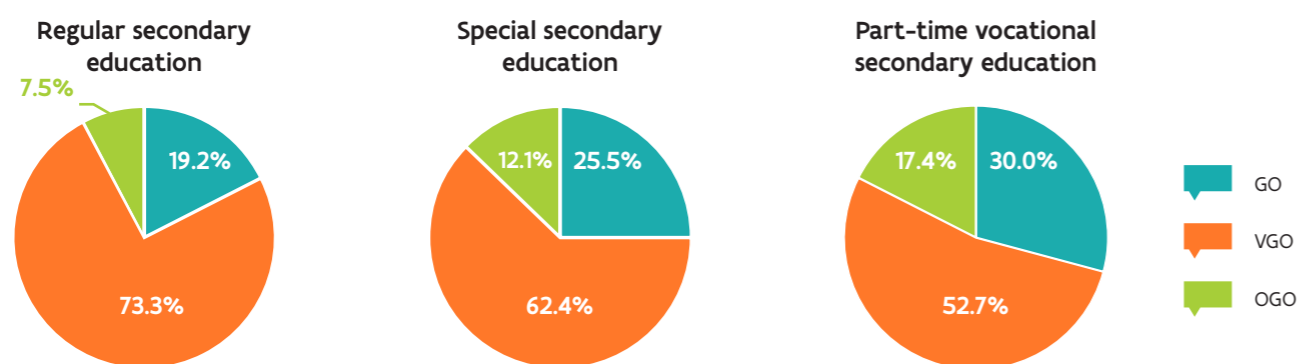


## 1 School population in secondary education

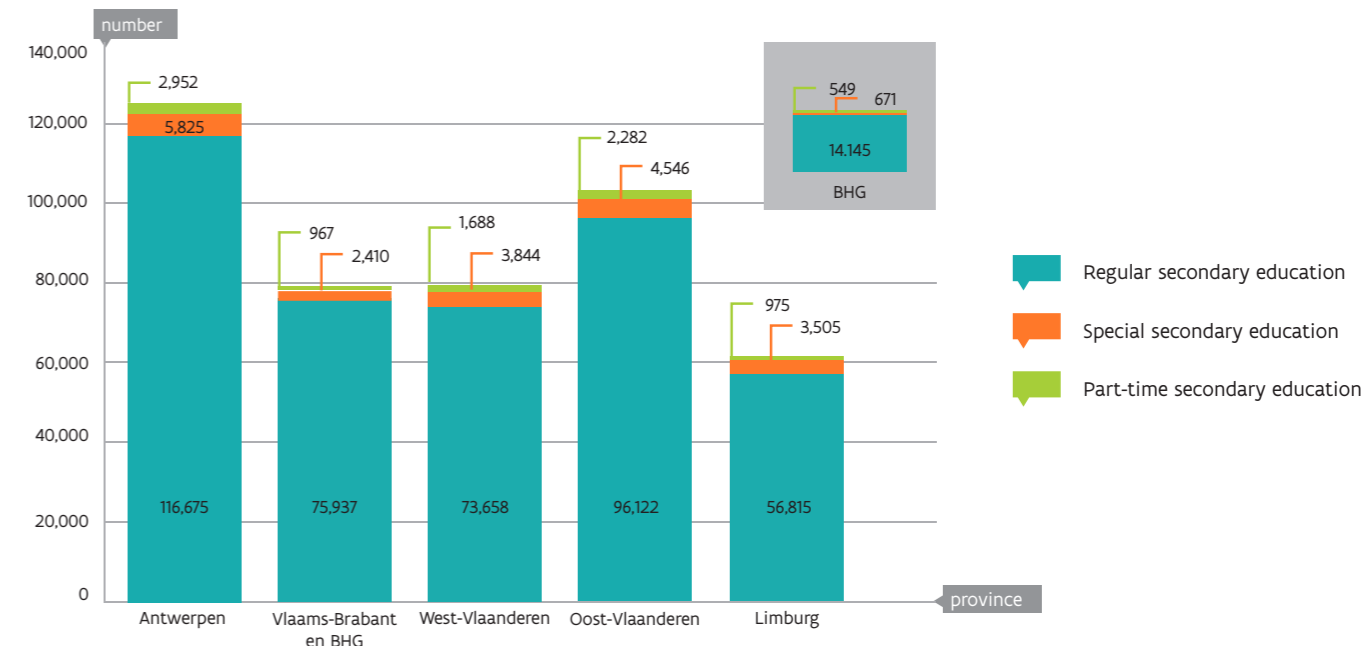
|   | GO            |               |               | VGO            |                |                | OGO           |               |               | Total          |                |                |
|---|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
|   | M             | F             | T             | M              | F              | T              | M             | F             | T             | M              | F              | T              |
| <b>Regular secondary education</b>                |               |               |               |                |                |                |               |               |               |                |                |                |
| Reception class for immigrants                    | 828           | 474           | 1,302         | 1,243          | 741            | 1,984          | 477           | 333           | 810           | 2,548          | 1,548          | 4,096          |
| 1st stage   | 13,180        | 12,628        | 25,808        | 49,787         | 50,821         | 100,608        | 5,511         | 3,017         | 8,528         | 68,478         | 66,466         | 134,944        |
| 2nd stage   | 13,090        | 12,459        | 25,549        | 49,213         | 49,521         | 98,734         | 6,299         | 3,608         | 9,907         | 68,602         | 65,588         | 134,190        |
| 3rd stage*  | 13,994        | 13,657        | 27,651        | 52,225         | 53,295         | 105,520        | 7,359         | 4,521         | 11,880        | 73,578         | 71,473         | 145,051        |
| * of which advanced secondary education (Se-n-Se) | 413           | 271           | 684           | 1,254          | 630            | 1,884          | 228           | 105           | 333           | 1,895          | 1,006          | 2,901          |
| Modular education (on 2nd and 3rd stage level)    | 2             | 62            | 64            | 126            | 483            | 609            | 251           | 2             | 253           | 379            | 547            | 926            |
| <b>Total regular secondary education</b>          | <b>41,094</b> | <b>39,280</b> | <b>80,374</b> | <b>152,594</b> | <b>154,861</b> | <b>307,455</b> | <b>19,897</b> | <b>11,481</b> | <b>31,378</b> | <b>213,585</b> | <b>205,622</b> | <b>419,207</b> |
| Special secondary education <sup>(1)</sup>        | 3,370         | 1,754         | 5,124         | 8,114          | 4,450          | 12,564         | 1,714         | 728           | 2,442         | 13,198         | 6,932          | 20,130         |
| <b>Total full-time secondary education</b>        | <b>44,464</b> | <b>41,034</b> | <b>85,498</b> | <b>160,708</b> | <b>159,311</b> | <b>320,019</b> | <b>21,611</b> | <b>12,209</b> | <b>33,820</b> | <b>226,783</b> | <b>212,554</b> | <b>439,337</b> |
| Part-time secondary education                     | 1,780         | 875           | 2,655         | 3,182          | 1,489          | 4,671          | 988           | 550           | 1,538         | 5,950          | 2,914          | 8,864          |

