupil is calculated on the basis of the number of pupils enrolled.

These figures do not take account of the contributions by other (local) authorities, nor of the contributions by parents, schools and private companies.

**OTHER SECTIONS**

The information relating to infrastructure, NARIC and the examination board relate to the calendar year 2014.

**INFRASTRUCTURE**

The governing board of the educational institutions, boarding schools and pupil guidance centres in both subsidised public and subsidized private education can file an application for infrastructure subsidies to the Agency for Infrastructure in Education (AGIO). Infrastructure work in primary schools is 70% subsidised and other educational levels, boarding schools and the pupil guidance centres can receive a grant of 60% of their building cost. The school buildings of the Flemish Community were financed by GO! Education of the Flemish Community.

**NARIC**

NARIC-Flanders is responsible for the recognition of foreign diplomas in higher education (academic recognition), higher vocational education, adult education and secondary education, as well as for professional recognition for teachers from the EEA. In addition, NARIC-Flanders issues certificates to holders of a Flemish diploma who want to go abroad to work or study.

**EXAMINATION BOARD**

The Elementary Education Examination Board issues the certificate of elementary education. The Secondary Education Examination Board issues the diploma of secondary education.

Since October 2012 the procedures of the examination board have changed. Exams are now permanently organised.

**ABBREVIATIONS**

<b>M</b>	Male
<b>F</b>	Female
<b>T</b>	Total
<b>GO</b>	Community education
<b>VGO</b>	Subsidised private education
<b>OGO</b>	Subsidised public education
<b>ASO</b>	General secondary education
<b>TSO</b>	Technical secondary education
<b>KSO</b>	Arts secondary education
<b>BSO</b>	Vocational secondary education
<b>BCR</b>	Brussels-Capital Region
<b>CLB</b>	Pupil guidance centre
<b>HBO</b>	Associate degree
<b>NARIC</b>	National Academic (& Professional) Recognition and Information Centre
<b>n/a</b>	Not available
<b>SLO</b>	Specific teacher training
<b>PBA</b>	Professionally oriented Bachelor's degree
<b>MA</b>	Master's degree
<b>VLIR</b>	Flemish Interuniversity Council

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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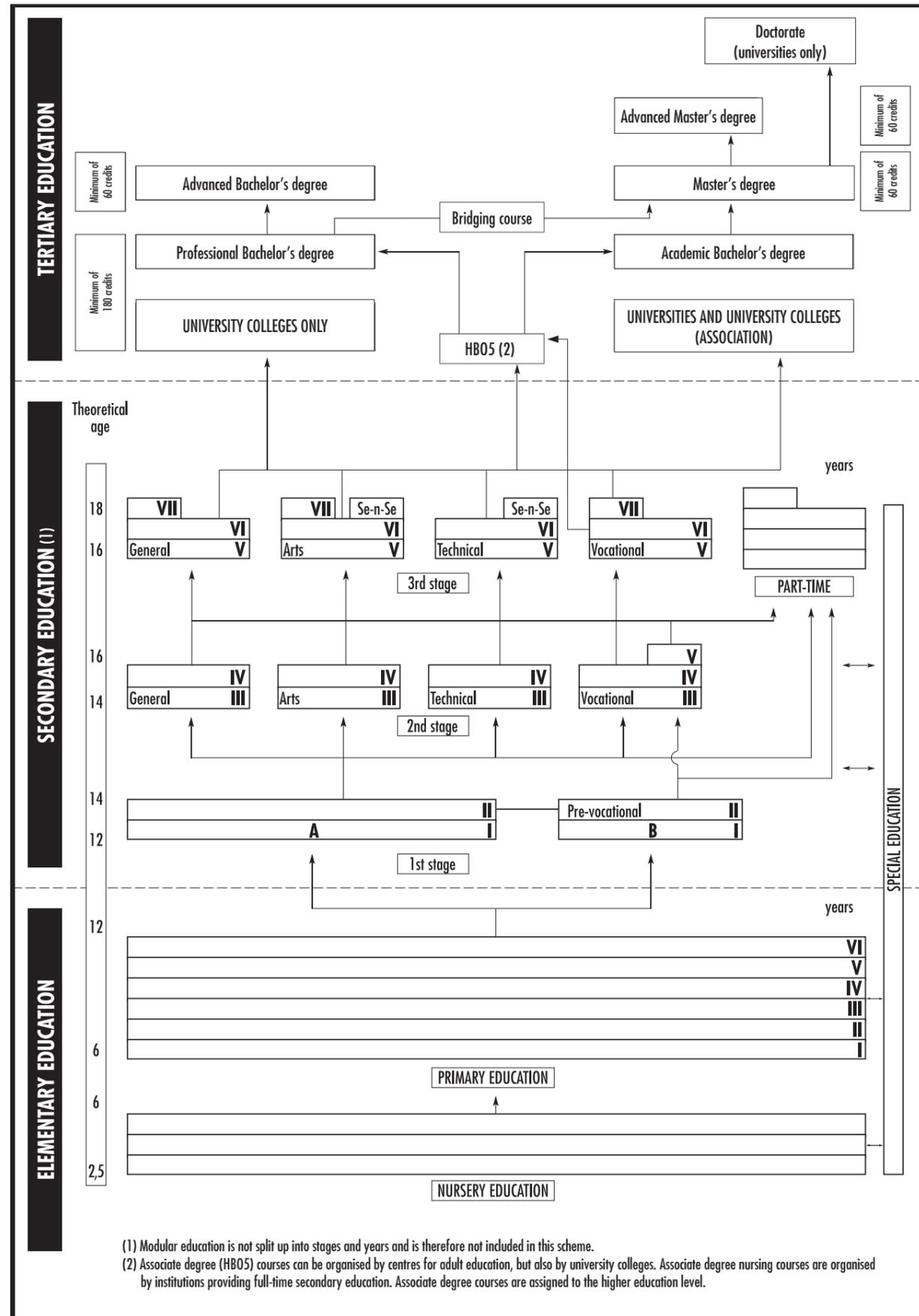
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# STRUCTURE OF FLEMISH EDUCATION

## STRUCTURE OF FLEMISH EDUCATION SCHOOL AND ACADEMIC YEAR 2014-2015



## 1 School population in Flemish education

Full-time education	
<b>ELEMENTARY EDUCATION <sup>(1)</sup></b>	
Nursery education	270,453
Primary education	438,580
<b>Total</b>	<b>709,033</b>
<b>SECONDARY EDUCATION <sup>(1)</sup></b>	
Full-time regular secondary education	416,847
Special secondary education	20,661
<b>Total</b>	<b>437,508</b>
<b>TERTIARY EDUCATION</b>	
Associate degree nursing <sup>(2)</sup>	7,402
Higher vocational adult education <sup>(3)</sup>	17,862
Specific teacher training <sup>(3)</sup>	9,355
University colleges <sup>(4)</sup>	115,359
Universities <sup>(4)</sup>	108,896

Part-time secondary education	
Part-time vocational secondary education <sup>(1)</sup>	8,807
<b>Adult education</b>	
Secondary adult education <sup>(3)</sup>	325,870
Adult basic education <sup>(3)</sup>	52,506
<b>Part-time arts education</b>	
Part-time arts education <sup>(5)</sup>	175,804

- (1) Elementary and secondary education: number of pupils enrolled (all enrolments) on 1 February 2015.  
 (2) Associate degree nursing: number of pupils enrolled on 1 February 2015.  
 (3) Higher vocational adult education, specific teacher training, secondary adult education and adult basic education: number of unique enrolments on a programme for the reference period 1/4/2014 - 31/3/2015.  
 (4) University colleges and universities: Bachelor's and Master's programmes. Data refer to all active enrolments in a degree contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2015. A student may have several enrolments.  
 (5) Part-time arts education: number of students eligible for funding. Individuals enrolled on more than one course of study are counted more than once.

	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015
<b>Part-time secondary education</b>						
Part-time vocational secondary education <sup>(1)</sup>	7,332	7,871	8,241	8,636	8,867	8,807
<b>Adult education</b>						
Secondary adult education <sup>(3)</sup>	303,912	314,576	322,744	328,087	324,903	325,870
Adult basic education <sup>(3)</sup>	n/a	45,909	45,283	45,780	47,861	52,506
<b>Part-time arts education</b>						
Part-time arts education <sup>(5)</sup>	170,337	171,663	173,486	174,102	175,251	175,804

- (1) Elementary and secondary education: number of pupils enrolled (all enrolments) on 1 February.  
 (2) Associate degree nursing: number of pupils enrolled on 1 February.  
 (3) Higher vocational adult education, specific teacher training, secondary adult education and adult basic education: number of unique enrolments on a programme for the reference period 1 April - 31 March.  
 (4) University colleges and universities: Bachelor's and Master's programmes. Data refer to all active enrolments in a degree contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June. A student may have several enrolments.  
 (5) Part-time arts education: number of students eligible for funding. Individuals enrolled on more than one course of study are counted more than once.

## 2 Changes in the school population by level of education

	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015
<b>Full-time education</b>						
<b>NURSERY EDUCATION <sup>(1)</sup></b>						
Regular	250,391	257,424	262,603	265,953	269,197	268,453
Special	1,962	1,975	1,986	2,023	2,042	2,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>252,353</b>	<b>259,399</b>	<b>264,589</b>	<b>267,976</b>	<b>271,239</b>	<b>270,453</b>
<b>PRIMARY EDUCATION <sup>(1)</sup></b>						
Regular	380,197	381,983	386,696	392,351	399,729	411,097
Special	27,705	28,225	28,566	28,481	28,307	27,483
<b>Total</b>	<b>407,902</b>	<b>410,208</b>	<b>415,262</b>	<b>420,832</b>	<b>428,036</b>	<b>438,580</b>
<b>Total elementary education</b>	<b>660,255</b>	<b>669,607</b>	<b>679,851</b>	<b>688,808</b>	<b>699,275</b>	<b>709,033</b>
<b>SECONDARY EDUCATION <sup>(1)</sup></b>						
Regular	429,745	424,820	420,685	418,817	417,469	416,847
Special	19,015	19,487	19,835	20,177	20,495	20,661
<b>Total secondary education</b>	<b>448,760</b>	<b>444,307</b>	<b>440,520</b>	<b>438,994</b>	<b>437,964</b>	<b>437,508</b>
<b>TERTIARY EDUCATION</b>						
Associate degree nursing <sup>(2)</sup>	5,271	5,837	6,255	6,869	7,383	7,402
Higher vocational adult education <sup>(3)</sup>	18,195	17,757	18,235	17,913	17,989	17,862
Specific teacher training <sup>(3)</sup>	8,314	9,097	9,199	9,305	9,425	9,355
University colleges <sup>(4)</sup>	116,613	123,629	128,498	132,120	112,360	115,359
Universities <sup>(4)</sup>	76,602	79,575	82,113	84,177	108,771	108,896

## 1 Educational institutions in Flemish education

Full-time education		Part-time secondary education	
<b>ELEMENTARY EDUCATION</b> <sup>(1) (2)</sup>		Part-time vocational secondary education <sup>(4)</sup> 47	
Autonomous nursery schools	164		
Autonomous primary schools	264	<b>Adult education</b>	
Schools providing nursery and primary education	2,159	Secondary adult education <sup>(5)</sup>	102
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,587</b>	Adult basic education	13
<b>SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>		<b>Part-time arts education</b>	
Full-time regular secondary education <sup>(3) (4)</sup>	944	Part-time arts education	168
Special secondary education <sup>(2)</sup>	114		
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,058</b>		
<b>TERTIARY EDUCATION</b>			
Associate degree nursing <sup>(3)</sup>	20		
Higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training <sup>(5)</sup>	40		
University colleges	16		
Universities	6		

(1) Autonomous nursery schools organise nursery education only. Autonomous primary schools organise primary education only.

(2) Excluding the so-called 'type 5-schools'. These schools organise special education of type 5 only (for pupils with long-term illness). In special elementary education, 6 schools organise nursery and primary education. In special secondary education there are 5 schools organising type 5-education. In order to avoid double counts, the pupils enrolled in special education type 5 are not included in the figures.

(3) 16 of the 944 schools organising full-time regular secondary education also organise the courses for the associate degree in nursing. Beside these schools, 4 schools only organise the courses for the associate degree in nursing. In the table above, the 16 schools referred to in this footnote are reported under both full-time regular secondary education and associate degree nursing.

(4) 42 of these 944 schools also organise part-time vocational secondary education. There are 5 schools that only organise part-time vocational secondary education. In the table above, the 42 schools referred to in this footnote are reported under both full-time secondary education and part-time vocational education.

(5) There are 107 centres for adult education. Some centres for adult education organise secondary adult education as well as higher vocational adult education. In the table, these centres are reported under both higher vocational adult education and secondary adult education.

## 1 Staff by level of education expressed in number of persons

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Elementary education	7,228	46,100	53,328	2,632	17,960	20,592	9,860	64,060	73,920
Secondary education <sup>(1)</sup>	20,806	36,588	57,394	6,829	12,216	19,045	27,635	48,804	76,439
Associate degree nursing <sup>(2)</sup>	139	897	1,036	78	384	462	217	1,281	1,498
Higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training	269	331	600	362	286	648	631	617	1,248
University colleges <sup>(3)</sup>	2,479	3,631	6,110	1,958	2,569	4,527	4,437	6,200	10,637
Secondary adult education	1,150	2,797	3,947	960	1,678	2,638	2,110	4,475	6,585
Adult basic education <sup>(4)</sup>	-	-	-	154	923	1,077	154	923	1,077
Part-time arts education	1,632	2,388	4,020	689	1,052	1,741	2,321	3,440	5,761
Staff of pupil guidance centres, education inspectorate, educational advisory service, boarding schools, ...	940	3,308	4,248	355	1,625	1,980	1,295	4,933	6,228
<b>Total</b>	<b>34,643</b>	<b>96,040</b>	<b>130,683</b>	<b>14,017</b>	<b>38,693</b>	<b>52,710</b>	<b>48,660</b>	<b>134,733</b>	<b>183,393</b>
Universities <sup>(5)</sup>							n/a	n/a	n/a

## 2 Staff by level of education expressed in number of full-time equivalents

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Elementary education	6,838	40,052	46,890	2,169	14,871	17,040	9,007	54,923	63,930
Secondary education <sup>(1)</sup>	19,669	31,785	51,454	6,109	10,625	16,734	25,778	42,410	68,188
Associate degree nursing <sup>(2)</sup>	113	758	871	51	311	362	164	1,069	1,233
Higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training	209	270	479	145	187	332	354	457	811
University colleges <sup>(3)</sup>	2,219	3,018	5,237	1,190	1,855	3,045	3,409	4,873	8,282
Secondary adult education	986	2,246	3,232	630	1,209	1,839	1,616	3,455	5,071
Adult basic education <sup>(4)</sup>	-	-	-	130	682	812	130	682	812
Part-time arts education	1,420	1,879	3,299	398	617	1,015	1,818	2,496	4,314
Staff of pupil guidance centres, education inspectorate, educational advisory service, boarding schools, ...	869	2,679	3,548	298	1,301	1,599	1,167	3,980	5,147
<b>Total</b>	<b>32,323</b>	<b>82,687</b>	<b>115,010</b>	<b>11,120</b>	<b>31,658</b>	<b>42,778</b>	<b>43,443</b>	<b>114,345</b>	<b>157,788</b>
Universities <sup>(5)</sup>							n/a	n/a	n/a

(1) Staff in full-time and part-time secondary education.

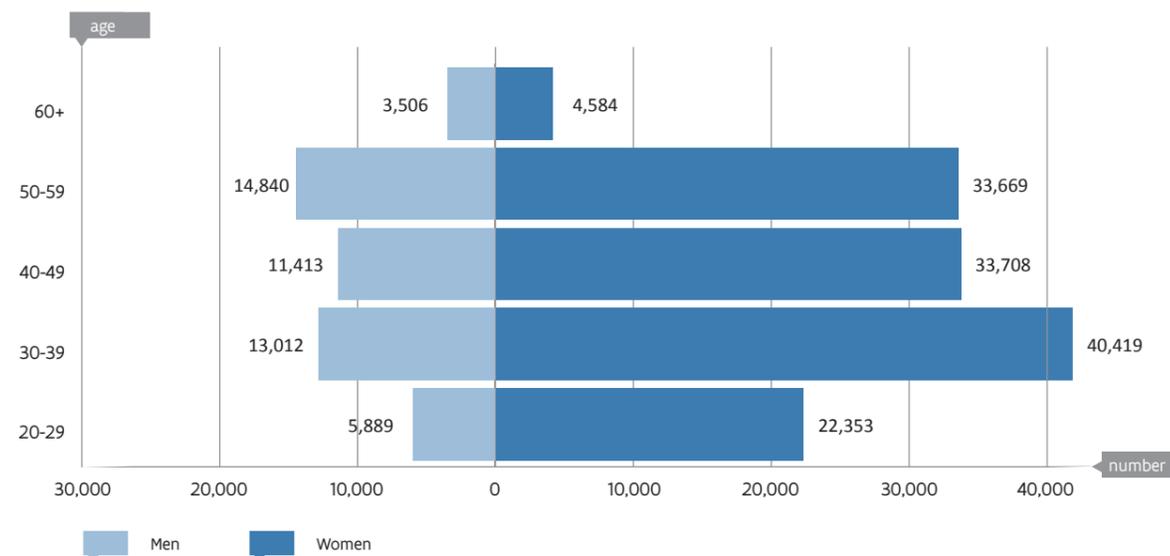
(2) The nursing courses at the 4th stage of vocational education became associate degree (HBOS) programmes in 2009-2010.

(3) In the data on the university colleges, visiting professors and mandate fees are not included in the number of full-time equivalents.

(4) Since 1 September 2008 the staff members working at adult basic education centres have been paid directly by the Education and Training policy area. The Education and Training policy area functions as a third-party payment provider for staff members who have an employment contract with the adult basic education centre but are not paid through any other channel. This third-party payment scheme was introduced on the basis of the Decree on Adult Education (15 June 2007).

(5) The data for February 2015 were not yet available at the time of publication.

## 3 Staff by age group and gender <sup>(1)</sup>



(1) Excluding staff employed by universities.

## 4 Changes in staff by level of education expressed in number of persons

	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015
Regular elementary education	59,986	60,147	60,377	62,203	63,171	64,013
Special elementary education	9,339	9,533	9,620	9,712	9,799	9,907
Regular secondary education <sup>(1)</sup>	70,936	70,275	69,507	68,527	67,973	67,419
Special secondary education	7,774	8,032	8,296	8,472	8,801	9,020
Associate degree nursing <sup>(2)</sup>	1,006	1,118	1,203	1,291	1,399	1,498
Higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training	1,301	1,302	1,308	1,261	1,245	1,248
University colleges <sup>(3)</sup>	12,730	12,705	12,592	12,705	11,142	10,637
Secondary adult education	6,180	6,284	6,331	6,417	6,511	6,585
Adult basic education <sup>(4)</sup>	848	868	899	914	950	1,077
Part-time arts education	5,613	5,680	5,708	5,728	5,755	5,761
Staff of pupil guidance centres, education inspectorate, educational advisory service, boarding schools, ...	6,223	6,274	6,270	6,269	6,282	6,228
<b>Total</b>	<b>181,936</b>	<b>182,218</b>	<b>182,111</b>	<b>183,499</b>	<b>183,028</b>	<b>183,393</b>
Universities <sup>(5)</sup>	11,838	12,016	12,169	12,405	15,085	n/a

## 5 Changes in staff by level of education expressed in number of full-time equivalents

	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012 <sup>(6)</sup>	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015
Regular elementary education	51,297	51,353	51,122	53,868	54,546	55,334
Special elementary education	8,108	8,267	8,312	8,468	8,520	8,596
Regular secondary education <sup>(1)</sup>	63,369	62,499	61,593	61,079	60,513	60,078
Special secondary education	6,969	7,228	7,416	7,661	7,944	8,110
Associate degree nursing <sup>(2)</sup>	825	911	978	1,047	1,143	1,233
Higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training	785	800	805	786	791	811
University colleges <sup>(3)</sup>	10,041	9,973	9,831	9,923	8,643	8,282
Secondary adult education	4,825	4,831	4,832	4,918	4,983	5,071
Adult basic education <sup>(4)</sup>	644	652	672	692	707	812
Part-time arts education	4,174	4,234	4,237	4,259	4,270	4,314
Staff of pupil guidance centres, education inspectorate, educational advisory service, boarding schools, ...	5,137	5,134	5,144	5,149	5,152	5,147
<b>Total</b>	<b>156,174</b>	<b>155,882</b>	<b>154,942</b>	<b>157,850</b>	<b>157,212</b>	<b>157,788</b>
Universities <sup>(5)</sup>	8,547.10	8,520.80	8,618.20	8,690.06	10,420.47	n/a

(1) Staff in full-time and part-time secondary education.

(2) The nursing courses at the 4th stage of vocational education became associate degree (HBO5) programmes in 2009-10.

(3) In the data on the university colleges, visiting professors and mandate fees are not included in the number of full-time equivalents.

(4) Since 1 September 2008 the staff members working at adult basic education centres have been paid directly by the Education and Training policy area. The Education and Training policy area functions as a third-party payment provider for staff members who have an employment contract with the adult basic education centre but are not paid through any other channel. This third-party payment scheme was introduced on the basis of the Decree on Adult Education (15 June 2007).

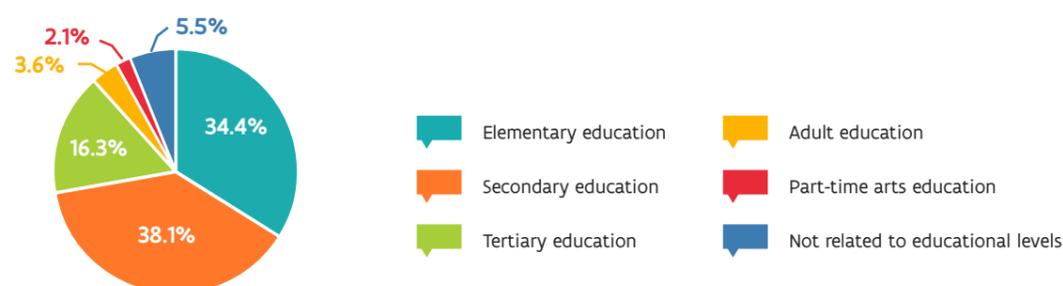
(5) The data for February 2015 were not yet available at the time of publication.

(6) The number of full-time equivalents in January 2012 may be lower than normal due to a strike. This strike is not taken into account in the calculation of the budgetary full-time equivalents.

## 1 Overall education budget (in thousands of euros)

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Changes in the Flemish education budget	9,854,971	10,144,051	10,386,131	10,649,922	10,908,442	10,870,582
The education budget as a percentage of the Flemish budget	39.24%	39.12%	38.63%	38.50%	38.80%	28.78%

## 2 Distribution of the education budget by educational level



## 3 Changes in the education budget by educational level (in thousands of euros)

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Elementary education	3,195,164	3,315,165	3,467,787	3,641,127	3,711,241	3,734,987
Secondary education	3,929,442	4,016,863	4,097,863	4,138,240	4,209,647	4,143,362
Tertiary education	1,652,037	1,669,649	1,644,017	1,683,089	1,746,594	1,775,196
Adult education	333,285	355,293	370,347	374,996	388,591	391,665
Part-time arts education	204,754	216,767	224,098	228,895	232,842	232,296

## 1 Approved subsidy amounts and approved subsidy applications by educational level in 2014

	VGO		OGO		Total	
	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications
Regular elementary education	91,885,464	825	44,132,387	56	136,017,852	881
Special elementary education	18,714,058	38	889,475	3	19,603,533	41
Full-time regular secondary education	76,044,022	410	7,075,401	20	83,119,423	430
Special secondary education	4,386,066	27	223,220	5	4,609,285	32
Part-time vocational secondary education	-	-	-	-	-	-
Adult education	2,301,747	18	105,966	2	2,407,714	20
Part-time arts education	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pupil guidance centres	819,488	13	-	-	819,488	13
Boarding schools	2,072,399	42	-	-	2,072,399	42
<b>Total</b>	<b>196,223,244</b>	<b>1,373</b>	<b>52,426,450</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>248,649,694</b>	<b>1,459</b>

## 2 Approved subsidy amounts and approved subsidy applications by province in 2014

	VGO		OGO		Total	
	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications
Antwerp	57,859,068	322	25,754,268	36	83,613,336	358
Flemish Brabant	22,303,488	186	6,876,743	8	29,180,231	194
BCR	9,647,485	41	3,555	1	9,651,040	42
West Flanders	25,224,678	292	599,717	4	25,824,395	296
East Flanders	43,411,982	282	18,257,134	27	61,669,116	309
Limburg	37,776,542	192	935,034	4	38,711,576	196
<b>Total</b>	<b>196,223,243</b>	<b>1,315</b>	<b>52,426,450</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>248,649,694</b>	<b>1,395</b>

### 1 School and study allowances by educational level

	Number of applications	Number of allowances granted <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	Percentage of allowances granted	Total amount of allowances granted (in euros)	Average allowance (in euros)
Nursery education	77,340	50,635	65.47%	4,668,547	92.20
Primary education	145,259	101,898	70.15%	13,342,260	130.94
Secondary education of which	166,038	114,509	68.97%	50,136,980	437.84
- Full-time secondary education	160,901	112,290	69.79%	49,504,294	440.86
- Part-time secondary education	5,137	2,219	43.20%	632,685	285.12
Associate degree nursing	2,842	1,477	51.97%	1,861,222	1,260.14
Syntra	1,113	615	55.26%	161,662	262.86
Tertiary education of which	70,943	42,252	59.56%	72,718,574	1,721.07
- University colleges	42,529	26,472	62.24%	44,162,898	1,668.29
- Universities	25,409	15,337	60.36%	27,800,907	1,812.67
- Unknown <sup>(3)</sup>	3,005	443	14.74%	754,769	1,703.77
<b>Total</b>	<b>463,535</b>	<b>311,386</b>	<b>67.18%</b>	<b>142,889,245</b>	<b>-</b>

(1) As known on 20/08/2015.

(2) School allowances are awarded to pupils in nursery, primary and secondary education; study allowances are awarded to students in higher education.

(3) The type of tertiary education is not known (because the student is studying abroad or in another Community of Belgium).

#### Remark:

The data above are not yet final as a number of applicants are still under consideration (57,209 applicants) for the school year 2014-2015. Due to this, the number of allowances granted may increase further.

### 1 Number of applications in 2014

	Number of applications
Higher education: PhD	20
Higher education: full equivalence	1,040
Higher education: level equivalence	244
Higher vocational education	170
Secondary education: level equivalence	1,032
Secondary education: full equivalence	22
Adult education	335
Certificates	247
Professional recognition	147
Referrals/rejections	163
Legal precedents	87
Level definition	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,507</b>

### 2 Number of decisions in 2014 <sup>(1)</sup>

Procedure	Positive <sup>(2)</sup>	Negative <sup>(3)</sup>	Other <sup>(4)</sup>
Higher education: PhD	15	-	1
Higher education: full equivalence	356	59	261
Higher education: level equivalence	134	8	15
Higher vocational education	44	25	62
Secondary education: full equivalence	11	2	-
Secondary education: level equivalence	658	20	243
Adult education	190	35	1
Professional recognition	114	4	-
Certificates	82	-	1
<b>Legal precedent</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,619</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>584</b>

(1) A file needs to be completed before a final decision can be taken. For this reason incomplete files are not taken into account.

(2) The person concerned receives the equivalence (s)he applied for or for which the file was initially examined.

(3) In case of a negative decision equivalence is not granted.

(4) An 'other' decision concerns an equivalence with another study certificate or level than the one initially applied for or examined. e.g. a person applies for equivalence with the degree of master but receives equivalence with the degree of bachelor.

### 3 Top 10 countries of origin of applicants in 2014

Secondary education		Tertiary education	
Country	Number	Country	Number
Morocco	138	The Netherlands	89
The Netherlands	115	Morocco	67
Romania	44	Iraq	62
Syria	44	India	60
Poland	42	Russia	57
Bulgaria	41	Syria	47
Turkey	32	Philippines	42
Afghanistan	27	Ukraine	41
Suriname	27	Iran	39
Iran	24	Poland	39

## A Elementary education

### 1 Number of participants to obtain a certificate of elementary education by province in 2014 <sup>(1)(2)</sup>

	Number of participants	Number of passed
Antwerp	10	8
Flemish Brabant	13	11
West Flanders	12	10
East Flanders	5	3
Limburg	6	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>35</b>

(1) A participant is a candidate who has passed at least 1 examination.

(2) The data by province refer to the province of the schools (where the examination takes place).

## B Secondary education

### 1 Number of registrations, enrolments and participants in 2014

	Number of registrations	Number of enrolments	Number of participants
Male	2,147	2,042	2,122
Female	1,690	1,616	1,751
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,837</b>	<b>3,658</b>	<b>3,873</b>

The figures above reflect the number of unique candidates who in 2014 were effectively enrolled in and paid for a course of study (enrolments) after they registered (registrations) at an information session. In 2014 there were 3,873 unique participants in at least one examination by the Examination Board of the Flemish Community (participants). This figure is higher than the number of enrolments because those candidates who enrolled for 2014 but did not yet graduate have been included in the figures.

### 2. Success rate by stage and type of secondary education in 2014

For 65% of all individual exams held by the Examination Board of the Flemish Community the candidate gained at least 50% of the marks. Subdivided according to type of education the success rate proved highest in vocational secondary education, followed by secondary education in the arts and technical secondary education. In general secondary education only slightly more than half of the candidates passed the examination.

	Number of exams	Passed	Failed	% passed
Examination Board	26,988	17,482	9,506	65%

### 3.3 Study certificates awarded by the Examination Board in 2014

Certificate 1st stage	17
Certificate 2nd stage	40
Diploma secondary education	938
<b>Total</b>	<b>995</b>

### 1 Number of subsidised/financed boarding schools and boarders <sup>(1)(2)(3)</sup>

	Number of boarding schools	Number of boarders				Total number of boarders
		Nursery education	Primary education	Secondary education	Associate degree nursing	
GO	31	39	386	1,858	7	2,290
VGO	103	62	806	7,220	155	8,243
OGO	3	13	50	76	31	170
<b>Total</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>1,242</b>	<b>9,154</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>10,703</b>

(1) Count date: 1 February 2015.

(2) Boarding schools with fewer than 30 boarders are not included, as they cannot be financed or subsidised.

(3) The following pupils and students are not reported in the data: 159 boarders in university colleges, 12 boarders in universities and 24 boarders in European schools.

## 1 Number of pupil guidance centres by educational network

	GO	VGO	OGO	Total
Pupil guidance centres	24	43	5	72
Permanent support units	1	1	1	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>75</b>

## 2 Staff of pupil guidance centres by legal status and gender (full-time equivalents)

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
GO	67	391	458	19	185	204	86	576	662
VGO	194	1,152	1,346	39	450	489	233	1,602	1,835
OGO	31	129	160	6	76	82	37	205	242
<b>Total</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>1,672</b>	<b>1,964</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>711</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>2,383</b>	<b>2,739</b>

## 3 Changes in staff of pupil guidance centres (full-time equivalents)

	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015
Tenured posts	2,004	1,990	2,040	2,001	2,004	1,964
Temporary posts	767	773	702	748	735	775
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,771</b>	<b>2,763</b>	<b>2,742</b>	<b>2,749</b>	<b>2,739</b>	<b>2,739</b>

## 1 Number of transported pupils by educational level and educational network

	GO <sup>(1)</sup>	VGO	OGO	Total
Regular elementary education	1,047	859	280	2,186
Special elementary education	7,438	17,354	4,204	28,996
<b>Total elementary education</b>	<b>8,485</b>	<b>18,213</b>	<b>4,484</b>	<b>31,182</b>
Regular secondary education	61	82	-	143
Special secondary education	5,422	12,039	2,296	19,757
<b>Total secondary education</b>	<b>5,483</b>	<b>12,121</b>	<b>2,296</b>	<b>19,900</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>13,968</b>	<b>30,334</b>	<b>6,780</b>	<b>51,082</b>

## 2 Number of transported pupils by transport mode

	GO <sup>(1)</sup>	VGO	OGO	Total
Pupils transported collectively <sup>(2)</sup>	11,581	23,414	5,189	40,184
Pupils transported individually <sup>(3)</sup>	2,387	6,920	1,591	10,898
<b>Total</b>	<b>13,968</b>	<b>30,334</b>	<b>6,780</b>	<b>51,082</b>

(1) For Community education only pupils within the zones are taken into account.

(2) A collectively transported pupil is a pupil using a special transport service with a minimum capacity of 7, financed or subsidised by the Flemish Community. Since 1 September 2001 this transport has been organised by the Flemish public bus company.

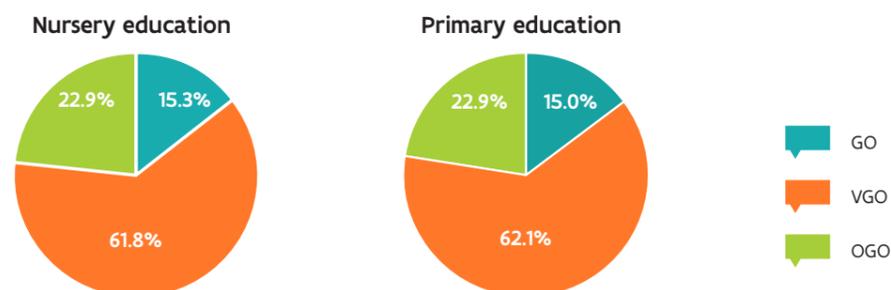
(3) An individually transported pupil is a pupil using public transport or a transport service with a capacity lower than 7, for which the Flemish Community contributes to the transport costs based on official public transport fares.

## 1 School population in elementary education <sup>(1)</sup>

		NURSERY EDUCATION			PRIMARY EDUCATION			ELEMENTARY EDUCATION (nursery and primary)		
		Regular	Special	Total	Regular	Special	Total	Regular	Special	Total
GO	M	21,039	440	21,479	30,803	4,255	35,058	51,842	4,695	56,537
	F	19,648	168	19,816	30,423	2,326	32,749	50,071	2,494	52,565
	T	40,687	608	41,295	61,226	6,581	67,807	101,913	7,189	109,102
VGO	M	84,547	811	85,358	128,317	10,410	138,727	212,864	11,221	224,085
	F	81,518	394	81,912	127,330	6,052	133,382	208,848	6,446	215,294
	T	166,065	1,205	167,270	255,647	16,462	272,109	421,712	17,667	439,379
OGO	M	31,715	133	31,848	47,699	2,791	50,490	79,414	2,924	82,338
	F	29,986	54	30,040	46,525	1,649	48,174	76,511	1,703	78,214
	T	61,701	187	61,888	94,224	4,440	98,664	155,925	4,627	160,552
Total	M	137,301	1,384	138,685	206,819	17,456	224,275	344,120	18,840	362,960
	F	131,152	616	131,768	204,278	10,027	214,305	335,430	10,643	346,073
	T	268,453	2,000	270,453	411,097	27,483	438,580	679,550	29,483	709,033

<sup>(1)</sup> In order to avoid double counting, pupils enrolled in special education due to long-term illness (type 5 special education) are not included in the figures. On 1 February 2015, there were 121 pupils in type 5 special nursery education and 253 pupils in type 5 special primary education. The average attendance between 1 February 2014 and 31 January 2015 in type 5 special nursery education is 126.56 pupils; for type 5 special primary education it is 209.38 pupils.

## 2 Distribution across the educational networks (nursery and primary education)

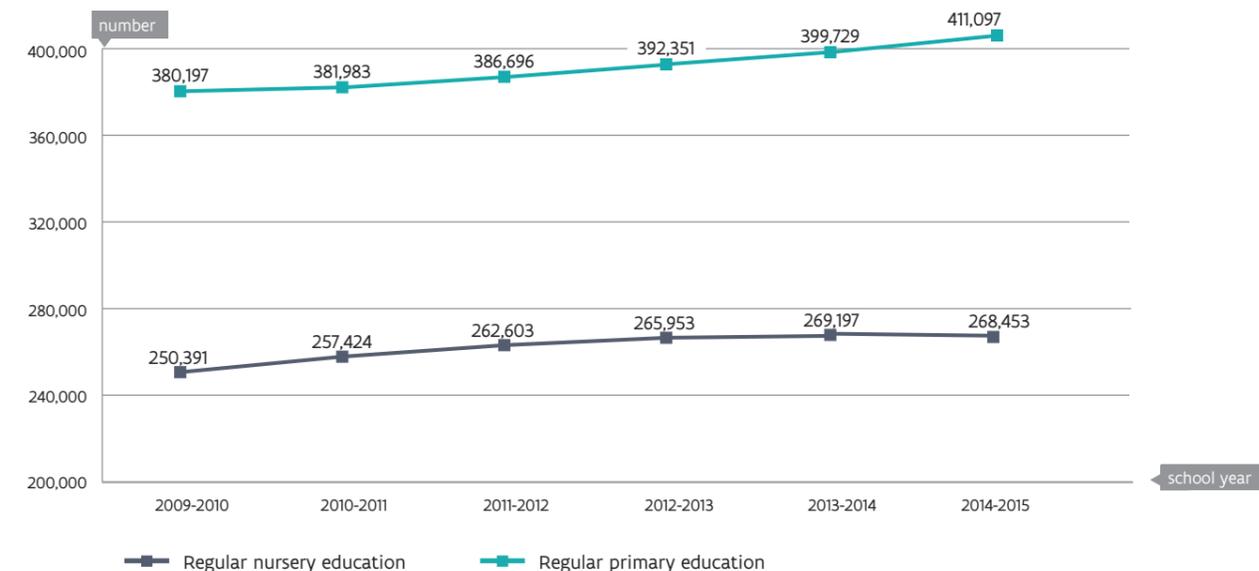


## 3 Distribution over the provinces <sup>(1)</sup>

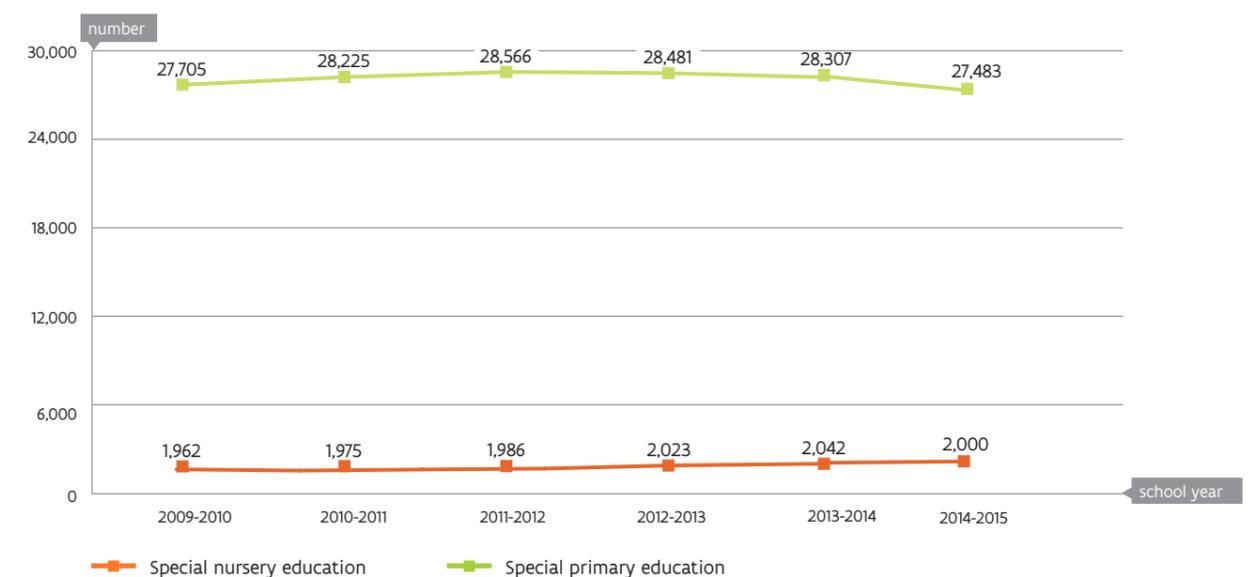


## 4 Changes in the school population in elementary education

### Regular elementary education



### Special elementary education



## 1 Schools in elementary education

	GO	VGO	OGO	Total
<b>NURSERY EDUCATION</b>				
Regular nursery education	382	1,355	487	2,224
Special nursery education	25	64	10	99
<b>Total nursery education</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>1,419</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>2,323</b>
<b>PRIMARY EDUCATION</b>				
Regular primary education	382	1,350	496	2,228
Special primary education	34	127	34	195
<b>Total primary education</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>1,477</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>2,423</b>
<b>ELEMENTARY EDUCATION</b>				
Regular elementary education	385	1,482	525	2,392
Special elementary education	34	127	34	195
<b>Total elementary education</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>1,609</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>2,587</b>

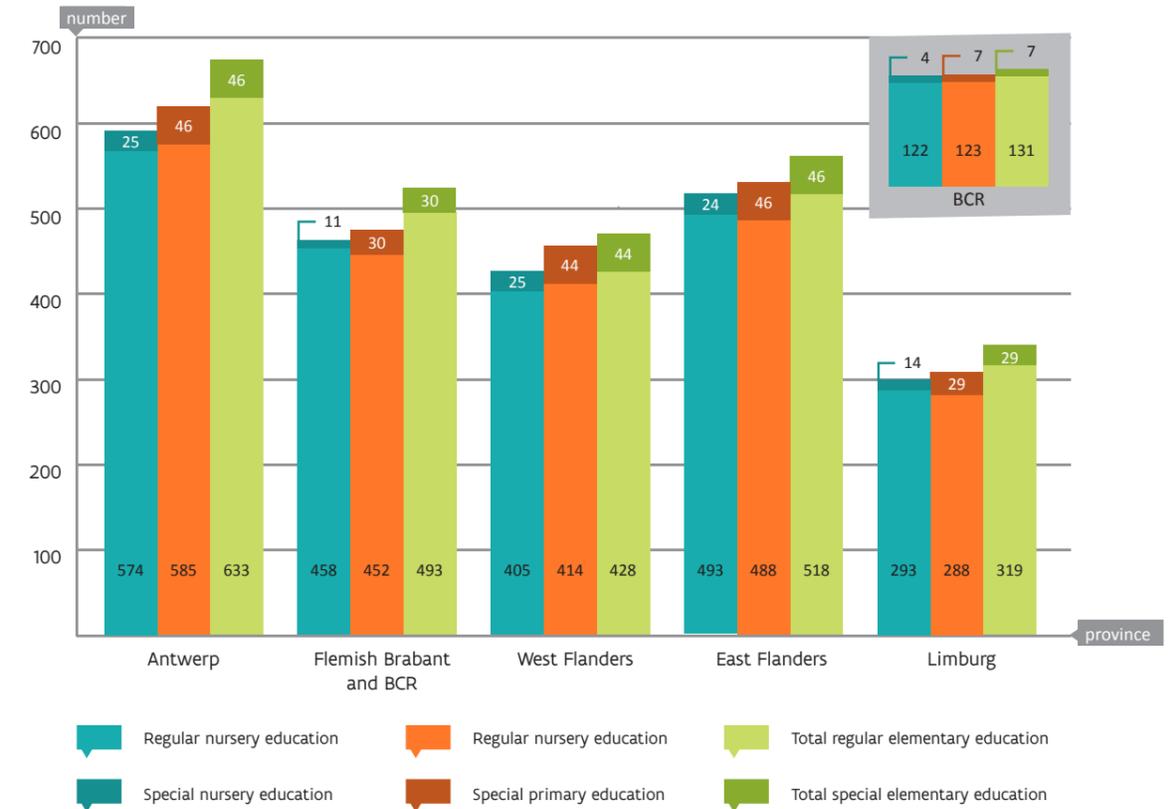
In elementary education a school can organise nursery education, primary education or both nursery and primary education. In the table above the following information is integrated:

- nursery schools: all schools organising nursery education
- primary schools: all schools organising primary education
- elementary schools: schools organising only nursery education, only primary education or both nursery and primary education.