(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 2017 there were 406 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

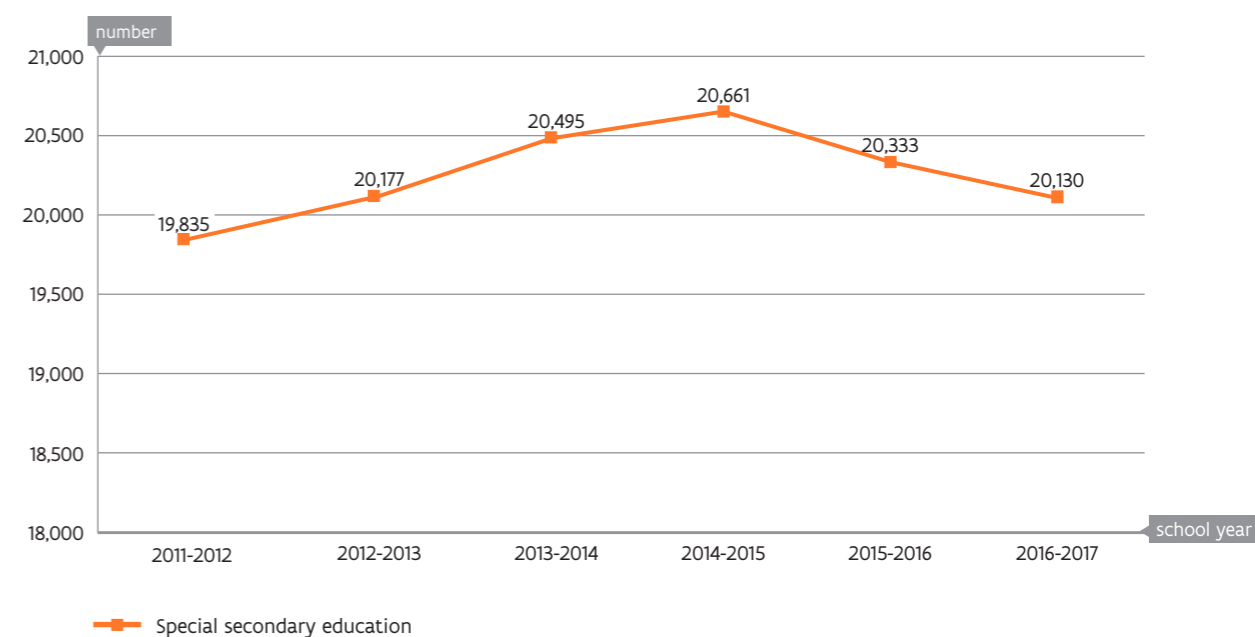
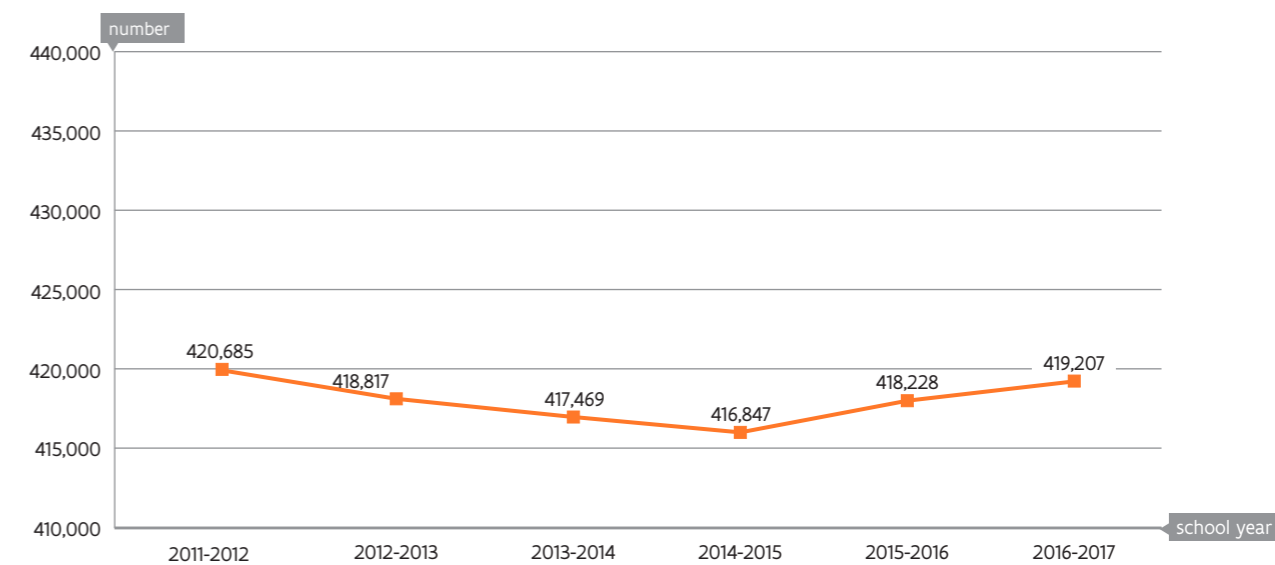
|                        | GO            |               |               | VGO            |                |                | OGO           |              |               | Total          |                |                |
|------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
|                        | M             | F             | T             | M              | F              | T              | M             | F            | T             | M              | F              | T              |
| <b>2nd stage</b>       |               |               |               |                |                |                |               |              |               |                |                |                |
| aso                    | 5,512         | 6,431         | 11,943        | 21,661         | 27,479         | 49,140         | 760           | 937          | 1,697         | 27,933         | 34,847         | 62,780         |
| tso                    | 3,435         | 2,353         | 5,788         | 17,084         | 13,254         | 30,338         | 2,620         | 881          | 3,501         | 23,139         | 16,488         | 39,627         |
| kso                    | 248           | 395           | 643           | 449            | 852            | 1,301          | 286           | 542          | 828           | 983            | 1,789          | 2,772          |
| bsa                    | 3,895         | 3,280         | 7,175         | 10,019         | 7,936          | 17,955         | 2,633         | 1,248        | 3,881         | 16,547         | 12,464         | 29,011         |
| <b>Total 2nd stage</b> | <b>13,090</b> | <b>12,459</b> | <b>25,549</b> | <b>49,213</b>  | <b>49,521</b>  | <b>98,734</b>  | <b>6,299</b>  | <b>3,608</b> | <b>9,907</b>  | <b>68,602</b>  | <b>65,588</b>  | <b>134,190</b> |
| <b>3rd stage</b>       |               |               |               |                |                |                |               |              |               |                |                |                |
| aso                    | 4,180         | 5,277         | 9,457         | 17,611         | 23,710         | 41,321         | 529           | 759          | 1,288         | 22,320         | 29,746         | 52,066         |
| tso                    | 4,234         | 3,133         | 7,367         | 19,759         | 15,965         | 35,724         | 2,906         | 1,221        | 4,127         | 26,899         | 20,319         | 47,218         |
| kso                    | 314           | 478           | 792           | 534            | 1,057          | 1,591          | 322           | 647          | 969           | 1,170          | 2,182          | 3,352          |
| bsa                    | 5,266         | 4,769         | 10,035        | 14,321         | 12,563         | 26,884         | 3,602         | 1,894        | 5,496         | 23,189         | 19,226         | 42,415         |
| <b>Total 3rd stage</b> | <b>13,994</b> | <b>13,657</b> | <b>27,651</b> | <b>52,225</b>  | <b>53,295</b>  | <b>105,520</b> | <b>7,359</b>  | <b>4,521</b> | <b>11,880</b> | <b>73,578</b>  | <b>71,473</b>  | <b>145,051</b> |
| Modular education bso  | 2             | 62            | 64            | 126            | 483            | 609            | 251           | 2            | 253           | 379            | 547            | 926            |
| <b>Total</b>           | <b>27,086</b> | <b>26,178</b> | <b>53,264</b> | <b>101,564</b> | <b>103,299</b> | <b>204,863</b> | <b>13,909</b> | <b>8,131</b> | <b>22,040</b> | <b>142,559</b> | <b>137,608</b> | <b>280,167</b> |

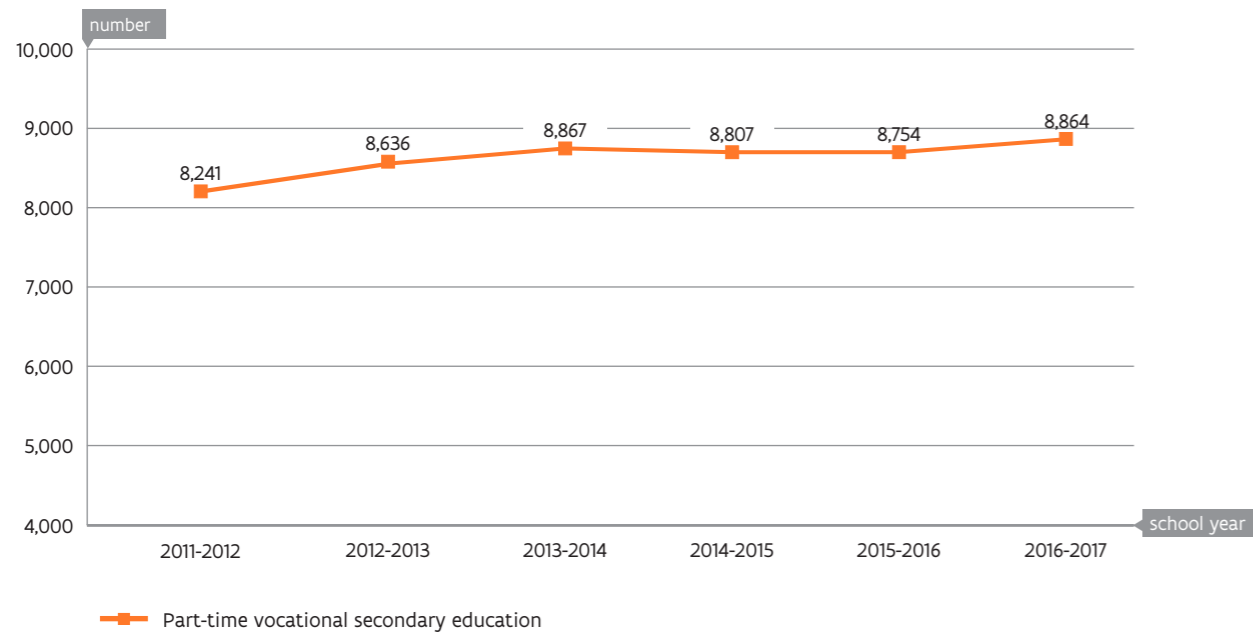
## 5 School population in full-time regular secondary education by field of study (2nd and 3rd stage and modular programmes)