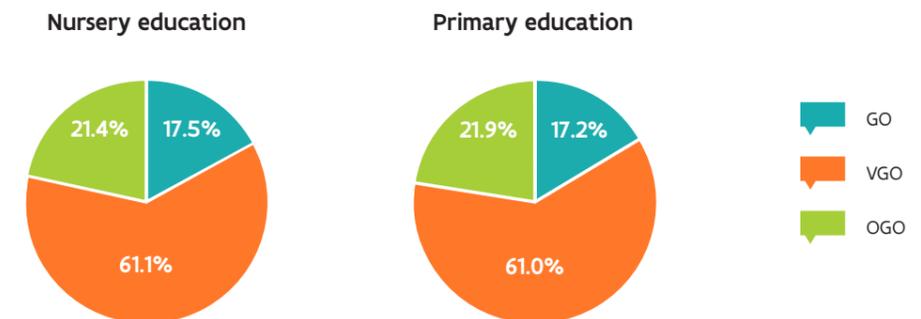
As a consequence, the sum of the number of nursery schools and the number of primary schools is higher than the number of elementary schools.

Besides these schools there were 6 schools organising type 5 special education (for pupils with long-term illness). These provide special nursery education as well as special primary education. They are not included in the data. French language schools are not included in the data.

## 2 Distribution across the provinces <sup>(1)</sup>



## 3 Distribution across the educational networks (nursery and primary education)



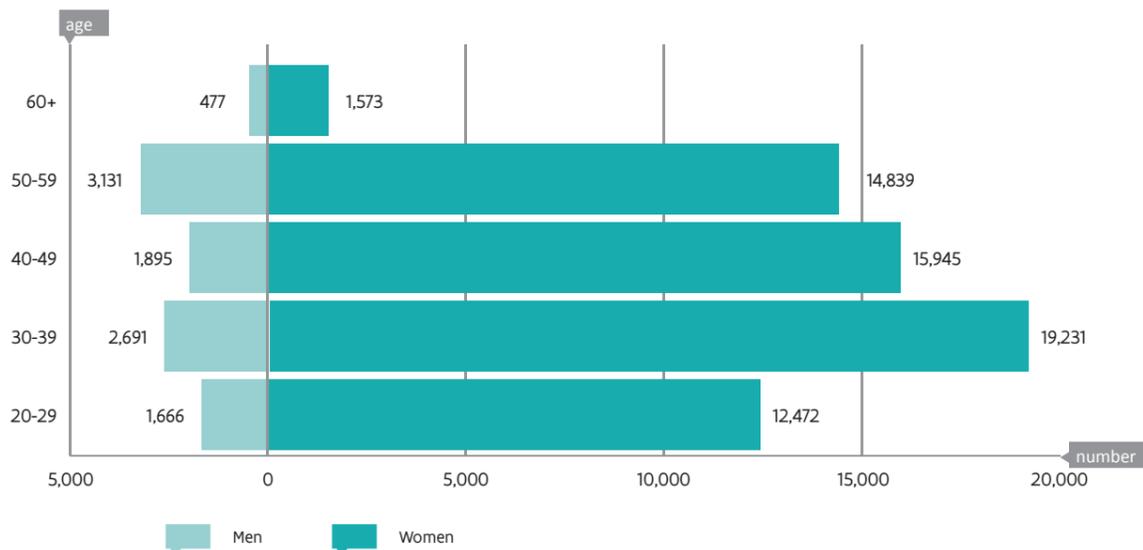
## 1 Staff in elementary education expressed in number of persons/number of full-time equivalents

	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	9,860	64,060	73,920
Number of full-time equivalents	9,007	54,923	63,930

## 2 Staff in elementary education by level of education and gender

	Men	Women	Total
Regular nursery education	684	22,351	23,035
Special nursery education	14	608	622
<b>Total nursery education</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>22,959</b>	<b>23,657</b>
Regular primary education	7,812	33,166	40,978
Special primary education	1,350	7,935	9,285
<b>Total primary education</b>	<b>9,162</b>	<b>41,101</b>	<b>50,263</b>
Regular elementary education	8,496	55,517	64,013
Special elementary education	1,364	8,543	9,907
<b>Total elementary education</b>	<b>9,860</b>	<b>64,060</b>	<b>73,920</b>

## 3 Staff in elementary education by age group and gender



## 4 Age structure of staff in elementary education by educational network and gender

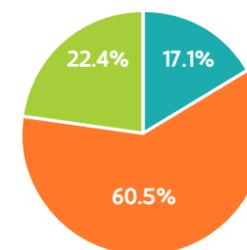
	GO			VGO			OGO			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
20-29	322	2,234	2,556	961	7,511	8,472	383	2,727	3,110	1,666	12,472	14,138
30-39	575	3,903	4,478	1,479	10,830	12,309	637	4,498	5,135	2,691	19,231	21,922
40-49	341	2,784	3,125	1,145	9,648	10,793	409	3,513	3,922	1,895	15,945	17,840
50-59	288	1,870	2,158	2,141	9,649	11,790	702	3,320	4,022	3,131	14,839	17,970
60+	71	313	384	282	891	1,173	124	369	493	477	1,573	2,050
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,597</b>	<b>11,104</b>	<b>12,701</b>	<b>6,008</b>	<b>38,529</b>	<b>44,537</b>	<b>2,255</b>	<b>14,427</b>	<b>16,682</b>	<b>9,860</b>	<b>64,060</b>	<b>73,920</b>
55+	236	1,163	1,399	1,291	4,470	5,761	479	1,802	2,281	2,006	7,435	9,441

## 5 Staff in elementary education by legal status and age group

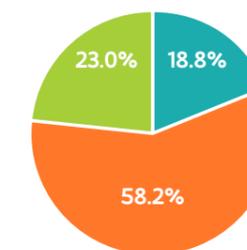
	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total
<b>REGULAR ELEMENTARY EDUCATION</b>						
Tenured posts	1,793	13,570	13,925	15,285	1,588	46,161
Temporary posts	10,521	5,060	1,501	595	175	17,852
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,314</b>	<b>18,630</b>	<b>15,426</b>	<b>15,880</b>	<b>1,763</b>	<b>64,013</b>
<b>SPECIAL ELEMENTARY EDUCATION</b>						
Tenured posts	281	2,468	2,166	1,987	265	7,167
Temporary posts	1,543	824	248	103	22	2,740
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,824</b>	<b>3,292</b>	<b>2,414</b>	<b>2,090</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>9,907</b>
<b>TOTAL ELEMENTARY EDUCATION</b>						
Tenured posts	2,074	16,038	16,091	17,272	1,853	53,328
Temporary posts	12,064	5,884	1,749	698	197	20,592
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,138</b>	<b>21,922</b>	<b>17,840</b>	<b>17,970</b>	<b>2,050</b>	<b>73,920</b>

## 6 Staff in elementary education by legal status (full-time equivalents)

Tenured posts regular and special elementary education



Temporary posts regular and special elementary education



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## 7 Staff in elementary education by educational network, legal status and gender

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>REGULAR ELEMENTARY EDUCATION</b>									
GO	777	5,555	6,332	376	2,247	2,623	1,153	7,802	8,955
VGO	3,718	20,968	24,686	1,013	7,545	8,558	4,731	28,513	33,244
OGO	1,366	8,185	9,551	502	3,082	3,584	1,868	11,267	13,135
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,861</b>	<b>34,708</b>	<b>40,569</b>	<b>1,891</b>	<b>12,874</b>	<b>14,765</b>	<b>7,752</b>	<b>47,582</b>	<b>55,334</b>
<b>SPECIAL ELEMENTARY EDUCATION</b>									
GO	247	1,436	1,683	78	501	579	325	1,937	2,262
VGO	610	3,093	3,703	152	1,206	1,358	762	4,299	5,061
OGO	120	815	935	48	290	338	168	1,105	1,273
<b>Total</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>5,344</b>	<b>6,321</b>	<b>278</b>	<b>1,997</b>	<b>2,275</b>	<b>1,255</b>	<b>7,341</b>	<b>8,596</b>
<b>TOTAL ELEMENTARY EDUCATION</b>									
GO	1,024	6,991	8,015	454	2,748	3,202	1,478	9,739	11,217
VGO	4,328	24,061	28,389	1,165	8,751	9,916	5,493	32,812	38,305
OGO	1,486	9,000	10,486	550	3,372	3,922	2,036	12,372	14,408
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,838</b>	<b>40,052</b>	<b>46,890</b>	<b>2,169</b>	<b>14,871</b>	<b>17,040</b>	<b>9,007</b>	<b>54,923</b>	<b>63,930</b>

## 8 Changes in staff in elementary education by legal status

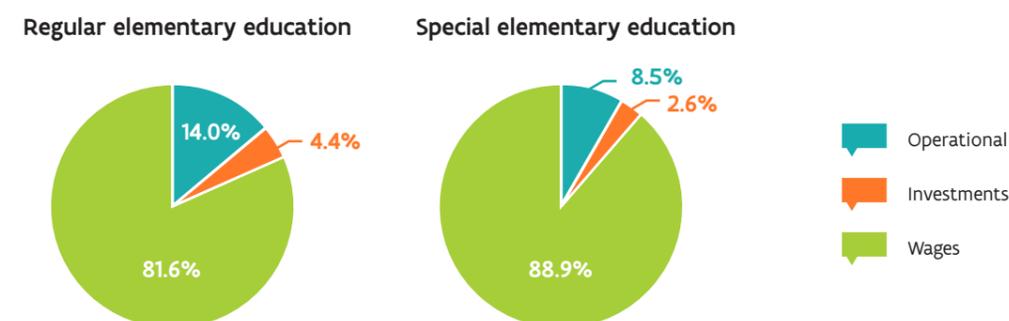
	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015
<b>REGULAR ELEMENTARY EDUCATION</b>						
Tenured posts	42,857	43,086	44,628	44,356	45,746	46,161
Temporary posts	17,129	17,061	15,749	17,847	17,425	17,852
<b>Total</b>	<b>59,986</b>	<b>60,147</b>	<b>60,377</b>	<b>62,203</b>	<b>63,171</b>	<b>64,013</b>
<b>SPECIAL ELEMENTARY EDUCATION</b>						
Tenured posts	6,421	6,599	7,045	7,104	7,142	7,167
Temporary posts	2,918	2,934	2,575	2,608	2,657	2,740
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,339</b>	<b>9,533</b>	<b>9,620</b>	<b>9,712</b>	<b>9,799</b>	<b>9,907</b>
<b>TOTAL ELEMENTARY EDUCATION</b>						
Tenured posts	49,278	49,685	51,673	51,460	52,888	53,328
Temporary posts	20,047	19,995	18,324	20,455	20,082	20,592
<b>Total</b>	<b>69,325</b>	<b>69,680</b>	<b>69,997</b>	<b>71,915</b>	<b>72,970</b>	<b>73,920</b>

## 1 Elementary education budget and share of elementary education in the overall education budget (in thousands of euros)

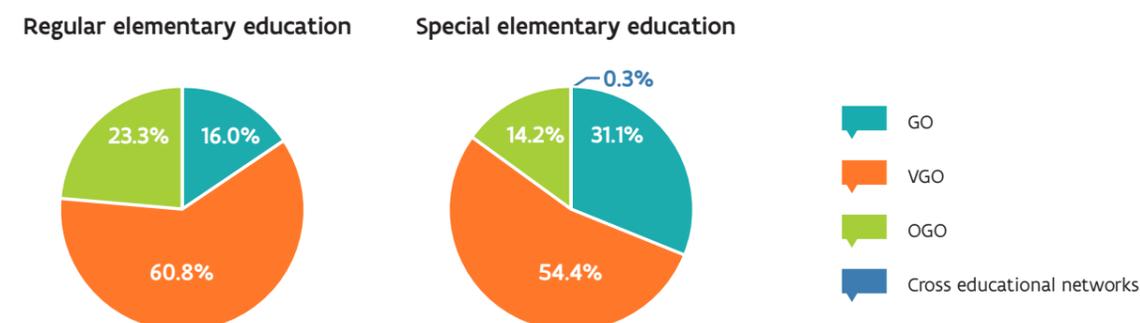
Elementary education budget	3,734,987
Regular elementary education budget	3,229,844
Special elementary education budget	492,119
Elementary education - not specified <sup>(1)</sup>	13,024
<b>Share of elementary education in the overall education budget</b>	<b>34.36%</b>

(1) The budget integrated in the category 'not specified' refers mainly to the budget for in-service training.

## 2 Elementary education budget by expenditure category



## 3 Elementary education budget by educational network



## 4 Changes in elementary education budget by expenditure category (in thousands of euros)

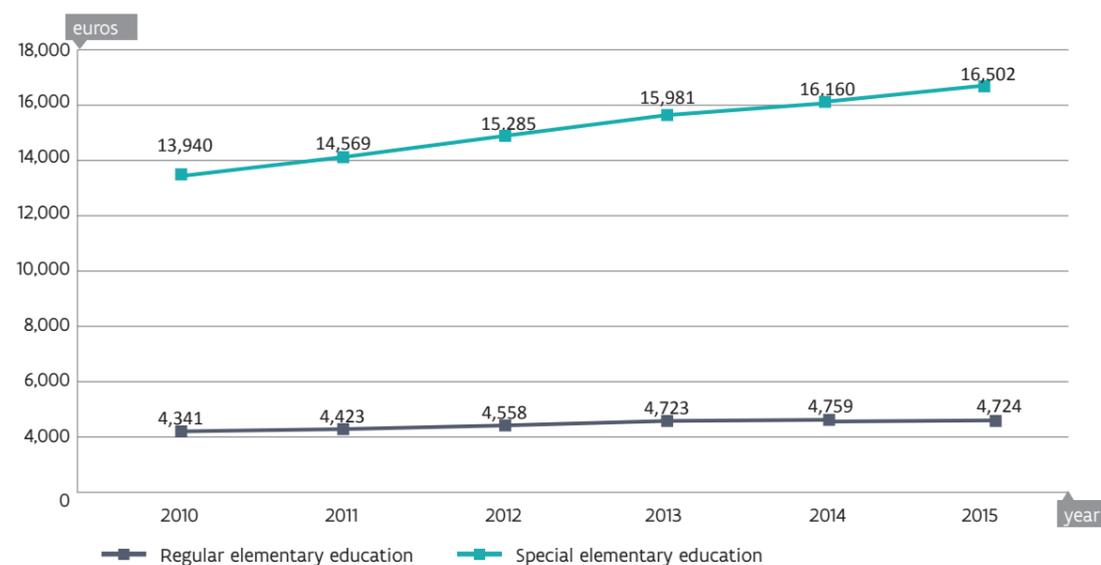
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Wages <sup>(1)</sup>	2,611,484	2,711,849	2,845,301	2,984,989	3,040,242	3,082,988
Operational	464,644	466,056	475,522	488,068	498,977	498,504
Investments	119,036	137,260	146,964	168,070	172,022	153,495
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,195,164</b>	<b>3,315,165</b>	<b>3,467,787</b>	<b>3,641,127</b>	<b>3,711,241</b>	<b>3,734,987</b>

(1) Wage bill for staff paid directly by the Education and Training policy area.

## 5 Changes in elementary education budget by educational network (in thousands of euros)

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
GO	556,961	586,864	612,129	642,951	659,087	678,205
VGO	1,930,882	1,993,933	2,079,064	2,176,494	2,224,658	2,230,142
OGO	699,309	726,270	769,899	816,393	822,310	820,828
Cross educational networks	8,012	8,098	6,695	5,289	5,186	5,812
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,195,164</b>	<b>3,315,165</b>	<b>3,467,787</b>	<b>3,641,127</b>	<b>3,711,241</b>	<b>3,734,987</b>

## 6 Changes in expenditure per pupil by educational network (in euros)



## 1 Approved subsidy amounts and approved subsidy applications in regular elementary education in 2014

	VGO		OGO		Total	
	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications
Antwerp	29,861,551	207	20,467,110	27	50,328,661	234
Flemish Brabant	14,171,443	130	6,373,783	6	20,545,226	136
BCR	3,562,446	29	-	-	3,562,446	29
West Flanders	12,710,193	162	42,015	2	12,752,208	164
East Flanders	20,224,985	177	16,334,001	18	36,558,986	195
Limburg	11,354,847	120	915,478	3	12,270,326	123
<b>Total</b>	<b>91,885,464</b>	<b>825</b>	<b>44,132,387</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>136,017,852</b>	<b>881</b>

## 2 Approved subsidy amounts and approved subsidy applications in special elementary education in 2014

	VGO		OGO		Total	
	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications
Antwerp	8,323,970	10	9,782	1	8,333,751	11
Flemish Brabant	721,402	5	-	-	721,402	5
BCR	456,007	1	-	-	456,007	1
West Flanders	503,227	9	399,651	1	902,877	10
East Flanders	8,691,019	10	480,043	1	9,171,062	11
Limburg	18,432	3	-	-	18,432	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,714,058</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>889,475</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>19,603,533</b>	<b>41</b>

1 School allowances in elementary education <sup>(1)</sup>

	Number of applications	Number of allowances granted	Percentage of allowances granted	Total amount of allowances granted (in euros)	Average allowance (in euros)
Nursery education <sup>(2)</sup>	77,340	50,635	65.47%	4,668,547	92.20
Primary education	145,259	101,898	70.15%	13,342,260	130.94

(1) As known on 20/08/2015.

(2) In nursery education a lump sum of 92.20 euros is granted.

2 School allowances in nursery education by province <sup>(1)(2)</sup>

	Number of applications	Number of allowances granted	Total amount of allowances granted (in euros)
Antwerp	25,434	17,311	1,596,074
Flemish Brabant	8,177	5,142	474,092
BCR	5,813	4,265	393,233
West Flanders	11,175	6,793	626,315
East Flanders	16,133	10,358	955,008
Limburg	10,184	6,637	611,931
Other provinces	235	112	10,326
Unknown <sup>(3)</sup>	189	17	1,567
<b>Total</b>	<b>77,340</b>	<b>50,635</b>	<b>4,668,547</b>

(1) As known on 20/08/2015.

(2) In nursery education a lump sum of 92.20 euros is granted.

(3) Persons not resident in one of the provinces of Belgium.