|                                      | M              | F              | T              |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>FIELD OF STUDY</b>                |                |                |                |
| General secondary education          | 48,271         | 63,603         | 111,874        |
| Agriculture and Horticulture         | 3,863          | 2,124          | 5,987          |
| Ballet                               | 17             | 46             | 63             |
| Body Care                            | 324            | 6,108          | 6,432          |
| Car Engineering                      | 3,358          | 34             | 3,392          |
| Chemistry                            | 3,282          | 1,747          | 5,029          |
| Commerce                             | 17,889         | 14,128         | 32,017         |
| Construction                         | 3,339          | 292            | 3,631          |
| Decorative Techniques                | 864            | 1,056          | 1,920          |
| Dental Techniques                    | 48             | 45             | 93             |
| Fashion                              | 95             | 1,559          | 1,654          |
| Graphic Communication and Media      | 1,891          | 449            | 2,340          |
| Heating and Cooling                  | 1,242          | 3              | 1,245          |
| Jewelry                              | 70             | 35             | 105            |
| Maritime training programmes         | 188            | 5              | 193            |
| Mechanics and Electricity            | 27,810         | 486            | 28,296         |
| Musical Instruments                  | 29             | 5              | 34             |
| Nutrition                            | 3,572          | 2,108          | 5,680          |
| Optics                               | 12             | 16             | 28             |
| Orthopedic Techniques                | 24             | 18             | 42             |
| People Care                          | 8,278          | 35,314         | 43,592         |
| Performing Arts                      | 500            | 1,008          | 1,508          |
| Photography                          | 96             | 188            | 284            |
| Public Security                      | 958            | 187            | 1,145          |
| Sports                               | 6,538          | 2,314          | 8,852          |
| Textile                              | 54             | 13             | 67             |
| Tourism                              | 890            | 1,597          | 2,487          |
| Visual Arts                          | 1,636          | 2,917          | 4,553          |
| Woodwork                             | 7,393          | 170            | 7,563          |
| Not assigned to a field of study (1) | 28             | 33             | 61             |
| <b>Total</b>                         | <b>142,559</b> | <b>137,608</b> | <b>280,167</b> |