3 School allowances in primary education by province <sup>(1)</sup>

	Number of applications	Number of allowances granted	Total amount of allowances granted (in euros)	Average allowance (in euros)
Antwerp	45,790	33,196	4,421,984	133.21
Flemish Brabant	15,894	10,685	1,383,524	129.48
BCR	8,851	6,722	920,721	136.97
West Flanders	22,281	14,949	1,914,659	128.08
East Flanders	31,645	21,903	2,844,552	129.87
Limburg	19,976	14,106	1,813,691	128.58
Other provinces	520	298	38,005	127.53
Unknown <sup>(2)</sup>	302	39	5,123	131.37
<b>Total</b>	<b>145,259</b>	<b>101,898</b>	<b>13,342,260</b>	<b>130.,94</b>

(1) As known on 20/08/2015.

(2) Persons not resident in one of the provinces of Belgium.

**Note:**

The above data are not yet final, as a number of applications are still under consideration for the school year 2014-2015. Due to this the number of allowances granted may increase further.

1 Number of participants to obtain a certificate of elementary education by province in 2014 <sup>(1)(2)</sup>

	Number of participants	Passed
Antwerp	10	8
Flemish Brabant	13	11
West Flanders	12	10
East Flanders	5	3
Limburg	6	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>35</b>

(1) A participant is a candidate who has passed at least 1 examination.

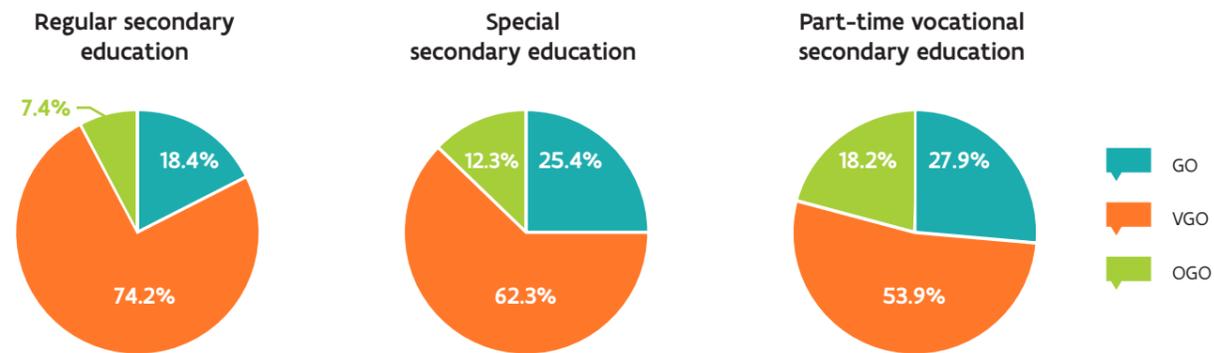
(2) The data by province refer to the province of the schools (where the examination takes place).

## 1 School population in secondary education

	GO			VGO			OGO			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>Regular secondary education</b>												
Reception class for immigrants	409	325	734	612	483	1,095	354	325	679	1,375	1,133	2,508
1st stage	11,963	11,737	23,700	49,430	50,061	99,491	5,231	2,781	8,012	66,624	64,579	131,203
2nd stage	12,715	12,042	24,757	49,987	50,880	100,867	6,304	3,817	10,121	69,006	66,739	135,745
3rd stage*	13,830	13,325	27,155	52,915	54,240	107,155	7,348	4,543	11,891	74,093	72,108	146,201
* of which advanced secondary education ('Se-n-Se')	442	312	754	1,279	698	1,977	214	105	319	1,935	1,115	3,050
Modular education (on 2nd and 3rd stage level)	100	76	176	243	516	759	253	2	255	596	594	1,190
<b>Total regular secondary education</b>	<b>39,017</b>	<b>37,505</b>	<b>76,522</b>	<b>153,187</b>	<b>156,180</b>	<b>309,367</b>	<b>19,490</b>	<b>11,468</b>	<b>30,958</b>	<b>211,694</b>	<b>205,153</b>	<b>416,847</b>
Special secondary education <sup>(1)</sup>	3,364	1,885	5,249	8,226	4,637	12,863	1,750	799	2,549	13,340	7,321	20,661
<b>Total full-time secondary education</b>	<b>42,381</b>	<b>39,390</b>	<b>81,771</b>	<b>161,413</b>	<b>160,817</b>	<b>322,230</b>	<b>21,240</b>	<b>12,267</b>	<b>33,507</b>	<b>225,034</b>	<b>212,474</b>	<b>437,508</b>
Part-time secondary education	1,590	867	2,457	3,255	1,495	4,750	1,065	535	1,600	5,910	2,897	8,807

(1) To avoid double counting, pupils enrolled in special education due to long-term illness (type 5 special education) are not included in the data. On 1 February 2015 there were 470 pupils in type 5 special secondary education.

## 2 Distribution across the educational networks



## 3 Distribution across the provinces



## 4 Education types in the 2nd and 3rd stage and modular full-time secondary education

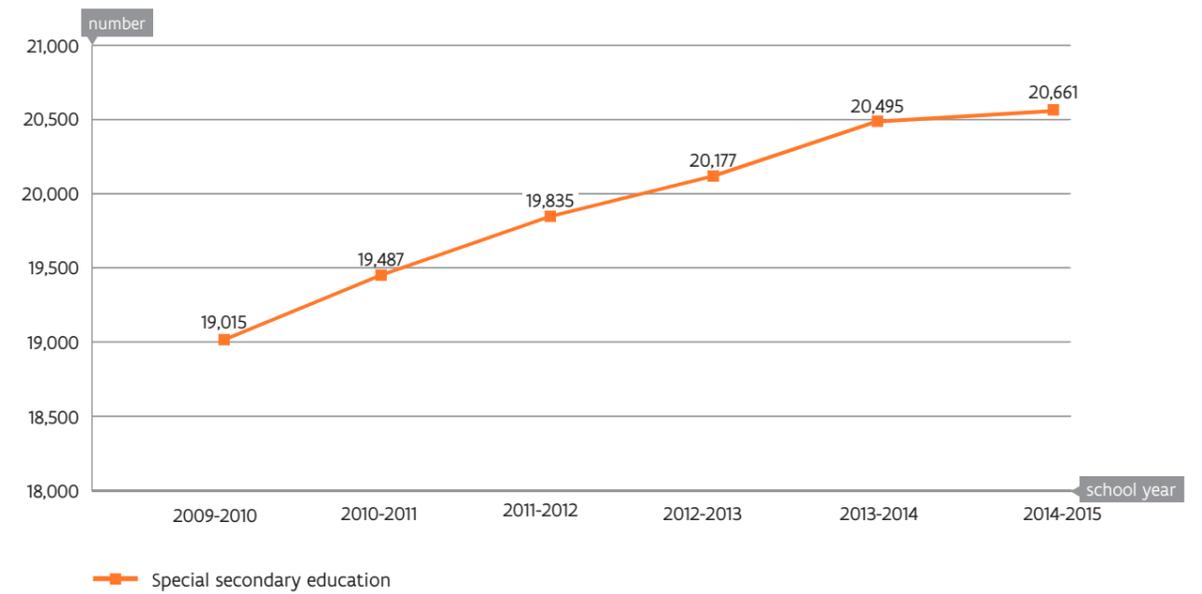
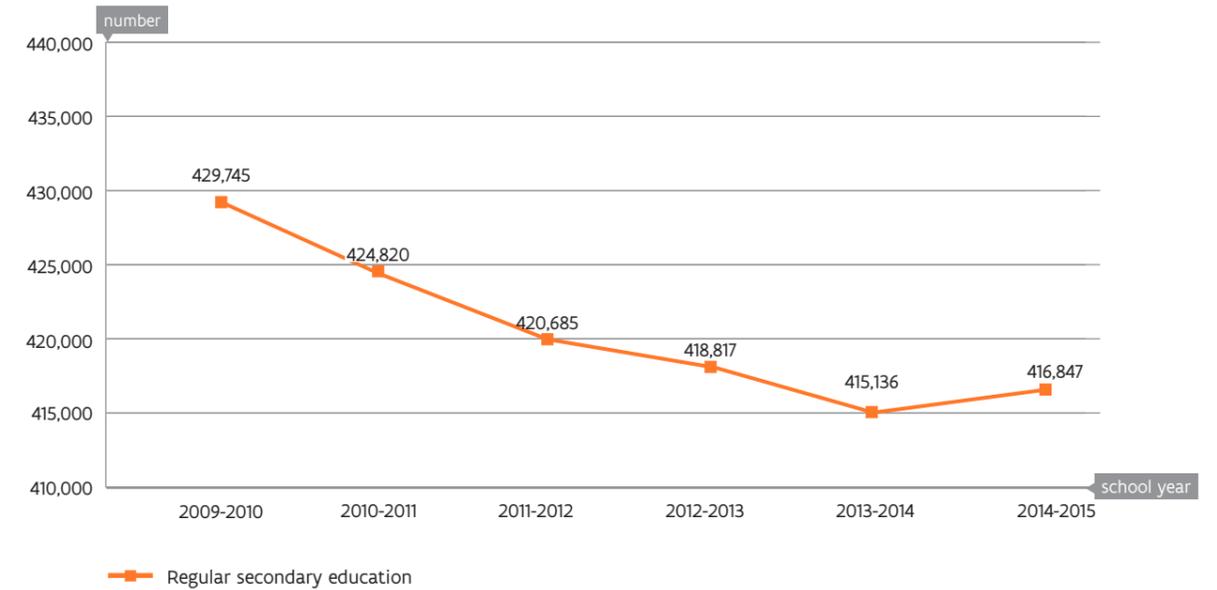
	GO			VGO			OGO			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>2nd stage</b>												
ASO	5,122	5,847	10,969	21,863	27,555	49,418	731	931	1,662	27,716	34,333	62,049
TSO	3,387	2,399	5,786	17,684	14,147	31,831	2,624	945	3,569	23,695	17,491	41,186
KSO	264	399	663	437	835	1,272	292	509	801	993	1,743	2,736
BSO	3,942	3,397	7,339	10,003	8,343	18,346	2,657	1,432	4,089	16,602	13,172	29,774
<b>Total 2nd stage</b>	<b>12,715</b>	<b>12,042</b>	<b>24,757</b>	<b>49,987</b>	<b>50,880</b>	<b>100,867</b>	<b>6,304</b>	<b>3,817</b>	<b>10,121</b>	<b>69,006</b>	<b>66,739</b>	<b>135,745</b>
<b>3rd stage</b>												
ASO	4,017	4,850	8,867	18,187	23,381	41,568	530	758	1,288	22,734	28,989	51,723
TSO	4,233	3,122	7,355	20,040	16,494	36,534	2,841	1,203	4,044	27,114	20,819	47,933
KSO	304	400	704	549	1,151	1,700	343	662	1,005	1,196	2,213	3,409
BSO	5,276	4,953	10,229	14,139	13,214	27,353	3,634	1,920	5,554	23,049	20,087	43,136
<b>Total 3rd stage</b>	<b>13,830</b>	<b>13,325</b>	<b>27,155</b>	<b>52,915</b>	<b>54,240</b>	<b>107,155</b>	<b>7,348</b>	<b>4,543</b>	<b>11,891</b>	<b>74,093</b>	<b>72,108</b>	<b>146,201</b>
Modular education BSO	100	76	176	243	516	759	253	2	255	596	594	1,190
<b>Total</b>	<b>26,081</b>	<b>24,950</b>	<b>51,031</b>	<b>103,507</b>	<b>105,954</b>	<b>209,461</b>	<b>13,932</b>	<b>8,383</b>	<b>22,315</b>	<b>143,520</b>	<b>139,287</b>	<b>282,807</b>

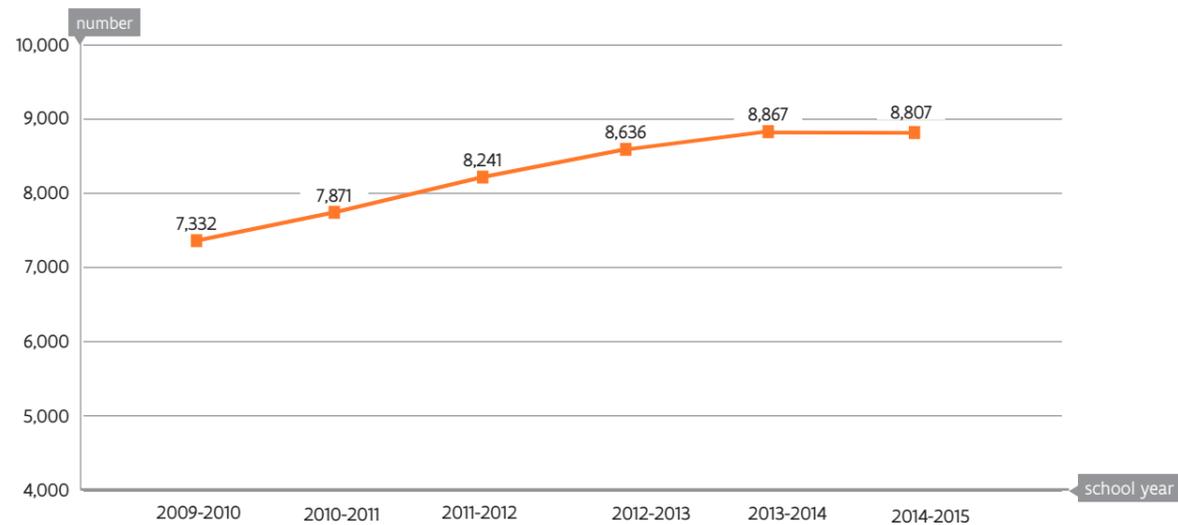
## 5 School population in full-time regular secondary education by field of study (2nd and 3rd stage and modular programmes)

	M	F	T
<b>FIELD OF STUDY</b>			
General secondary education	48,592	62,388	110,980
Agriculture and Horticulture	3,900	2,194	6,094
Ballet	14	39	53
Body Care	296	6,462	6,758
Car Engineering	3,272	46	3,318
Chemistry	3,215	1,778	4,993
Commerce	17,906	15,062	32,968
Construction	3,740	320	4,060
Decorative Techniques	842	1,146	1,988
Dental Techniques	45	38	83
Fashion	81	1,705	1,786
Graphic Communication and Media	1,816	479	2,295
Heating and Cooling	1,293	-	1,293
Jewelry	76	35	111
Maritime training programmes	220	8	228
Mechanics and Electricity	27,885	417	28,302
Musical Instruments	37	7	44
Nutrition	4,077	2,176	6,253
Optics	16	20	36
Orthopedic Techniques	28	13	41
People Care	8,235	36,708	44,943
Performing Arts	519	975	1,494
Photography	107	186	293
Public Security	893	164	1,057
Sports	6,251	2,152	8,403
Textile	33	11	44
Tourism	910	1,777	2,687
Visual Arts	1,656	2,942	4,598
Woodwork	7,703	172	7,875
Not assigned to a field of study (1)	37	21	58
<b>Total</b>	<b>143,695</b>	<b>139,441</b>	<b>283,136</b>

(1) Nameless third grade of the third stage of VSE.

## 6 Changes in the school population in secondary education





Part-time vocational secondary education

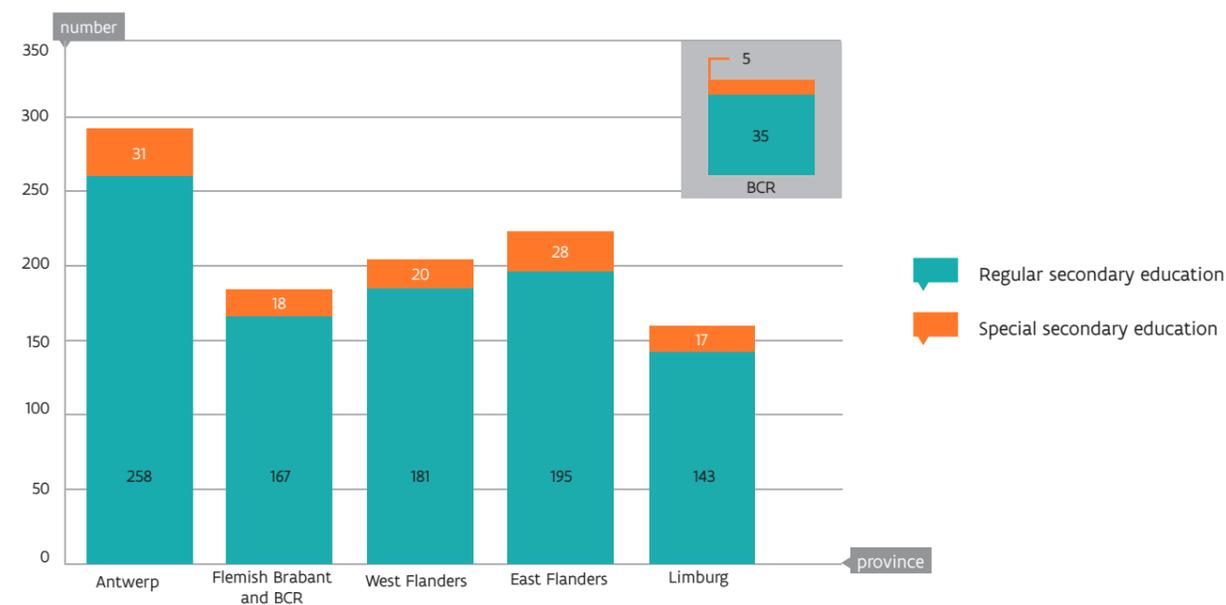
(1) The nursing courses at the 4th stage of vocational education became associate degree (HBO5) programmes in 2009-2010. These courses are allocated to the level of higher education. Associate degree courses can be organised by centres for adult education or by university colleges. The programme for the associate degree in nursing is the only exception: it is organised by institutions that organise full-time secondary education. These pupils are not taken into account.

## 1 Schools in secondary education

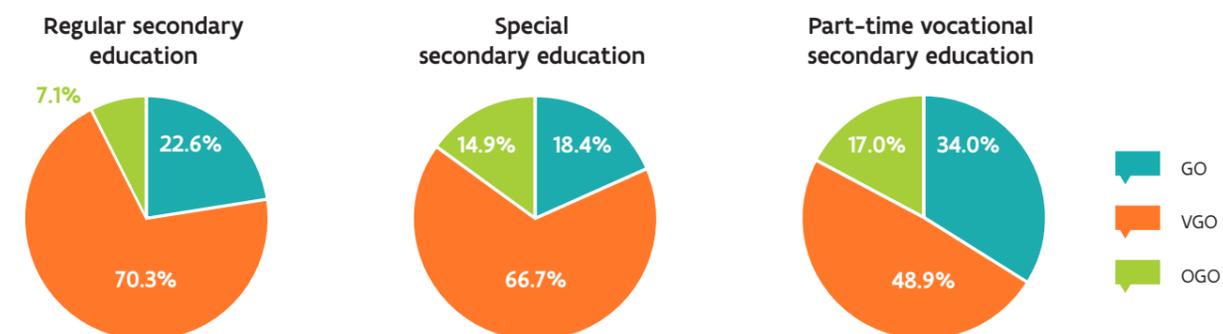
	GO	VGO	OGO	Total
<b>FULL-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>				
Regular secondary education	213	664	67	944
Special secondary education <sup>(1)</sup>	21	76	17	114
<b>Total full-time secondary education</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>740</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>1,058</b>
<b>PART-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>				
Part-time vocational secondary education <sup>(2)</sup>	16	23	8	47

(1) Five schools providing type 5 special education (long-term illness) are not included in this table.  
 (2) 42 out of the 47 centres for part-time secondary education are attached to one of the 944 schools which provide full-time regular secondary education. 5 centres for part-time secondary education are autonomous.

## 2 Distribution across the provinces



## 3 Distribution across the educational networks



## 1 Staff in secondary education expressed in number of persons/number of full-time equivalents <sup>(1)</sup>

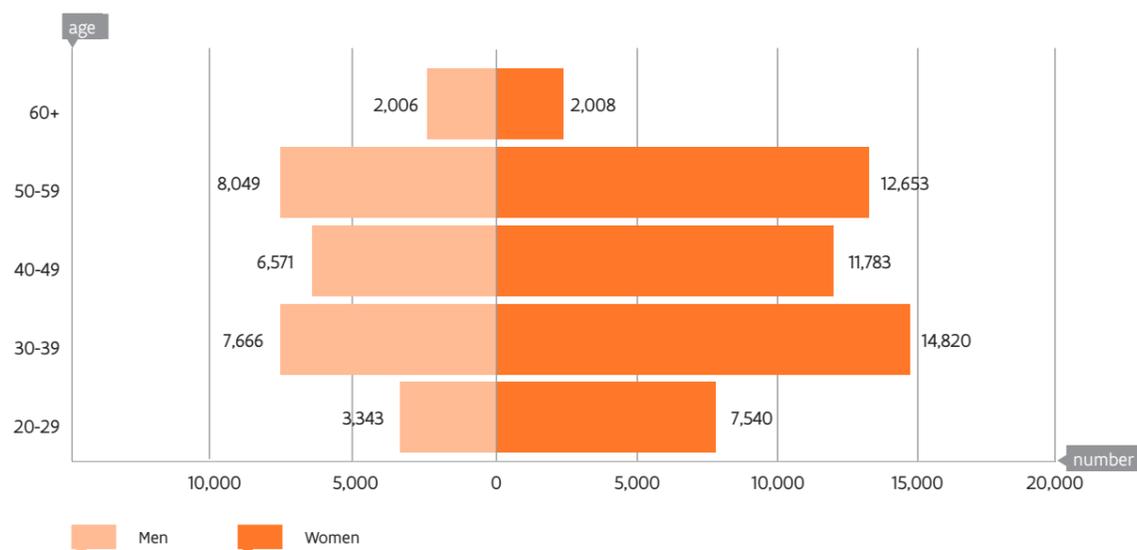
	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	27,635	48,804	76,439
Number of full-time equivalents	25,778	42,410	68,188

(1) Staff of full-time and part-time secondary education

## 2 Staff in secondary education by level of education and gender

	Men	Women	Total
Regular secondary education*	24,811	42,608	67,419
Special secondary education	2,824	6,196	9,020
<b>Total</b>	<b>27,635</b>	<b>48,804</b>	<b>76,439</b>
*of which in part-time secondary education	554	845	1,399

## 3 Staff in secondary education by age group and gender



## 4 Age structure of staff in secondary education by educational network and gender

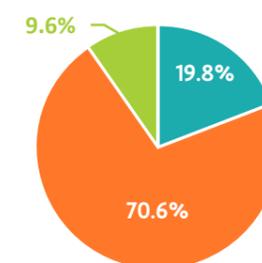
	GO			VGO			OGO			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
20-29	883	1,828	2,711	2,124	5,136	7,260	336	576	912	3,343	7,540	10,883
30-39	1,869	3,405	5,274	4,995	10,232	15,227	802	1,183	1,985	7,666	14,820	22,486
40-49	1,397	2,380	3,777	4,362	8,400	12,762	812	1,003	1,815	6,571	11,783	18,354
50-59	1,190	2,163	3,353	5,853	9,292	15,145	1,006	1,198	2,204	8,049	12,653	20,702
60+	481	523	1,004	1,292	1,312	2,604	233	173	406	2,006	2,008	4,014
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,820</b>	<b>10,299</b>	<b>16,119</b>	<b>18,626</b>	<b>34,372</b>	<b>52,998</b>	<b>3,189</b>	<b>4,133</b>	<b>7,322</b>	<b>27,635</b>	<b>48,804</b>	<b>76,439</b>
55+	1,122	1,683	2,805	4,623	6,110	10,733	805	843	1,648	6,550	8,636	15,186

## 5 Staff in secondary education by legal status and age group

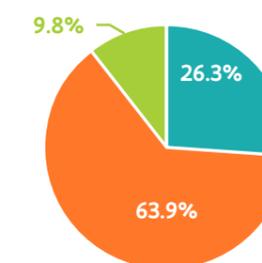
	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total
<b>REGULAR SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>						
Tenured posts	1,396	14,269	14,171	17,742	3,497	51,075
Temporary posts	7,764	5,352	2,169	922	137	16,344
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,160</b>	<b>19,621</b>	<b>16,340</b>	<b>18,664</b>	<b>3,634</b>	<b>67,419</b>
<b>SPECIAL SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>						
Tenured posts	370	2,076	1,622	1,884	367	6,319
Temporary posts	1,353	789	392	154	13	2,701
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,723</b>	<b>2,865</b>	<b>2,014</b>	<b>2,038</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>9,020</b>
<b>TOTAL SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>						
Tenured posts	1,766	16,345	15,793	19,626	3,864	57,394
Temporary posts	9,117	6,141	2,561	1,076	150	19,045
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,883</b>	<b>22,486</b>	<b>18,354</b>	<b>20,702</b>	<b>4,014</b>	<b>76,439</b>

## 6 Staff in secondary education by legal status (full-time equivalents)

Tenured posts regular and special secondary education



Temporary posts regular and special secondary education



GO  
VGO  
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## 7 Staff in secondary education by educational network, legal status and gender (full-time equivalents)

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>REGULAR SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>									
GO	3,223	5,537	8,760	1,535	2,213	3,748	4,758	7,750	12,508
VGO	12,590	20,148	32,738	3,237	6,027	9,264	15,827	26,175	42,002
OGO	1,952	2,261	4,213	617	738	1,355	2,569	2,999	5,568
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,765</b>	<b>27,946</b>	<b>45,711</b>	<b>5,389</b>	<b>8,978</b>	<b>14,367</b>	<b>23,154</b>	<b>36,924</b>	<b>60,078</b>
<b>SPECIAL SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>									
GO	443	985	1,428	208	438	646	651	1,423	2,074
VGO	1,187	2,405	3,592	405	1,027	1,432	1,592	3,432	5,024
OGO	274	449	723	107	182	289	381	631	1,012
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,904</b>	<b>3,839</b>	<b>5,743</b>	<b>720</b>	<b>1,647</b>	<b>2,367</b>	<b>2,624</b>	<b>5,486</b>	<b>8,110</b>
<b>TOTAL SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>									
GO	3,666	6,522	10,188	1,743	2,651	4,394	5,409	9,173	14,582
VGO	13,777	22,553	36,330	3,642	7,054	10,696	17,419	29,607	47,026
OGO	2,226	2,710	4,936	724	920	1,644	2,950	3,630	6,580
<b>Total</b>	<b>19,669</b>	<b>31,785</b>	<b>51,454</b>	<b>6,109</b>	<b>10,625</b>	<b>16,734</b>	<b>25,778</b>	<b>42,410</b>	<b>68,188</b>

## 8 Changes in staff in secondary education by legal status

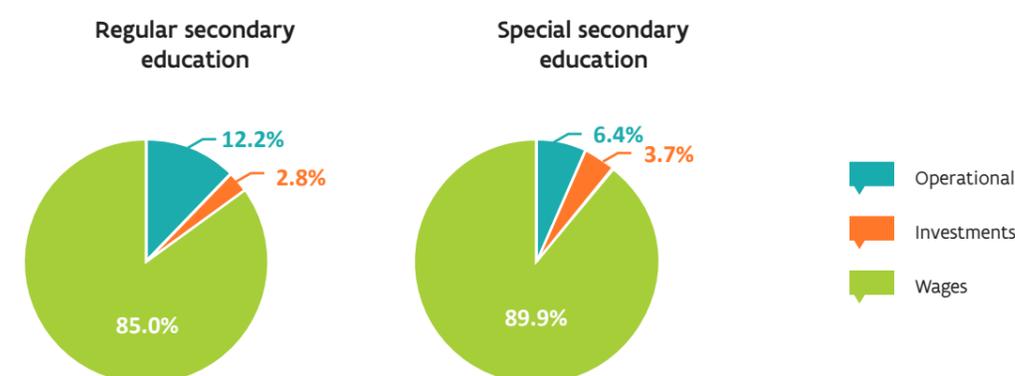
	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015
<b>REGULAR SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>						
Tenured posts	52,179	52,239	53,611	52,413	51,842	51,075
Temporary posts	18,757	18,036	15,896	16,114	16,131	16,344
<b>Total</b>	<b>70,936</b>	<b>70,275</b>	<b>69,507</b>	<b>68,527</b>	<b>67,973</b>	<b>67,419</b>
<b>SPECIAL SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>						
Tenured posts	5,238	5,449	5,815	5,944	6,164	6,319
Temporary posts	2,536	2,583	2,481	2,528	2,637	2,701
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,774</b>	<b>8,032</b>	<b>8,296</b>	<b>8,472</b>	<b>8,801</b>	<b>9,020</b>
<b>TOTAL SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>						
Tenured posts	57,417	57,688	59,426	58,357	58,006	57,394
Temporary posts	21,293	20,619	18,377	18,642	18,768	19,045
<b>Total</b>	<b>78,710</b>	<b>78,307</b>	<b>77,803</b>	<b>76,999</b>	<b>76,774</b>	<b>76,439</b>

## 1 Secondary education budget and share of secondary education in the overall education budget (in thousands of euros)

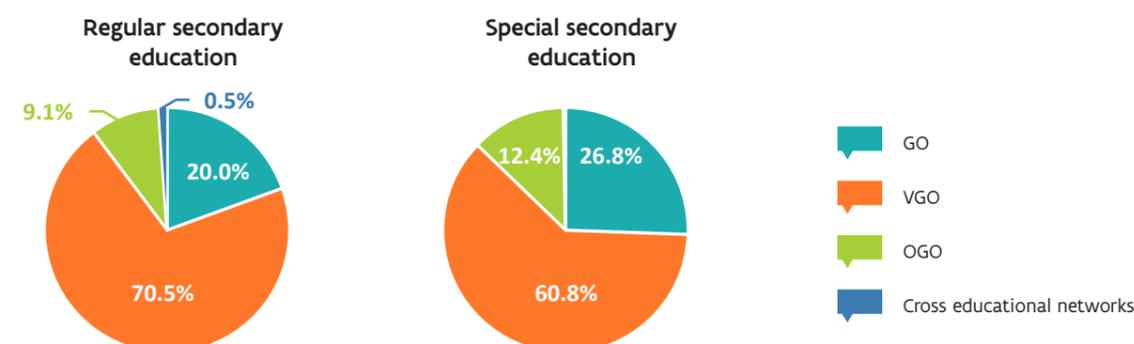
<b>Secondary education budget</b>	<b>4,143,362</b>
Regular secondary education budget	3,712,340
Special secondary education budget	424,599
Secondary education - not specified <sup>(1)</sup>	6,423
<b>Share of secondary education in the overall education budget</b>	<b>38.12%</b>

(1) The budget integrated in the category 'not specified' refers mainly to the budget for in-service training.

## 2 Secondary education budget by expenditure category



## 3 Secondary education budget by educational network



## 4 Changes in secondary education budget by expenditure category (in thousands of euros)

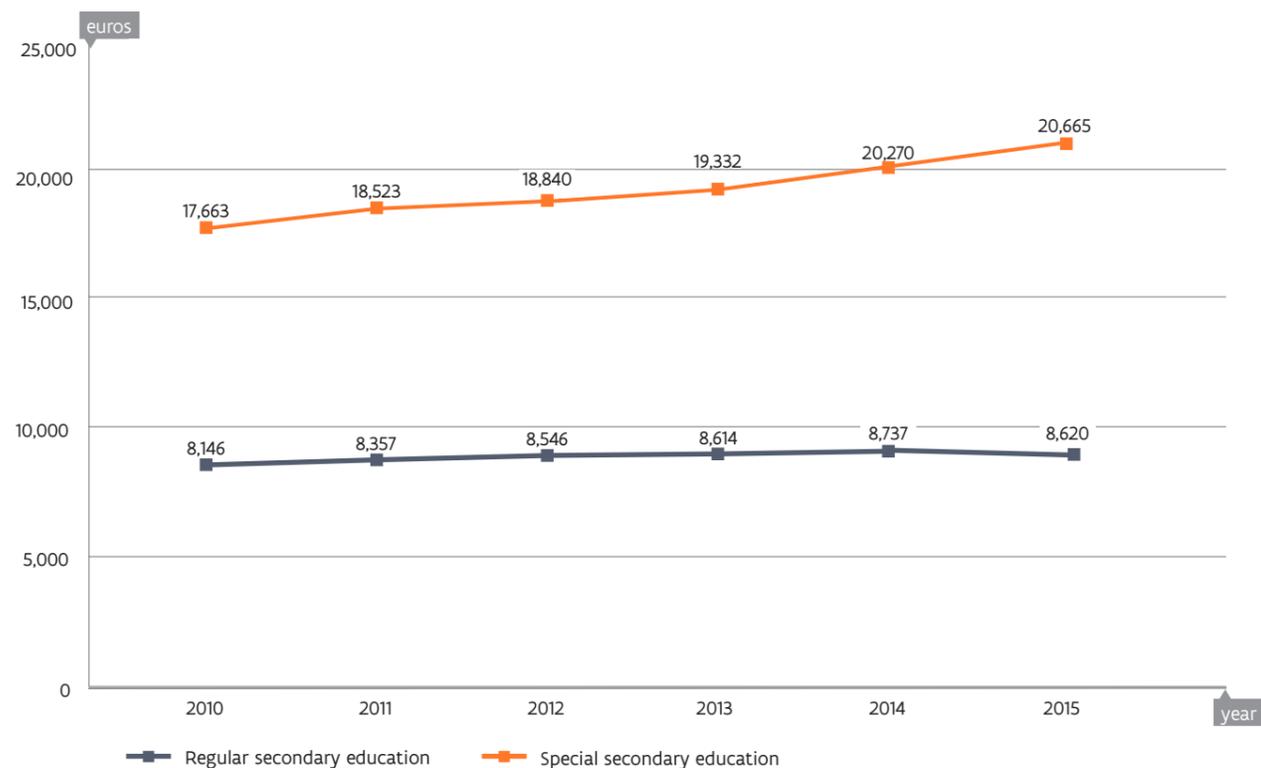
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Wages <sup>(1)</sup>	3,331,749	3,430,944	3,512,236	3,529,760	3,566,412	3,538,717
Operational	481,571	481,022	486,972	496,437	502,918	485,850
Investments	116,121	104,897	98,655	112,043	140,317	118,795
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,929,442</b>	<b>4,016,863</b>	<b>4,097,863</b>	<b>4,138,240</b>	<b>4,209,647</b>	<b>4,143,362</b>

(1) Wage bill for staff paid directly by the Education and Training policy area.

## 5 Changes in secondary education budget by educational network (in thousands of euros)

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
GO	785,632	798,652	822,186	829,310	859,810	854,847
VGO	2,736,384	2,810,503	2,855,219	2,883,147	2,926,645	2,874,262
OGO	380,062	381,513	395,066	399,560	397,760	391,103
Cross educational networks	27,364	26,194	25,392	26,223	25,432	23,149
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,929,442</b>	<b>4,016,863</b>	<b>4,097,863</b>	<b>4,138,240</b>	<b>4,209,647</b>	<b>4,143,362</b>

## 6 Changes in expenditure per pupil by educational network (in euros)



## 1 Approved subsidy amounts and approved subsidy applications in full-time regular secondary education in 2014

	VGO		OGO		Total	
	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications
Antwerp	17,143,328	104	5,205,660	10	22,348,988	114
Flemish Brabant	6,517,878	49	443,888	1	6,961,766	50
BCR	4,388,681	14	-	-	4,388,681	14
West Flanders	9,807,944	102	158,052	1	9,965,995	103
East Flanders	12,834,652	81	1,248,246	7	14,082,898	88
Limburg	25,351,540	60	19,555	1	25,371,095	61
<b>Total</b>	<b>76,044,022</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>7,075,401</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>83,119,423</b>	<b>430</b>

## 2 Approved subsidy amounts and approved subsidy applications in special secondary education in 2014

	VGO		OGO		Total	
	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications
Antwerp	1,970,669	9	71,716	2	2,042,384	11
Flemish Brabant	547,927	3	16,081	1	564,008	4
BCR	1,175,058	1	3,555	1	1,178,613	2
West Flanders	505,592	7	-	-	505,592	7
East Flanders	145,347	4	131,868	1	277,215	5
Limburg	41,473	3	-	-	41,473	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,386,066</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>223,220</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4,609,285</b>	<b>32</b>

## 1 School allowances in secondary education <sup>(1)</sup>

	Number of applications	Number of allowances granted	Percentage of allowances granted	Total amount of allowances granted (in euros)	Average allowance (in euros)
Secondary education	166,038	114,509	68.97%	50,136,980	437.84
Full-time secondary education	160,901	112,290	69.79%	49,504,294	440.86
Part-time secondary education	5,137	2,219	43.20%	632,685	285.12

(1) As known on 20/08/2015.

## 2 School allowances in secondary education by province <sup>(1)</sup>

	Number of applications	Number of allowances granted	Total amount of allowances granted (in euros)	Average allowance (in euros)
<b>FULL-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>				
Antwerp	48,534	34,789	15,703,247	451.39
Flemish Brabant	17,340	11,643	5,016,558	430.86
BCR	6,246	17,871	7,921,609	443.27
West Flanders	28,277	4,282	1,791,869	418.47
East Flanders	35,208	24,431	10,654,272	436.10
Limburg	24,347	18,821	8,208,367	436.13
Other provinces	689	403	184,647	458.18
Unknown <sup>(2)</sup>	260	50	23,725	474.49
<b>Total</b>	<b>160,901</b>	<b>112,290</b>	<b>49,504,294</b>	<b>440.86</b>
<b>PART-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>				
Antwerp	1,822	811	236,274	291.34
Flemish Brabant	332	135	41,395	306.63
BCR	188	291	81,760	280.96
West Flanders	986	82	23,592	287.70
East Flanders	1,157	471	131,512	279.22
Limburg	628	428	118,029	275.77
Other provinces	12	1	126	126.00
Unknown <sup>(2)</sup>	12	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,137</b>	<b>2,219</b>	<b>632,686</b>	<b>285.12</b>

(1) As known on 20/08/2015.

(2) Persons not resident in one of the provinces of Belgium.

### Remark:

The above data are not yet final, as a number of applications are still under consideration for the school year 2014-2015. Due to this the number of allowances granted may increase further.

## 1 Number of registrations, enrolments and participants in 2014

	Number of registrations	Number of enrolments	Number of participants
Male	2,147	2,042	2,122
Female	1,690	1,616	1,751
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,837</b>	<b>3,658</b>	<b>3,873</b>

The figures above reflect the number of unique candidates who in 2014 were effectively enrolled in and paid for a course of study (enrolments) after they registered (registrations) at an information session. In 2014 there were 3.873 unique participants in at least one examination by the Examination Board of the Flemish Community (participants). This figure is higher than the number of enrolments because those candidates who enrolled for 2014 but did not yet graduate have been included in the figures.

## 2 Success rate by stage and type of secondary education in 2014

For 65% of all individual exams held by the Examination Board of the Flemish Community the candidate gained at least 50% of the marks. Subdivided according to type of education the success rate proved highest in vocational secondary education, followed by secondary education in the arts and technical secondary education. In general secondary education only slightly more than half of the candidates passed the examination.

		Passed	Failed	% passed
<b>Examination Board</b>	Number of exams	17,482	9,506	65%
		<b>Passed</b>	<b>Failed</b>	<b>% passed</b>
<b>Per stage</b>	1st stage	299	136	69%
	2nd stage	959	515	65%
	3rd stage	16,224	8,855	65%
		<b>Passed</b>	<b>Failed</b>	<b>% passed</b>
<b>Type of secondary education</b>	1st stage	299	136	69%
	2nd and 3rd stage			
	General	3,067	2,950	51%
	Vocational	11,168	4,210	73%
	Arts	195	109	64%
	Technical	2,753	2,101	57%

## 3. Study certificates awarded by the Examination Board in 2014

Certificate 1st stage	17
Certificate 2nd stage	40
Diploma secondary education	938
<b>Total</b>	<b>995</b>

## A Associate degree

### 1 Number of enrolments in associate degree in nursing programmes <sup>(1)</sup>

	GO			VGO			OGO			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Number of enrolments	167	1,010	1,177	703	4,741	5,444	139	642	781	1,009	6,393	7,402

(1) Number of enrolments on 1 February 2015.

### 2 Number of enrolments in higher vocational adult education by field of study <sup>(1)</sup>

Field of study	M	F	n/a (2)	T
Bionics	144	97	-	241
Commercial sciences and technology	5,144	4,804	-	9,948
Health care	19	92	-	111
Industrial sciences and technology	1,560	101	2	1,663
Social and community work	1,500	4,398	1	5,899
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,367</b>	<b>9,492</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>17,862</b>

(1) Number of unique enrolments in the reference period 1/4/2014 - 31/3/2015.

(2) For a small number of course participants the gender was not registered.

### 3 Number of enrolments in specific teacher training <sup>(1)</sup>

	M	F	n/a (2)	T
Specific teacher training	3,124	6,230	1	9,355

(1) Number of unique enrolments in the reference period 1/4/2014 - 31/3/2015.

(2) For a small number of course participants the gender was not registered.

## B University colleges/Universities

### 1 Number of enrolments by finality (professionally oriented or academically oriented) <sup>(1)(2)</sup>

Orientation	Type of education	M	F	T
Professional	Professional orientation	45,159	62,939	108,098
<b>Total professional</b>		<b>45,159</b>	<b>62,939</b>	<b>108,098</b>
Academic	Academic orientation	53,012	56,436	109,448
<b>Total academic</b>		<b>53,012</b>	<b>56,436</b>	<b>109,448</b>
Higher art education	Arts programmes (professional orientation)	511	346	857
	Arts programmes (academic orientation)	2,616	3,236	5,852
<b>Total higher art education</b>		<b>3,127</b>	<b>3,582</b>	<b>6,709</b>
<b>Total higher education</b>		<b>101,298</b>	<b>122,957</b>	<b>224,255</b>

(1) Bachelor's and Master's programmes.