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

## 6 Changes in the school population in secondary education



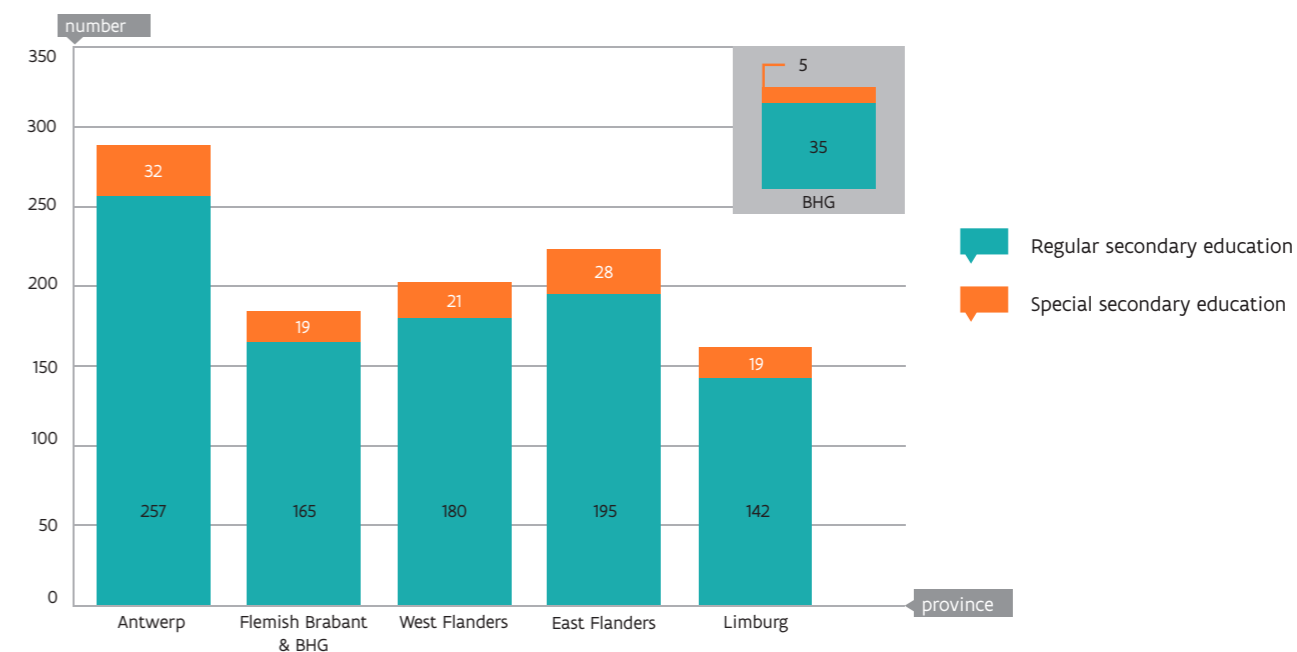


## 1 Schools in secondary education

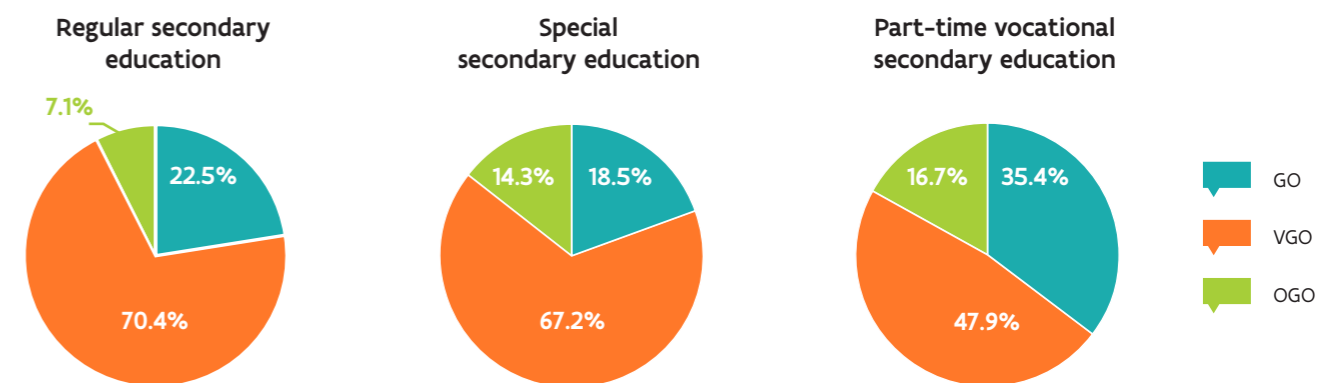
|   | GO         | VGO        | OGO       | Total        |
|---|------------|------------|-----------|--------------|
| <b>FULL-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>                    |            |            |           |              |
| Regular secondary education                             | 211        | 661        | 67        | 939          |
| Special secondary education <sup>(1)</sup>              | 22         | 80         | 17        | 119          |
| <b>Total full-time secondary education</b>              | <b>233</b> | <b>741</b> | <b>84</b> | <b>1,058</b> |
| <b>PART-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>                    |            |            |           |              |
| Part-time vocational secondary education <sup>(2)</sup> | 17         | 23         | 8         | 48           |

(1) Five schools providing type 5 special education (long-term illness) are not included in this table.  
 (2) 48 out of the 939 centres for part-time secondary education are attached to one of the schools which provide full-time regular secondary education. 6 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>

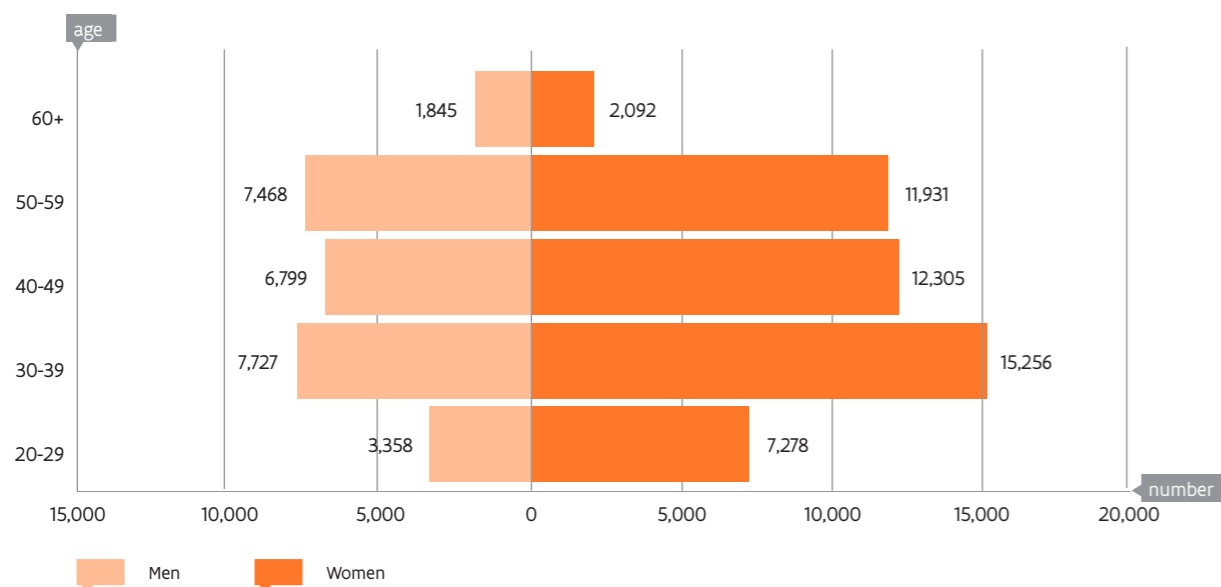
|                                 | Men    | Women  | Total  |
|---------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Number of persons               | 27,197 | 48,862 | 76,059 |
| Number of full-time equivalents | 25,320 | 42,522 | 67,842 |

(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*               | 24,382        | 42,448        | 66,830        |
| Special secondary education                | 2,815         | 6,414         | 9,229         |
| <b>Total</b>                               | <b>27,197</b> | <b>48,862</b> | <b>76,059</b> |
| *of which in part-time secondary education | 558           | 882           | 1,440         |

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



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

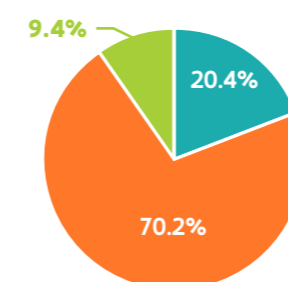
|              | GO           |               |               | VGO           |               |               | OGO          |              |              | Total         |               |               |
|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|              | M            | F             | T             | M             | F             | T             | M            | F            | T            | M             | F             | T             |
| 20-29        | 917          | 1,839         | 2,756         | 2,100         | 4,860         | 6,960         | 341          | 579          | 920          | 3,358         | 7,278         | 10,636        |
| 30-39        | 1,902        | 3,595         | 5,497         | 5,037         | 10,446        | 15,483        | 788          | 1,215        | 2,003        | 7,727         | 15,256        | 22,983        |
| 40-49        | 1,543        | 2,602         | 4,145         | 4,439         | 8,651         | 13,090        | 817          | 1,052        | 1,869        | 6,799         | 12,305        | 19,104        |
| 50-59        | 1,151        | 2,035         | 3,186         | 5,379         | 8,795         | 14,174        | 938          | 1,101        | 2,039        | 7,468         | 11,931        | 19,399        |
| 60+          | 373          | 447           | 820           | 1,255         | 1,464         | 2,719         | 217          | 181          | 398          | 1,845         | 2,092         | 3,937         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>5,886</b> | <b>10,518</b> | <b>16,404</b> | <b>18,210</b> | <b>34,216</b> | <b>52,426</b> | <b>3,101</b> | <b>4,128</b> | <b>7,229</b> | <b>27,197</b> | <b>48,862</b> | <b>76,059</b> |
| 55+          | 937          | 1,479         | 2,416         | 4,275         | 6,016         | 10,291        | 737          | 826          | 1,563        | 5,949         | 8,321         | 14,270        |