(2) Data refer to all active enrolments in a degree contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2015.

A student may have several enrolments.

### 2 Number of enrolments per association <sup>(1)</sup>

	M	F	T
<b>K.U.LEUVEN ASSOCIATION</b>			
Catholic University of Leuven	21,716	21,449	43,165
Leuven University College	2,945	4,748	7,693
Limburg Catholic University College	1,966	3,200	5,166
LUCA School of Arts	1,157	1,402	2,559
Odisee	4,174	5,946	10,120
Thomas More Kempen	2,856	3,770	6,626
Thomas More Mechelen-Antwerp	2,493	4,233	6,726
UC Leuven Comenius Lerarenopleidingen	313	438	751
VIVES Noord University College	1,205	2,075	3,280
VIVES Zuid University College	3,108	5,016	8,124
<b>Total</b>	<b>41,933</b>	<b>52,277</b>	<b>94,210</b>

#### ANTWERP UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION

Antwerp Maritime Academy	583	75	658
Antwerp University Association	7,289	8,346	15,635
Artesis Plantijn University College Antwerp	3,502	5,127	8,629
Karel de Grote University College	4,983	6,754	11,737
<b>Total</b>	<b>16,357</b>	<b>20,302</b>	<b>36,659</b>

#### GHENT UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION

Artevelde University College Ghent	4,047	8,135	12,182
Ghent University	15,537	18,268	33,805
University College Ghent	6,472	6,773	13,245
University College West Flanders	3,001	2,370	5,371
<b>Total</b>	<b>29,057</b>	<b>35,546</b>	<b>64,603</b>

#### ASSOCIATION COLLEGES-UNIVERSITY OF LIMBURG

Hasselt University	1,499	1,367	2,866
PXL University College	3,570	3,159	6,729
Transnational University Limburg	424	409	833
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,493</b>	<b>4,935</b>	<b>10,428</b>

#### BRUSSELS UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION

Erasmus University College Brussels	2,045	2,856	4,901
Vrije Universiteit Brussel	4,600	5,521	10,121
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,645</b>	<b>8,377</b>	<b>15,022</b>

#### Joint study programmes <sup>(2)</sup>

<b>Total</b>	<b>1,813</b>	<b>1,520</b>	<b>3,333</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>101,298</b>	<b>122,957</b>	<b>224,255</b>

(1) Bachelor's and Master's programmes.

(2) Joint study programmes are organised jointly by several institutions.

## 3 Number of enrolments by field of study

	M	F	T
<b>PROFESSIONALLY ORIENTED TERTIARY EDUCATION</b>			
Architecture	916	1,085	2,001
Biotechnology	1,184	1,210	2,394
Combined fields of study	238	734	972
Health care	3,382	15,361	18,743
Commercial sciences and business studies	17,464	14,571	32,035
Industrial sciences and technology	12,403	2,286	14,689
Nautical sciences	104	2	106
Education	6,265	15,510	21,775
Social and community work	3,203	12,180	15,383
<b>Total professionally oriented education</b>	<b>45,159</b>	<b>62,939</b>	<b>108,098</b>
<b>ACADEMICALLY ORIENTED TERTIARY EDUCATION</b>			
Applied biological sciences	1,589	1,440	3,029
Applied Linguistics	773	2,223	2,996
Applied sciences	4,547	1,366	5,913
Archaeology and history of art	381	828	1,209
Architecture	1,225	1,758	2,983
Biomedical sciences	819	1,923	2,742
Biotechnology	328	284	612
Combined fields of study	1,191	1,772	2,963
Commercial sciences and business studies	3,603	2,750	6,353
Conservation and Restoration	24	127	151
Dentistry	215	342	557
Economic and applied economic sciences	6,898	4,320	11,218
History	1,404	731	2,135
Industrial sciences and technology	7,621	1,047	8,668
Kinesiology and rehabilitation sciences	2,989	3,796	6,785
Language and literature	991	2,741	3,732
Law, notary sciences and criminology	4,516	7,227	11,743
Medicine	2,896	3,985	6,881
Nautical sciences	479	73	552
Pharmaceutical sciences	681	2,064	2,745
Philosophy and moral sciences	747	396	1,143
Political and social sciences	2,172	3,079	5,251
Product Development	241	160	401
Psychology and educational sciences	1,363	6,836	8,199
Sciences	4,257	2,090	6,347
Social health sciences	235	1,193	1,428
Theology, theological sciences and canon law	237	189	426
Traffic safety sciences	88	32	120
Veterinary science	502	1,664	2,166
<b>Total academically oriented courses tertiary education</b>	<b>53,012</b>	<b>56,436</b>	<b>109,448</b>

## PROFESSIONALLY ORIENTED HIGHER ART EDUCATION

Audiovisual and visual arts	330	257	587
Music and dramatic arts	181	89	270
<b>Total professionally oriented higher art education</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>857</b>

## ACADEMICALLY ORIENTED HIGHER ART EDUCATION

Audiovisual and visual arts	1,523	2,192	3,715
Music and dramatic arts	1,093	1,044	2,137
<b>Total academically oriented higher art education</b>	<b>2,616</b>	<b>3,236</b>	<b>5,852</b>
<b>Total higher art education</b>	<b>3,127</b>	<b>3,582</b>	<b>6,709</b>

<b>Total tertiary education</b>	<b>101,298</b>	<b>122,957</b>	<b>224,255</b>
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## 4 Changes in the number of enrolments in tertiary education

Academic year	M	F	T
2009-2010	88,258	104,957	193,215
2010-2011	92,380	110,824	203,204
2011-2012	95,142	115,469	210,611
2012-2013	97,841	118,456	216,297
2013-2014	99,933	121,198	221,131
2014-2015	101,298	122,957	224,255

## C Teacher training

## 1 Number of enrolments in teacher training

		M	F	n/a (3)	T
Integrated teacher training (1)	University colleges	6,265	15,510	-	21,775
Specific teacher training (2)	University colleges - PBA	4	15	-	19
	University colleges - MA	186	255	-	441
	Universities	430	921	-	1,351
	Adult education	3,124	6,230	1	9,355
Advanced Bachelor's programme	University colleges	164	1,177	-	1,341
<b>Total</b>		<b>10,173</b>	<b>24,108</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>34,282</b>

(1) Integrated teacher training programmes are professionally oriented Bachelor's programmes leading to a Bachelor's degree in education (nursery education, primary education or secondary education (group 1)). The university colleges award the teacher's diploma.

(2) Specific teacher training is a programme of 60 credits that the student can follow after professional training. The training focuses only on pedagogical skills. Half of the 60 credits (30 credits) must be devoted to practice. Specific teacher training replaces academic initial teacher training, academic level initial teacher training and the certificate of teaching proficiency. Specific teacher training is offered by universities, university colleges and centres for adult education. The diploma is a teaching degree and has the same value in the three institutions that organise this training.

(3) For a small number of course participants the gender was not registered.

## A Associate degree

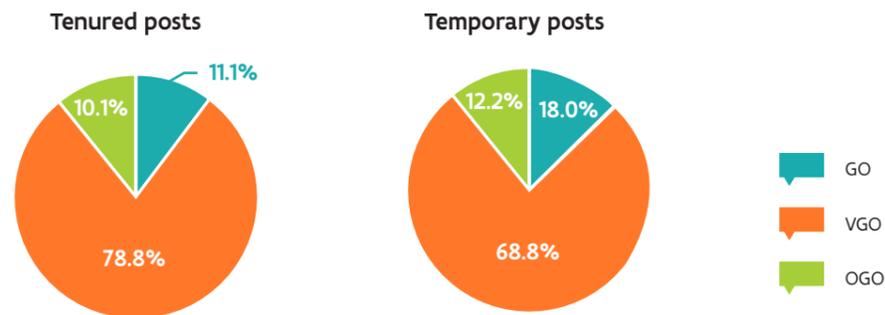
### 1 Staff in associate degree nursing by number of persons/number of full-time equivalents

	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	217	1,281	1,498
Number of full-time equivalents	164	1,069	1,233

### 2 Staff in associate degree nursing by legal status

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Associate degree nursing	139	897	1,036	78	384	462	217	1,281	1,498

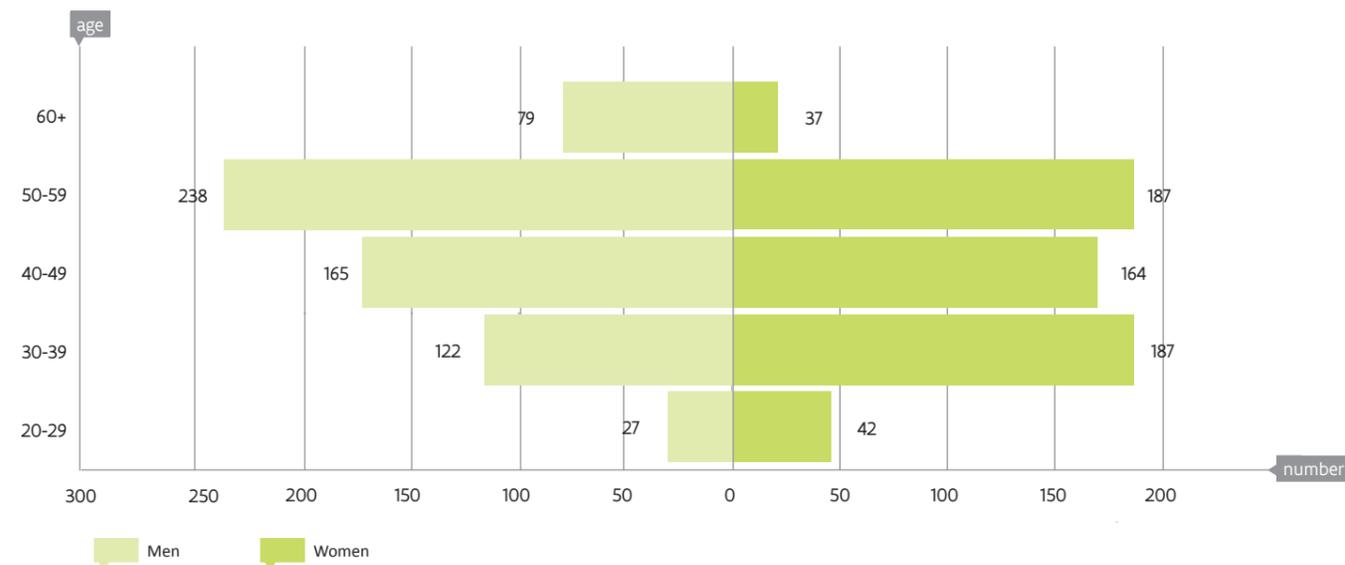
### 3 Staff in associate degree nursing by legal status (full-time equivalents)



### 4 Staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training

	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	631	617	1,248
Number of full-time equivalents	354	457	811

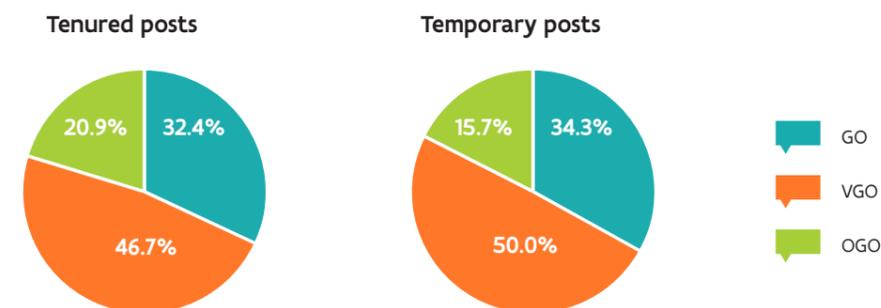
### 5 Staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training by age group and gender



### 6 Age structure of staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training by educational network, age group and by gender

Age Group	GO			VGO			OGO			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
20-29	10	17	27	17	17	34	0	8	8	27	42	69
30-39	38	60	98	58	91	149	26	36	62	122	187	309
40-49	51	55	106	84	82	166	30	27	57	165	164	329
50-59	62	45	107	141	99	240	35	43	78	238	187	425
60+	17	12	29	47	17	64	15	8	23	79	37	116
<b>Total</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>617</b>	<b>1,248</b>
55+	55	37	92	119	67	186	36	32	68	210	136	346

### 7 Staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training by legal status (full-time equivalents)



## 8 Staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training by legal status and educational network (full-time equivalents)

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
GO	69	86	155	53	61	114	122	147	269
VGO	101	123	224	70	96	166	171	219	390
OGO	39	61	100	22	30	52	61	91	152
<b>Total</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>811</b>

## 9 Staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training by legal status and age category

	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total
Tenured posts	3	85	175	268	69	600
Temporary posts	66	224	154	157	47	648
<b>Total</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>1,248</b>

## 10 Changes in staff in higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training by legal status

	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015
Tenured posts	527	582	606	612	623	600
Temporary posts	774	720	702	649	622	648
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,301</b>	<b>1,302</b>	<b>1,308</b>	<b>1,261</b>	<b>1,245</b>	<b>1,248</b>

## B University colleges

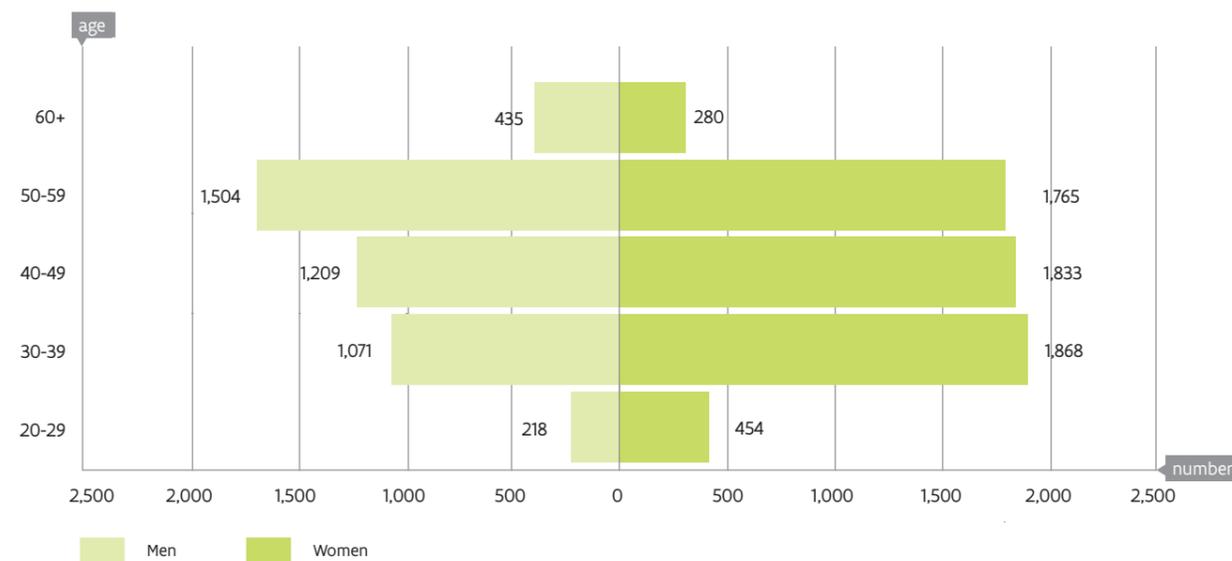
As a result of the transfer (in 2013-2014) of the academically oriented higher education programmes from university colleges to universities, personnel involved in the transferred fields of study is no longer included in the staff statistics of the university colleges from 1 January 2014 onwards.

In the year 2013-2014 personnel working in the transferred fields of study in the Catholic University of Leuven (K.U.Leuven) and Ghent University (UGent) has already been reported in the staff statistics of the universities. The staff in the transferred fields of study of the other universities has been reported in the staff statistics of the university colleges. As from 2014-2015 all personnel in the transferred fields of study is reported in the staff statistics of the universities.

## 1 Staff in university colleges paid out of the operational block-grant

	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	4,437	6,200	10,637
Full-time equivalents	3,409	4,873	8,282

## 2 Staff in university colleges paid out of the operational block-grant by age group and gender



## 3 Staff in university colleges paid out of the operational block-grant by legal status and age group

	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total
Tenured posts	24	970	1,862	2,643	611	6,110
Temporary posts	648	1,969	1,180	626	104	4,527
<b>Total</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>2,939</b>	<b>3,042</b>	<b>3,269</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>10,637</b>

## 4 Changes in staff in university colleges paid out of the operational block-grant by legal status

	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015
Tenured posts	7,031	7,062	7,066	7,165	6,455	6,110
Temporary posts	5,699	5,643	5,526	5,540	4,687	4,527
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,730</b>	<b>12,705</b>	<b>12,592</b>	<b>12,705</b>	<b>11,142</b>	<b>10,637</b>

## C Universities <sup>(1)</sup>

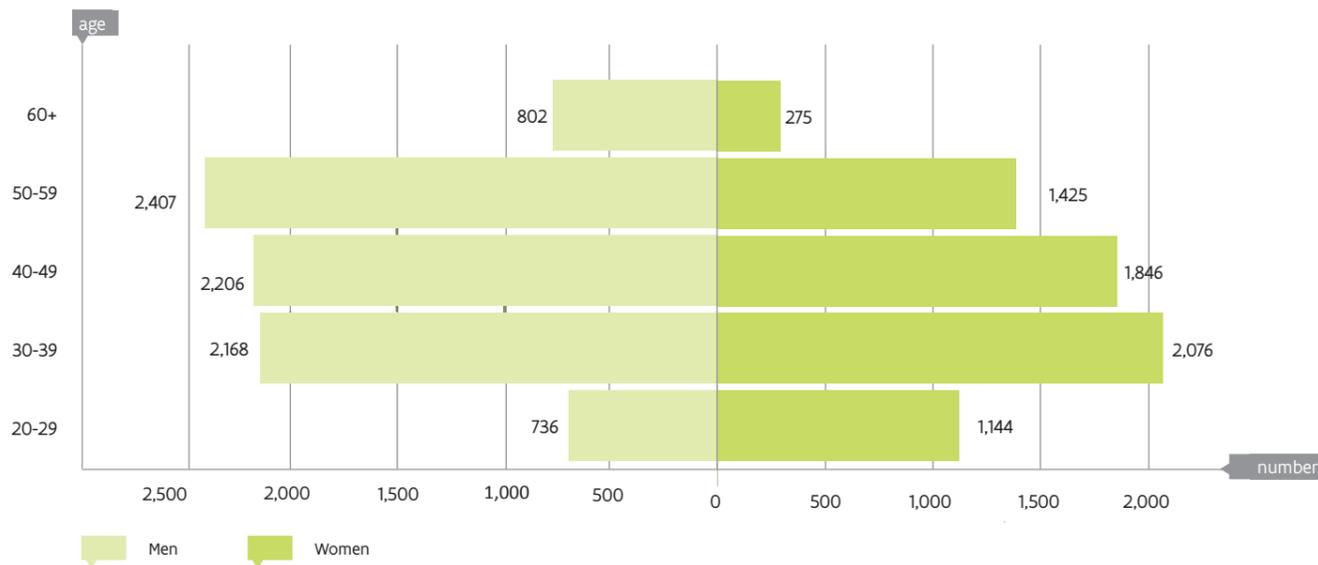
### 1 Staff of universities paid through operational allowances

	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	8,319	6,766	15,085
Number of full-time equivalents	5,603.56	4,816.91	10,420.47

(1) The data for February 2015 were not yet available at the time of publication. For the universities the data for February 2014 are integrated (academic year 2013-2014).

Source: Flemish Interuniversity Council (VLIR), Ravensteingalerij 27, 1000 Brussels.