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

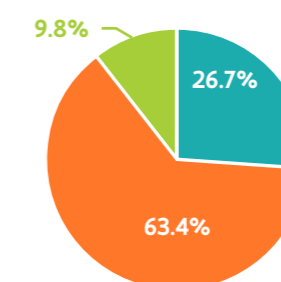
|                                    | 20-29         | 30-39         | 40-49         | 50-59         | 60+          | Total         |
|------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| <b>REGULAR SECONDARY EDUCATION</b> |               |               |               |               |              |               |
| Tenured posts                      | 1,159         | 14,509        | 14,778        | 16,441        | 3,343        | 50,230        |
| Temporary posts                    | 7,886         | 5,409         | 2,133         | 982           | 190          | 16,600        |
| <b>Total</b>                       | <b>9,045</b>  | <b>19,918</b> | <b>16,911</b> | <b>17,423</b> | <b>3,533</b> | <b>66,830</b> |
| <b>SPECIAL SECONDARY EDUCATION</b> |               |               |               |               |              |               |
| Tenured posts                      | 313           | 2,283         | 1,800         | 1,811         | 378          | 6,585         |
| Temporary posts                    | 1,278         | 782           | 393           | 165           | 26           | 2,644         |
| <b>Total</b>                       | <b>1,591</b>  | <b>3,065</b>  | <b>2,193</b>  | <b>1,976</b>  | <b>404</b>   | <b>9,229</b>  |
| <b>TOTAL SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>   |               |               |               |               |              |               |
| Tenured posts                      | 1,472         | 16,792        | 16,578        | 18,252        | 3,721        | 56,815        |
| Temporary posts                    | 9,164         | 6,191         | 2,526         | 1,147         | 216          | 19,244        |
| <b>Total</b>                       | <b>10,636</b> | <b>22,983</b> | <b>19,104</b> | <b>19,399</b> | <b>3,937</b> | <b>76,059</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



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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                                 | 3,246         | 5,606         | 8,852         | 1,565           | 2,346         | 3,911         | 4,811         | 7,952         | 12,763        |
| VGO                                | 12,030        | 19,933        | 31,963        | 3,372           | 6,027         | 9,399         | 15,402        | 25,960        | 41,362        |
| OGO                                | 1,860         | 2,188         | 4,048         | 642             | 765           | 1,407         | 2,502         | 2,953         | 5,455         |
| <b>Total</b>                       | <b>17,136</b> | <b>27,727</b> | <b>44,863</b> | <b>5,579</b>    | <b>9,138</b>  | <b>14,717</b> | <b>22,715</b> | <b>36,865</b> | <b>59,580</b> |
| <b>SPECIAL SECONDARY EDUCATION</b> |               |               |               |                 |               |               |               |               |               |
| GO                                 | 455           | 1,050         | 1,505         | 201             | 441           | 642           | 656           | 1,491         | 2,147         |
| VGO                                | 1,170         | 2,514         | 3,684         | 416             | 999           | 1,415         | 1,586         | 3,513         | 5,099         |
| OGO                                | 274           | 472           | 746           | 89              | 181           | 270           | 363           | 653           | 1,016         |
| <b>Total</b>                       | <b>1,899</b>  | <b>4,036</b>  | <b>5,935</b>  | <b>706</b>      | <b>1,621</b>  | <b>2,327</b>  | <b>2,605</b>  | <b>5,657</b>  | <b>8,262</b>  |
| <b>TOTAL SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>   |               |               |               |                 |               |               |               |               |               |
| GO                                 | 3,701         | 6,656         | 10,357        | 1,766           | 2,787         | 4,553         | 5,467         | 9,443         | 14,910        |
| VGO                                | 13,200        | 22,447        | 35,647        | 3,788           | 7,026         | 10,814        | 16,988        | 29,473        | 46,461        |
| OGO                                | 2,134         | 2,660         | 4,794         | 731             | 946           | 1,677         | 2,865         | 3,606         | 6,471         |
| <b>Total</b>                       | <b>19,035</b> | <b>31,763</b> | <b>50,798</b> | <b>6,285</b>    | <b>10,759</b> | <b>17,044</b> | <b>25,320</b> | <b>42,522</b> | <b>67,842</b> |

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

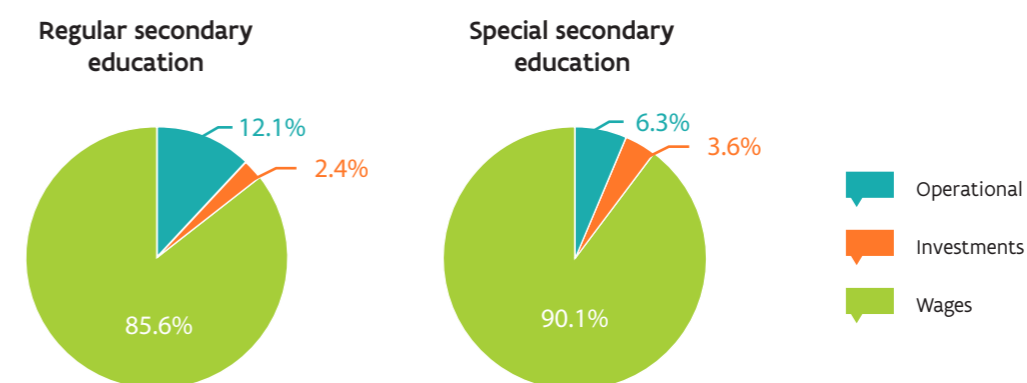
|                                    | 2011-2012     | 2012-2013     | 2013-2014     | 2014-2015     | 2015-2016     | 2016-2017     |
|------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>REGULAR SECONDARY EDUCATION</b> |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Tenured posts                      | 53,611        | 52,413        | 51,842        | 51,075        | 50,974        | 50,230        |
| Temporary posts                    | 15,896        | 16,114        | 16,131        | 16,344        | 15,835        | 16,600        |
| <b>Total</b>                       | <b>69,507</b> | <b>68,527</b> | <b>67,973</b> | <b>67,419</b> | <b>66,809</b> | <b>66,830</b> |
| <b>SPECIAL SECONDARY EDUCATION</b> |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Tenured posts                      | 5,815         | 5,944         | 6,164         | 6,319         | 6,462         | 6,585         |
| Temporary posts                    | 2,481         | 2,528         | 2,637         | 2,701         | 2,689         | 2,644         |
| <b>Total</b>                       | <b>8,296</b>  | <b>8,472</b>  | <b>8,801</b>  | <b>9,020</b>  | <b>9,151</b>  | <b>9,229</b>  |
| <b>TOTAL SECONDARY EDUCATION</b>   |               |               |               |               |               |               |
| Tenured posts                      | 59,426        | 58,357        | 58,006        | 57,394        | 57,436        | 56,815        |
| Temporary posts                    | 18,377        | 18,642        | 18,768        | 19,045        | 18,524        | 19,244        |
| <b>Total</b>                       | <b>77,803</b> | <b>76,999</b> | <b>76,774</b> | <b>76,439</b> | <b>75,960</b> | <b>76,059</b> |

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

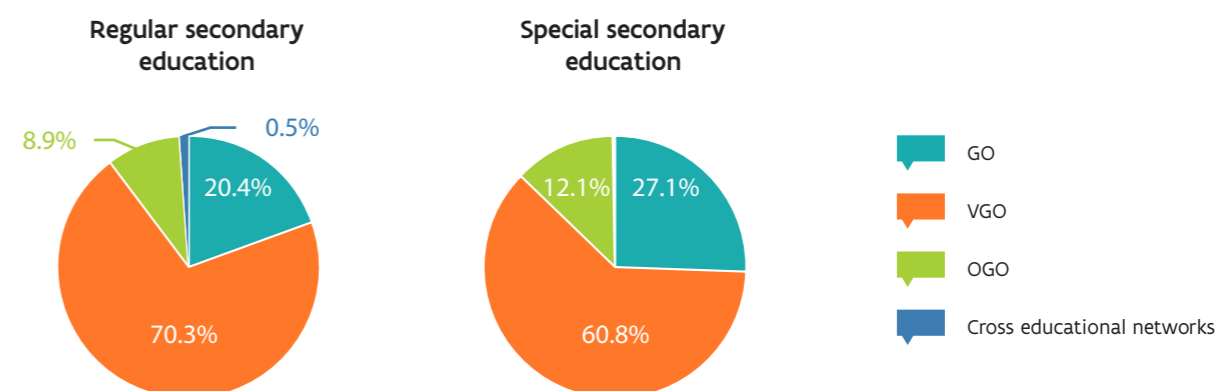
|   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| <b>Secondary education budget</b>                                   | <b>4,204,167</b> |
| Regular secondary education budget                                  | 3,760,667        |
| Special secondary education budget                                  | 437,076          |
| Secondary education - not specified <sup>(1)</sup>                  | 6,424            |
| <b>Share of secondary education in the overall education budget</b> | <b>36.97%</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)

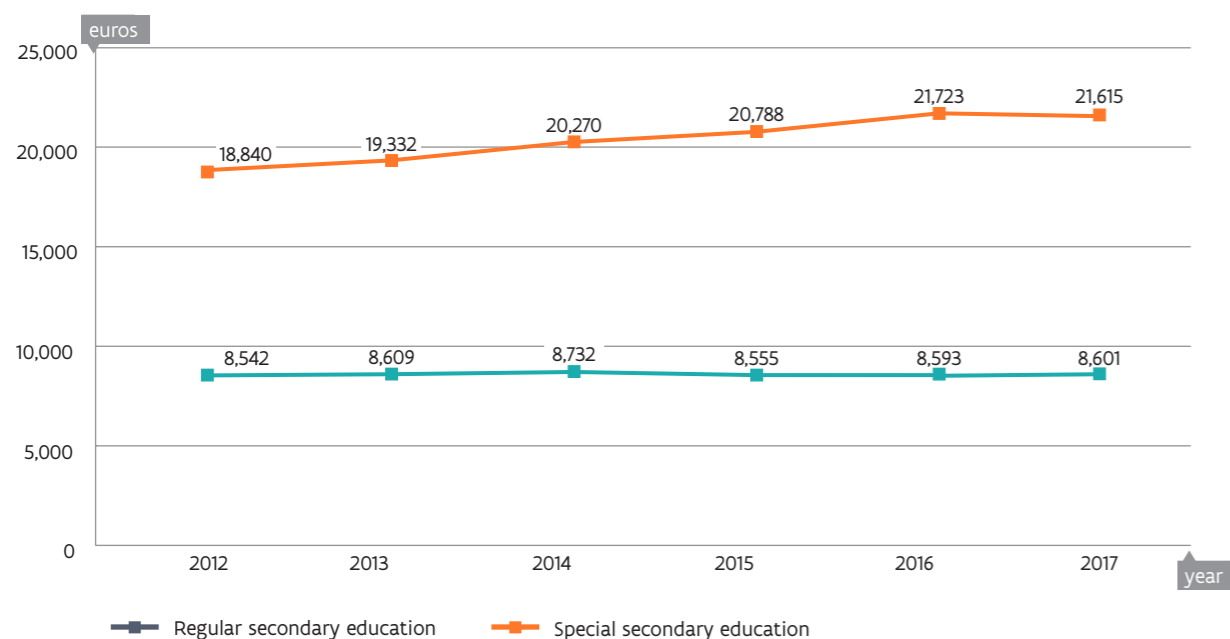
|                            | 2012             | 2013             | 2014             | 2015             | 2016             | 2017             |
|----------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Wages <sup>(1)</sup>       | 3,512,236        | 3,529,760        | 3,566,412        | 3,538,717        | 3,574,512        | 3,611,213        |
| Operational <sup>(2)</sup> | 486,972          | 496,437          | 502,918          | 485,785          | 485,432          | 487,446          |
| Investments                | 98,655           | 112,043          | 140,317          | 121,099          | 123,460          | 105,508          |
| <b>Total</b>               | <b>4,097,863</b> | <b>4,138,240</b> | <b>4,209,647</b> | <b>4,145,601</b> | <b>4,183,404</b> | <b>4,204,167</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) <sup>(1)</sup>