### 2 Staff of universities paid through operational allowances by age group and gender



### 3 Staff of universities paid through operational allowances by staff category and age group

	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total
<b>Academic staff</b>						
Autonomous academic staff	49	1,229	1,689	1,574	614	5,155
Academic assistance staff	1,291	1,094	382	215	58	3,040
integration staff OP1, OP2, OP3	91	379	330	589	103	1,492
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,431</b>	<b>2,702</b>	<b>2,401</b>	<b>2,378</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>9,687</b>
<b>Administrative and technical staff</b>						
<b>Total</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>1,542</b>	<b>1,651</b>	<b>1,454</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>5,398</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,880</b>	<b>4,244</b>	<b>4,052</b>	<b>3,832</b>	<b>1,077</b>	<b>15,085</b>

### 4 Changes in staff of universities paid through operational allowances by staff category

	2008-2009	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014
<b>Academic staff</b>						
Autonomous academic staff	4,212	4,294	4,361	4,452	4,585	5,155
Academic assistance staff	2,748	2,797	2,842	2,843	2,890	3,040
integration staff OP1, OP2, OP3						1,492
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,960</b>	<b>7,091</b>	<b>7,203</b>	<b>7,295</b>	<b>7,475</b>	<b>9,687</b>
<b>Administrative and technical staff</b>						
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,623</b>	<b>4,747</b>	<b>4,813</b>	<b>4,874</b>	<b>4,930</b>	<b>5,398</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,583</b>	<b>11,838</b>	<b>12,016</b>	<b>12,169</b>	<b>12,405</b>	<b>15,085</b>

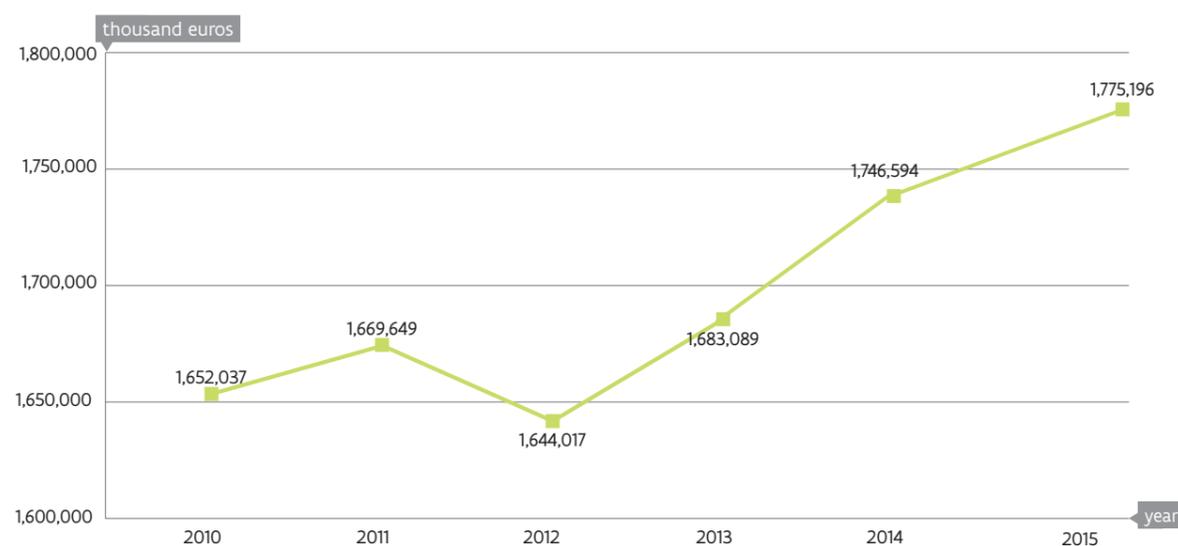
### 1 Tertiary education budget and share of tertiary education in the overall education budget (in thousands of euros)

Tertiary education budget	1,775,196
Share of tertiary education in the overall education budget	16.33%

### 2 Changes in tertiary education budget by expenditure category (in thousands of euros)

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Wages and operations	1,586,542	1,612,472	1,581,591	1,619,668	1,673,144	1,715,871
Investments	65,495	57,177	62,426	63,421	73,450	59,325
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,652,037</b>	<b>1,669,649</b>	<b>1,644,017</b>	<b>1,683,089</b>	<b>1,746,594</b>	<b>1,775,196</b>

### 3 Changes in tertiary education budget (in thousands of euros)



#### Attention:

The data on the budget for tertiary education as reported above refer only to the university colleges and universities. The budgets for higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training are integrated in the budget for adult education; the budget for the associate degree nursing is reported in the budget for secondary education.

In 2014, the board of directors of the university colleges<sup>(1)</sup> provided the following authorisations<sup>(2)</sup> in total to the colleges:

	In euros
<b>Investment resources</b>	
Subsidised private university colleges	14,420,000
Subsidised public university colleges	1,550,000
Autonomous university colleges	8,913,000

(1) The board of directors is composed of all general directors of the university colleges. There are three sub-boards (for subsidised private colleges, subsidised public colleges and Flemish autonomous university colleges).

(2) Authorisations are budgetary engagements allocated to AGION in the Flemish budget, on the basis of which AGION can enter into engagements for infrastructure work.

The board of directors set aside 876,000 euros (resources) for the owners' maintenance of the autonomous university colleges.

The Agency for Infrastructure in Education (AGION) is responsible for financing infrastructure work for the university colleges but not for the universities.

## 1 Study allowances for the associate degree in nursing and tertiary education <sup>(1)</sup>

	Number of applications	Number of allowances granted	Percentage of allowances granted	Total amount of allowances granted (in euros)	Average allowance (in euros)
Associate degree nursing	2,842	1,477	51.97%	1,861,222	1,260.14
Tertiary education	70,943	42,252	59.56%	72,718,574	1,721.07
of which					
- University colleges	42,529	26,472	62.24%	44,162,898	1,668.29
- Universities	25,409	15,337	60.36%	27,800,907	1,812.67
- Unknown <sup>(2)</sup>	3,005	443	14.74%	754,769	1,703.77

(1) As known on 20/08/2015.

(2) The type of tertiary education is not known (students studying abroad or in another Community of Belgium).

### Note:

The above data are not yet final, as a number of applications are still under consideration for the school year 2013-2014. Due to this the number of allowances granted may increase further.

## 2 Study allowances for associate degree in nursing by province <sup>(1)</sup>

	Number of applications	Number of allowances granted	Total amount of allowances granted (in euros)	Average allowance (in euros)
Antwerp	501	247	320,589	1,297.93
Flemish Brabant	225	120	167,321	1,394.34
BCR	52	21	34,834	1,658.78
West Flanders	779	368	492,568	1,338.50
East Flanders	645	335	414,041	1,235.94
Limburg	625	380	423,336	1,114.04
Other provinces	13	6	8,532	1,422.03
Unknown <sup>(2)</sup>	2	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,842</b>	<b>1,477</b>	<b>1,861,222</b>	<b>1,260.14</b>

(1) As known on 20/08/2015.

(2) Persons not resident in one of the provinces of Belgium.

## 3 Study allowances in tertiary education by province <sup>(1)</sup>

	Number of applications	Number of allowances granted	Total amount of allowances granted (in euros)	Average allowance (in euros)
<b>UNIVERSITY COLLEGES</b>				
Antwerp	12,479	7,948	13,230,778	1,664.67
Flemish Brabant	4,981	2,953	4,899,570	1,659.18
BCR	1,047	718	1,338,085	1,863.63
West Flanders	8,110	4,850	8,285,720	1,708.40
East Flanders	9,181	5,662	9,230,244	1,630.21
Limburg	6,466	4,196	6,880,560	1,639.79
Other provinces	227	129	263,893	2,045.68
Unknown <sup>(2)</sup>	38	16	34,045	2,127.83
<b>Total</b>	<b>42,529</b>	<b>26,472</b>	<b>44,162,898</b>	<b>1,668.29</b>
<b>UNIVERSITIES</b>				
Antwerp	7,529	4,643	8,298,046	1,787.22
Flemish Brabant	3,672	2,156	3,819,776	1,771.70
BCR	790	509	1,026,211	2,016.13
West Flanders	4,440	2,634	5,088,636	1,931.90
East Flanders	5,251	3,081	5,190,683	1,684.74
Limburg	3,516	2,208	4,164,773	1,886.22
Other provinces	186	98	195,242	1,992.27
Unknown <sup>(2)</sup>	25	8	17,536	2,192.06
<b>Total</b>	<b>25,409</b>	<b>15,337</b>	<b>27,800,906</b>	<b>1,812.67</b>
<b>UNKNOWN <sup>(3)</sup></b>				
Antwerp	734	89	152,317	1,711.43
Flemish Brabant	484	60	107,552	1,792.54
BCR	90	3	7,129	2,376.49
West Flanders	575	92	165,281	1,796.54
East Flanders	588	93	168,588	1,812.78
Limburg	497	101	146,500	1,450.50
Other provinces	19	5	7,398	1,479.79
Unknown <sup>(2)</sup>	18	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,005</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>754,769</b>	<b>1,703.77</b>
<b>Total Tertiary education</b>	<b>70,943</b>	<b>42,252</b>	<b>72,718,574</b>	<b>1,721.07</b>

(1) As known on 20/08/2015.

(2) Persons not resident in one of the provinces of Belgium.

(3) The type of tertiary education is not known (students studying abroad or in another Community of Belgium).

## 1 Number of course participants by field of study in secondary adult education and adult basic education

### Secondary adult education

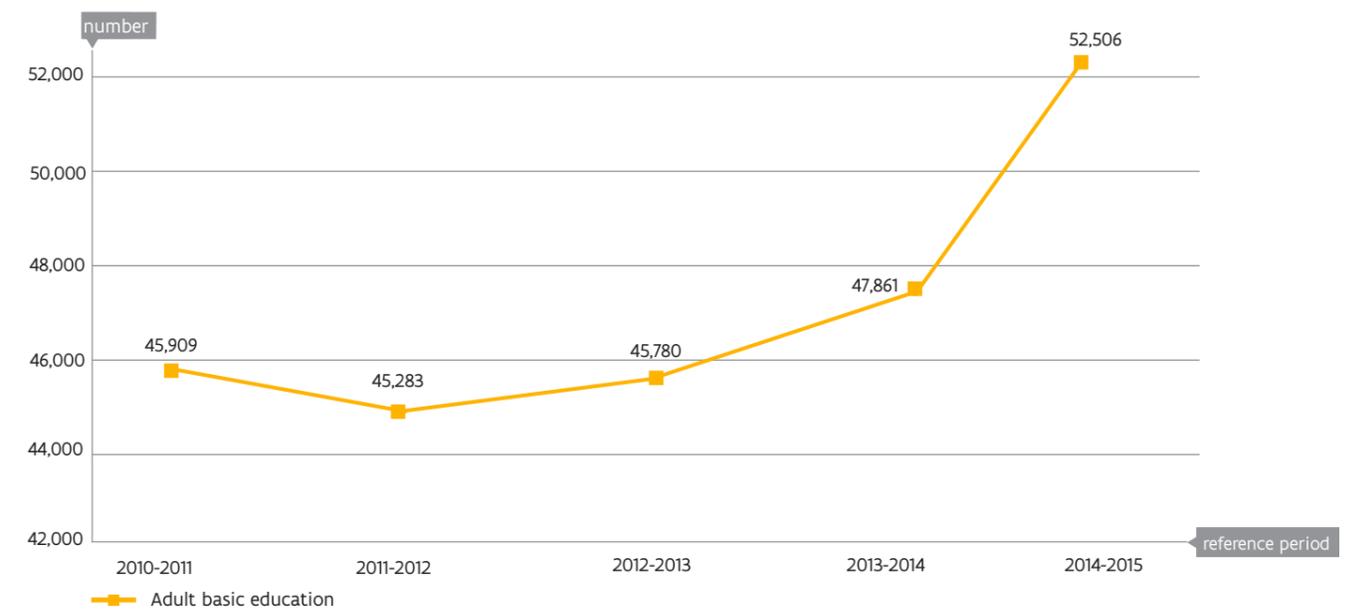
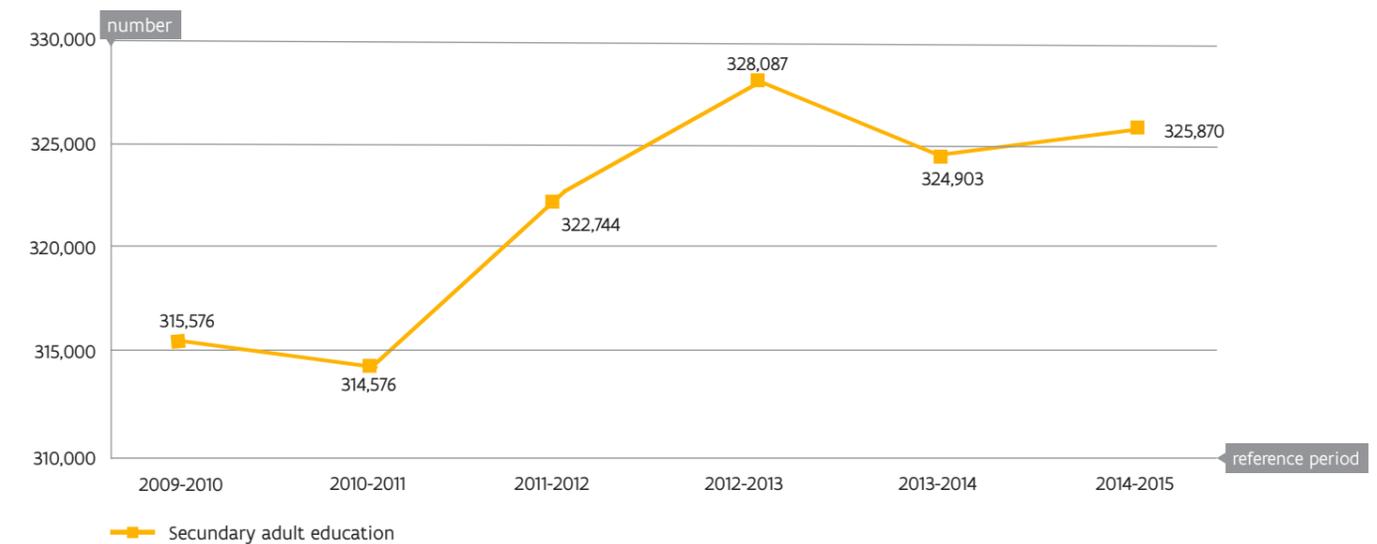
FIELD OF STUDY	M	F	n/a (1)	T
Agriculture and horticulture	489	938	-	1,427
Bookbinding	39	90	-	129
Building	2,935	537	1	3,473
Car mechanics	4,664	241	1	4,906
Caring	1,173	8,979	1	10,153
Chemistry	638	244	-	882
Commerce	5,179	5,058	-	10,237
Decoration	9	10	-	19
Dutch as a second language	36,464	49,274	10	85,748
Fashion	98	16,524	-	16,622
General training	4,294	4,613	1	8,908
Heat and cooling	1,269	42	-	1,311
Home economics education	3,262	10,564	5	13,831
Information and communication technology	16,529	25,614	9	42,152
Jewellery	156	186	-	342
Lacemaking	7	212	-	219
Languages guide stage 1 and 2	24,164	41,064	14	65,242
Languages guide stage 3 and 4	3,298	7,085	1	10,384
Leather-working	51	340	-	391
Library, archive and documentation science	148	351	-	499
Maritime education	171	16	-	187
Mechanics - Electricity	7,056	972	3	8,031
Musical instrument making	194	34	-	228
Nutrition	7,954	9,149	4	17,107
Personal hygiene	189	4,323	1	4,513
Printing technology	6,490	7,719	7	14,216
Special educational needs	114	252	-	366
Textile crafts	3	65	-	68
Tourism	191	269	-	460
Woodworking	2,657	1,030	4	3,691
Wrought ironwork	113	15	-	128
<b>Total</b>	<b>129,998</b>	<b>195,810</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>325,870</b>

(1) For a small number of course participants the gender was not registered.

### Adult basic education

FIELD OF STUDY	M	F	T
Community studies	3,762	7,171	10,933
Dutch	1,322	1,831	3,153
Dutch as a second language	7,202	7,718	14,920
Information and communication technology	2,693	5,933	8,626
Languages	375	949	1,324
Literacy education Dutch as a second language	3,984	5,721	9,705
Mathematics	1,896	1,664	3,560
Tailor-made courses 'Maatwerk'	83	202	285
<b>Total</b>	<b>21,317</b>	<b>31,189</b>	<b>52,506</b>

## 2 Changes in the number of course participants in secondary adult education and adult basic education (1)



(1) In secondary adult education and adult basic education the number of unique enrolments in the same training during the reference period is reported. The school years refer to the relevant reference periods. For adult basic education, only the data for the last 5 reference periods are available

1 Centres for secondary adult education and centres for adult basic education

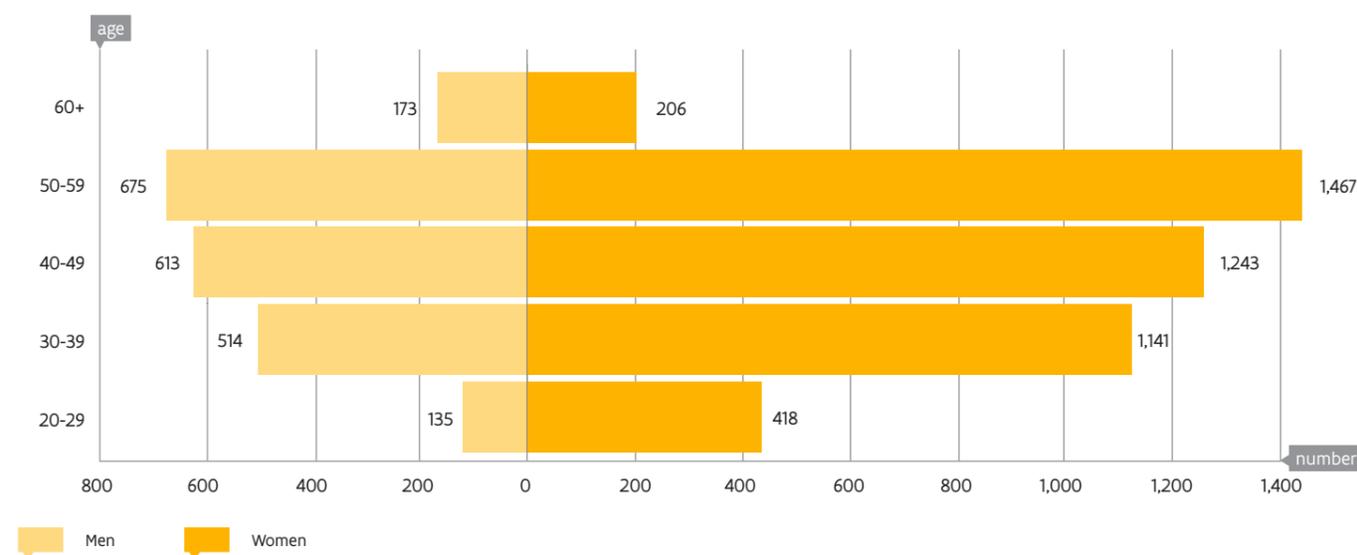
	GO	VGO	OGO	Total
Centres for adult education (secondary adult education)	27	52	23	102
Centres for adult basic education	-	-	-	13

A Secondary adult education

1 Staff in secondary adult education expressed in number of persons/number of full-time equivalents

	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	2,110	4,475	6,585
Number of full-time equivalents	1,616	3,455	5,071

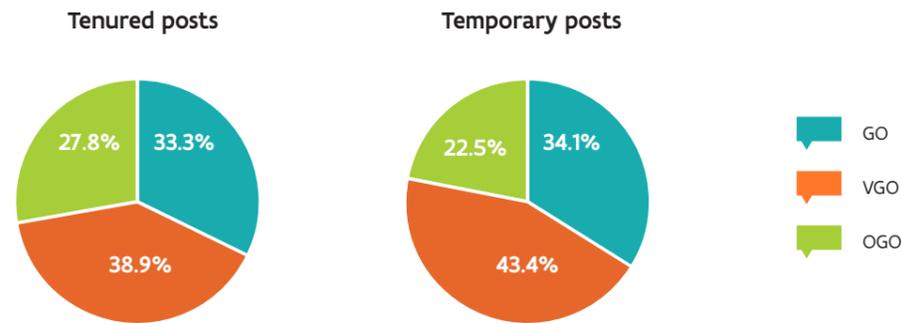
2 Staff in secondary adult education by age group and gender



3 Age structure of staff in secondary adult education by educational network and gender

	GO			VGO			OGO			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
20-29	46	161	207	61	169	230	28	88	116	135	418	553
30-39	171	398	569	215	483	698	128	260	388	514	1,141	1,655
40-49	209	391	600	223	535	758	181	317	498	613	1,243	1,856
50-59	260	431	691	255	644	899	160	392	552	675	1,467	2,142
60+	64	74	138	67	84	151	42	48	90	173	206	379
<b>Total</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>1,455</b>	<b>2,205</b>	<b>821</b>	<b>1,915</b>	<b>2,736</b>	<b>539</b>	<b>1,105</b>	<b>1,644</b>	<b>2,110</b>	<b>4,475</b>	<b>6,585</b>
55+	191	269	460	175	344	519	119	238	357	485	851	1,336

## 4 Staff in secondary adult education by educational network and legal status (full-time equivalents)



## 5 Staff in secondary adult education by educational network, legal status and gender (full-time equivalents)

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
GO	359	717	1,076	211	416	627	570	1,133	1,703
VGO	345	914	1,259	265	534	799	610	1,448	2,058
OGO	282	615	897	154	259	413	436	874	1,310
<b>Total</b>	<b>986</b>	<b>2,246</b>	<b>3,232</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>1,209</b>	<b>1,839</b>	<b>1,616</b>	<b>3,455</b>	<b>5,071</b>

## 6 Staff in secondary adult education by legal status and age group

	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total
Tenured posts	41	778	1,167	1,676	285	3,947
Temporary posts	512	877	689	466	94	2,638
<b>Total</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>1,655</b>	<b>1,856</b>	<b>2,142</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>6,585</b>

## 7 Changes in staff in secondary adult education by legal status

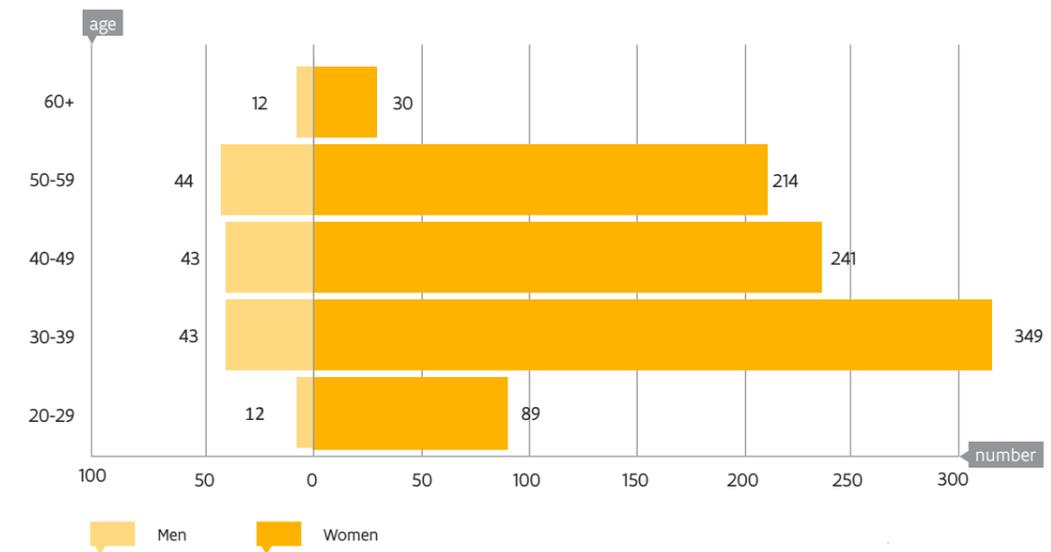
	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015
Tenured posts	3,536	3,707	3,814	3,897	3,944	3,947
Temporary posts	2,644	2,577	2,517	2,520	2,567	2,638
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,180</b>	<b>6,284</b>	<b>6,331</b>	<b>6,417</b>	<b>6,511</b>	<b>6,585</b>

## B Adult basic education

### 1 Staff in adult basic education expressed in number of persons/number of full-time equivalents

	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	154	923	1,077
Number of full-time equivalents	130	682	812

### 2 Staff in adult basic education by age group and gender



### 3 Staff in adult basic education by legal status and gender

	Contractors <sup>(1)</sup>		
	M	F	T
Total	154	923	1,077

(1) In adult basic education, the term 'temporary posts' is not used; all staff members are contractors.

### 1 Adult education budget and share of adult education in the overall education budget (in thousands of euros)

Adult education budget	391,665
Share of adult education in the overall education budget	3.60%

### 2 Changes in adult education budget by educational network (in thousands of euros)

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
GO	91,180	95,058	99,359	100,576	104,925	107,817
VGO	120,405	127,756	132,634	135,141	140,082	142,502
OGO	69,869	73,930	77,481	78,236	79,380	79,082
Cross networks	51,832	58,549	60,873	61,043	64,204	62,264
<b>Total</b>	<b>333,285</b>	<b>355,293</b>	<b>370,347</b>	<b>374,996</b>	<b>388,591</b>	<b>391,665</b>

**Attention:**

The budget for adult education refers to the budget for secondary adult education, higher vocational adult education and specific teacher training.

### 1 Approved subsidy amounts and approved subsidy applications in adult education in 2014 <sup>(1)</sup>

	VGO		OGO		Total	
	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications	Amount (in euros)	Number of subsidy applications
Antwerp	-	-	-	-	-	-
Flemish Brabant	221,091	4	42,991	1	264,082	5
BCR	-	-	-	-	-	-
West Flanders	958,852	5	-	-	958,852	5
East Flanders	964,045	6	62,975	1	1,027,021	7
Limburg	157,759	3	-	-	157,759	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,301,747</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>105,966</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2,407,714</b>	<b>20</b>

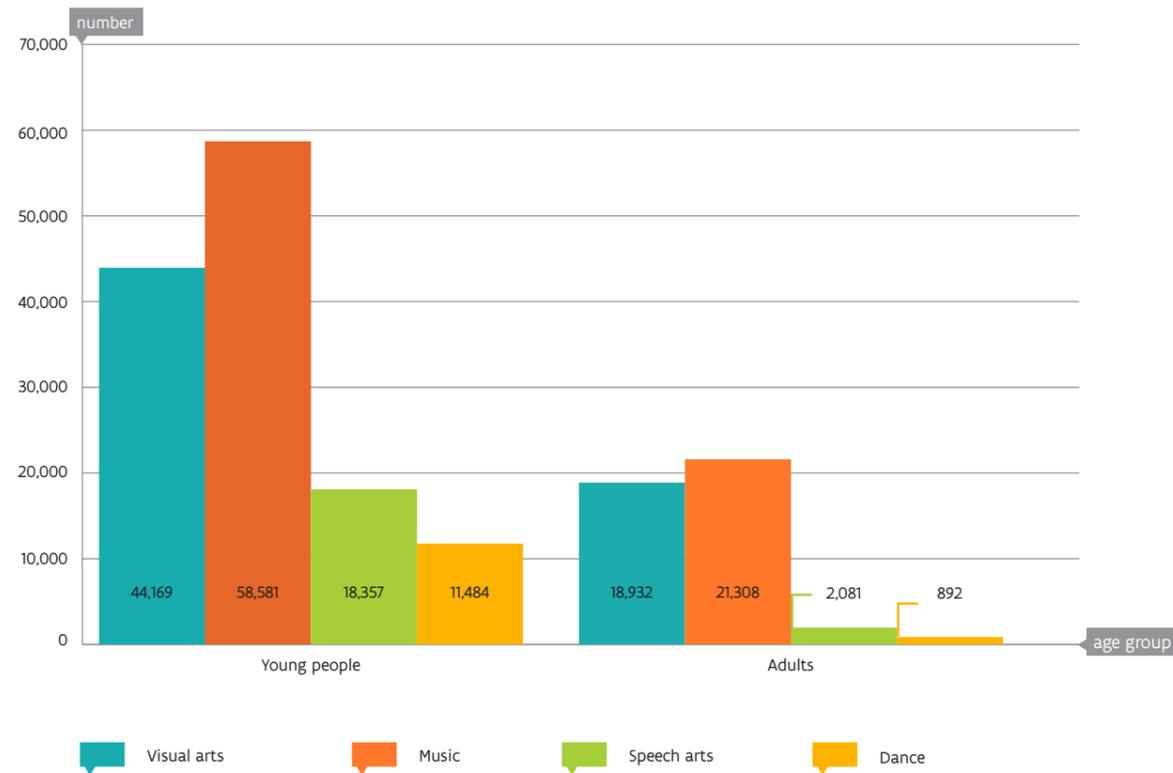
(1) Including adult basic education.

1 Number of course participants in part-time arts education by age category, subject and gender <sup>(1)</sup>

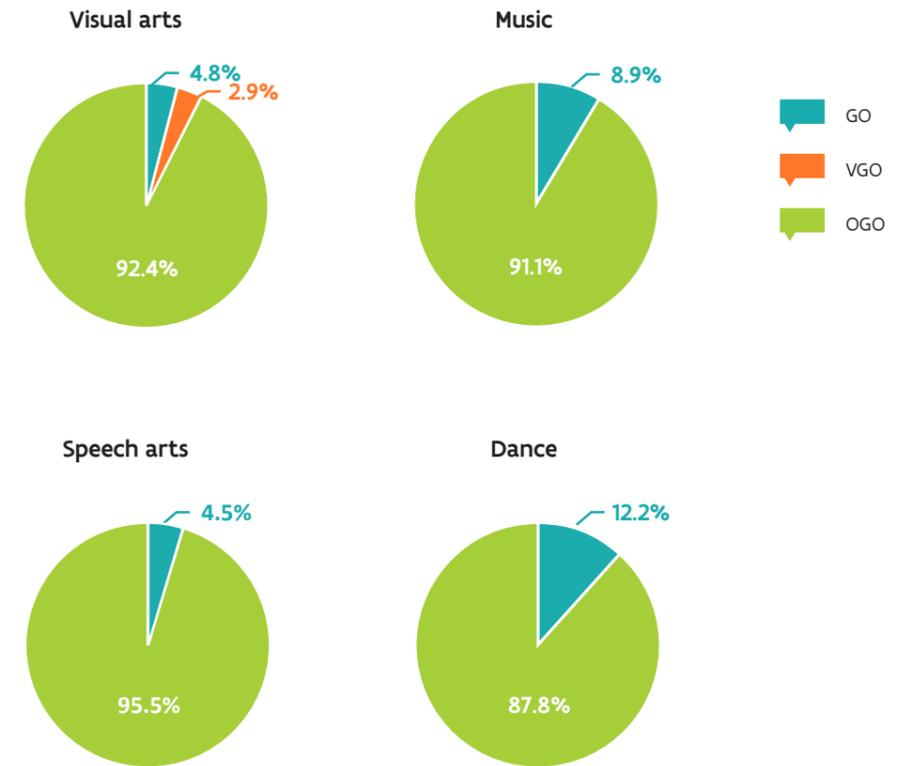
	Young people			Adults			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Visual arts	14,677	29,492	44,169	5,480	13,452	18,932	20,157	42,944	63,101
Music	23,071	35,510	58,581	9,055	12,253	21,308	32,126	47,763	79,889
Speech arts	5,073	13,284	18,357	560	1,521	2,081	5,633	14,805	20,438
Dance	283	11,201	11,484	21	871	892	304	12,072	12,376
<b>Total</b>	<b>43,104</b>	<b>89,487</b>	<b>132,591</b>	<b>15,116</b>	<b>28,097</b>	<b>43,213</b>	<b>58,220</b>	<b>117,584</b>	<b>175,804</b>

(1) The count is based on the number of students eligible for funding. Individuals enrolled on more than one course of study are counted more than once.

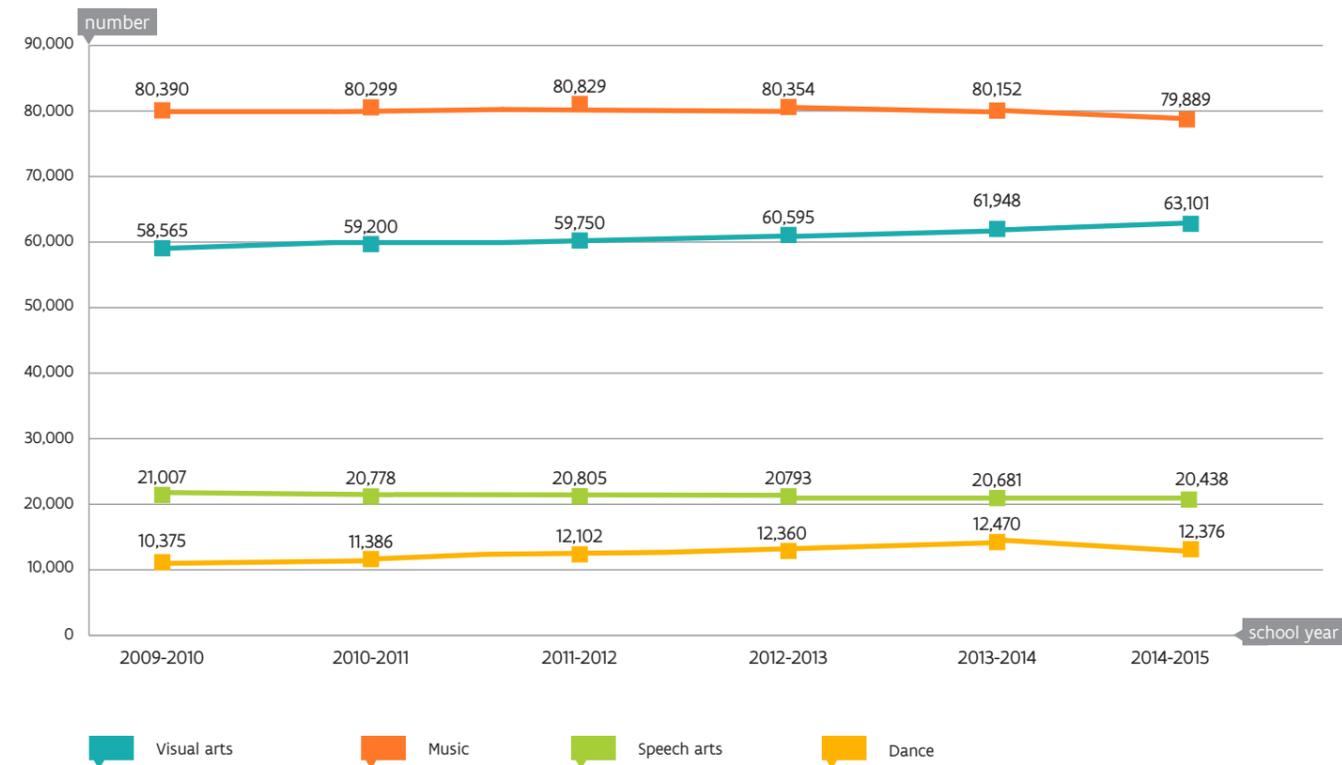
## 2 Proportion of young people/adults in part-time arts education



## 3 Course participants in part-time arts education by educational network



## 4 Changes in the number of course participants in part-time arts education by subject



5 Number of course participants in part-time arts education by subject or by combination of subjects for which they enrolled <sup>(1)</sup>

	Number of course participants	Percentage
<b>Subject or combination of subjects</b>		
Only music	73,373	65.1%
Only speech arts	15,158	13.4%
Only dance	9,901	8.8%
Music and speech arts	9,042	8.0%
Music and dance	3,432	3.0%
Speech arts and dance	960	0.9%
Music and speech arts and dance	837	0.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>112,703</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

(1) The number of course participants is measured by the number of subjects for which they have enrolled. Individuals enrolled in more than one subject are counted more than once.

1 Number of institutes in part-time arts education

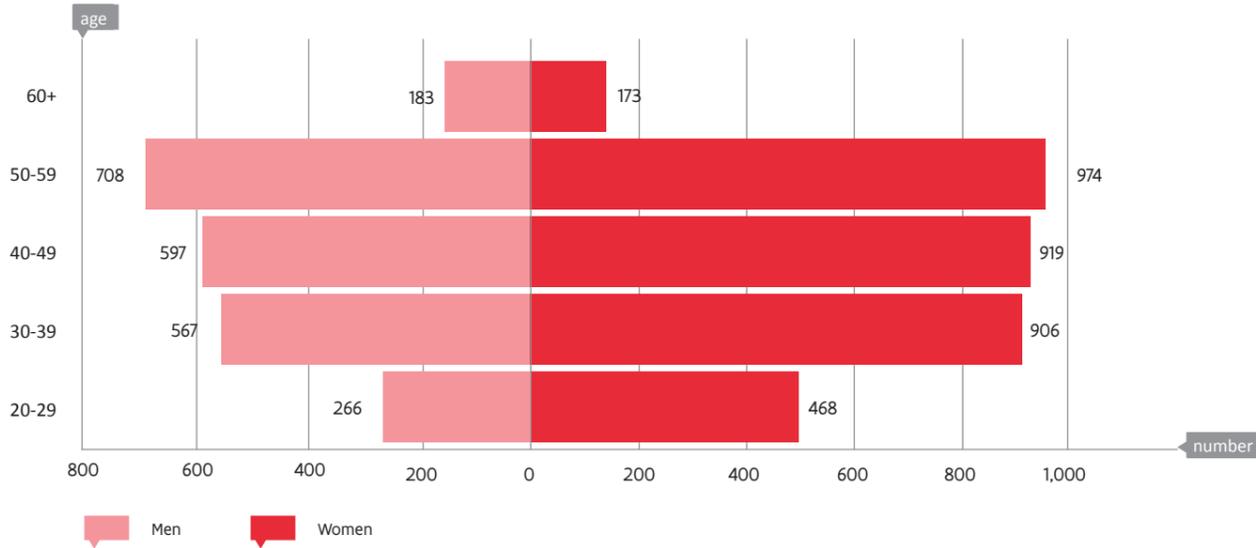
	GO	VGO	OGO	Total
Visual arts	5	4	56	65
Music, speech arts and dance	10	-	83	93
Art academies <sup>(1)</sup>	-	-	10	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>168</b>

(1) Art academies offer visual arts as well as music, speech arts and dance.

## 1 Staff in part-time arts education expressed in number of persons/number of full-time equivalents

	Men	Women	Total
Number of persons	2,321	3,440	5,761
Number of full-time equivalents	1,818	2,496	4,314

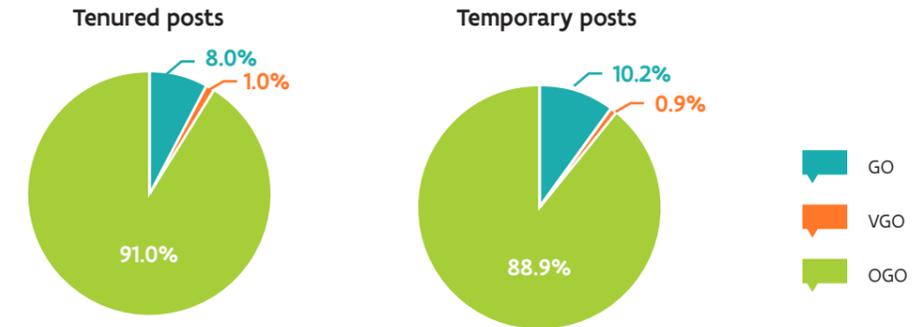
## 2 Staff in part-time arts education by age group and gender



## 3 Age structure of staff in part-time arts education by educational network and gender

	GO			VGO			OGO			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
20-29	31	45	76	2	2	4	233	421	654	266	468	734
30-39	62	84	146	1	3	4	504	819	1,323	567	906	1,473
40-49	44	52	96	6	14	20	547	853	1,400	597	919	1,516
50-59	64	85	149	14	17	31	630	872	1,502	708	974	1,682
60+	23	18	41	5	1	6	155	154	309	183	173	356
<b>Total</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>2,069</b>	<b>3,119</b>	<b>5,188</b>	<b>2,321</b>	<b>3,440</b>	<b>5,761</b>
55+	57	59	116	14	5	19	462	511	973	533	575	1,108

## 4 Staff of part-time arts education by educational network and legal status (full-time equivalents)



## 5 Staff in part-time arts education by educational network, legal status and gender (full-time equivalents)

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
GO	117	146	263	49	55	104	166	201	367
VGO	15	19	34	4	5	9	19	24	43
OGO	1,288	1,714	3,002	345	557	902	1,633	2,271	3,904
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,420</b>	<b>1,879</b>	<b>3,299</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>617</b>	<b>1,015</b>	<b>1,818</b>	<b>2,496</b>	<b>4,314</b>

## 6 Staff in part-time arts education by legal status and age category

	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total
Tenured posts	44	845	1,265	1,542	324	4,020
Temporary posts	690	628	251	140	32	1,741
<b>Total</b>	<b>734</b>	<b>1,473</b>	<b>1,516</b>	<b>1,682</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>5,761</b>

## 7 Changes in staff in part-time arts education by legal status

	2009-2010	2010-2011	2011-2012	2012-2013	2013-2014	2014-2015
Tenured posts	3,767	3,842	3,944	3,959	4,009	4,020
Temporary posts	1,846	1,838	1,764	1,769	1,746	1,741
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,613</b>	<b>5,680</b>	<b>5,708</b>	<b>5,728</b>	<b>5,755</b>	<b>5,761</b>

## 1 Part-time arts education budget and share of part-time arts education in the overall education budget (in thousands of euros)

Part-time arts education budget	232,296
Share of part-time arts education budget in the overall education budget	2.14%

## 2 Changes in the part-time arts education budget by educational network (in thousands of euros)

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
GO	17,836	18,851	19,448	20,024	20,877	20,649
VGO	2,573	2,710	2,738	2,805	2,721	2,714
OGO	184,074	194,948	201,320	205,474	209,119	208,377
Cross educational networks	252	258	592	592	595	556
<b>Total</b>	<b>204,735</b>	<b>216,767</b>	<b>224,098</b>	<b>228,895</b>	<b>233,312</b>	<b>232,296</b>

## 3 Changes in the cost per course participant in part-time arts education (in euros)