|                            | 2012             | 2013             | 2014             | 2015             | 2016             | 2017             |
|----------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| GO                         | 822,186          | 829,310          | 859,810          | 855,879          | 881,247          | 885,270          |
| VGO                        | 2,855,219        | 2,883,147        | 2,926,645        | 2,875,464        | 2,898,284        | 2,909,545        |
| OGO                        | 395,066          | 399,560          | 397,760          | 391,173          | 381,199          | 385,769          |
| Cross educational networks | 25,392           | 26,223           | 25,432           | 23,084           | 22,673           | 23,583           |
| <b>Total</b>               | <b>4,097,863</b> | <b>4,138,240</b> | <b>4,209,647</b> | <b>4,145,601</b> | <b>4,183,404</b> | <b>4,204,167</b> |

## 6 Changes in expenditure per pupil by level of education (in euros)



## 1 Approved subsidy amounts and approved subsidy applications in full-time regular secondary education in 2016

|                 | 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         | 14,788,882        | 170                            | 2,924,290         | 7                              | 17,713,172        | 177                            |
| Flemish Brabant | 7,763,270         | 78                             | -                 | -                              | 7,763,270         | 78                             |
| BCR             | 1,002,526         | 16                             | -                 | -                              | 1,002,526         | 16                             |
| West Flanders   | 22,429,820        | 143                            | 3,757             | 1                              | 22,433,577        | 144                            |
| East Flanders   | 11,641,641        | 121                            | 2,667,090         | 13                             | 14,308,730        | 134                            |
| Limburg         | 10,900,088        | 86                             | -                 | -                              | 10,900,088        | 86                             |
| <b>Total</b>    | <b>68,526,226</b> | <b>614</b>                     | <b>5,595,137</b>  | <b>21</b>                      | <b>74,121,363</b> | <b>635</b>                     |

## 2 Approved subsidy amounts and approved subsidy applications in special secondary education in 2016

|                 | 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         | 1,609,680         | 13                             | 790,060           | 1                              | 2,399,739         | 14                             |
| Flemish Brabant | 215,781           | 5                              | 200,000           | 1                              | 415,781           | 6                              |
| BCR             | 26,815            | 1                              | -                 | -                              | 26,815            | 1                              |
| West Flanders   | 1,491,347         | 9                              | -                 | -                              | 1,491,347         | 9                              |
| East Flanders   | 5,503,009         | 12                             | 71,372            | 1                              | 5,574,381         | 13                             |
| Limburg         | 261,367           | 4                              | -                 | -                              | 261,367           | 4                              |
| <b>Total</b>    | <b>9,107,998</b>  | <b>44</b>                      | <b>1,061,432</b>  | <b>3</b>                       | <b>10,169,430</b> | <b>47</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           | 181,786                | 115,455                      | 63.51%                           | 50,333,256                                    | 435.96                       |
| Full-time secondary education | 175,794                | 112,621                      | 64.06%                           | 49,534,631                                    | 439.83                       |
| Part-time secondary education | 5,992                  | 2,834                        | 47.30%                           | 798,626                                       | 281.80                       |

(1) As known on 20/08/2017.

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                              | 53,274                 | 35,534                       | 16,019,347                                    | 450.82                       |
| Flemish Brabant                      | 19,656                 | 12,135                       | 5,192,041                                     | 427.86                       |
| BCR                                  | 7,608                  | 5,339                        | 2,565,419                                     | 480.51                       |
| West Flanders                        | 29,562                 | 18,079                       | 7,761,459                                     | 429.31                       |
| East Flanders                        | 38,539                 | 24,469                       | 10,572,974                                    | 432.10                       |
| Limburg                              | 25,948                 | 16,574                       | 7,195,440                                     | 434.14                       |
| Other provinces                      | 850                    | 426                          | 196,993                                       | 462.42                       |
| Unknown <sup>(2)</sup>               | 357                    | 65                           | 30,958  | 476.27                       |
| <b>Total</b>                         | <b>175,794</b>         | <b>112,621</b>               | <b>49,534,631</b>                             | <b>439.83</b>                |
| <b>PART-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION</b> |                        |                              |   |                              |
| Antwerp                              | 1,939                  | 973                          | 272,781                                       | 280.35                       |
| Flemish Brabant                      | 386                    | 175                          | 48,969  | 279.82                       |
| BCR                                  | 266                    | 114                          | 34,448  | 302.18                       |
| West Flanders                        | 1,181                  | 572                          | 162,505                                       | 284.10                       |
| East Flanders                        | 1,480                  | 661                          | 184,998                                       | 279.88                       |
| Limburg                              | 686                    | 330                          | 91,988  | 278.75                       |
| Other provinces                      | 19                     | 8                            | 2,607   | 325.82                       |
| Unknown <sup>(2)</sup>               | 35                     | 1                            | 330   | 329.56                       |
| <b>Total</b>                         | <b>5,992</b>           | <b>2,834</b>                 | <b>798,626</b>                                | <b>281.80</b>                |

(1) As known on 20/08/2017.

(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 2016-2017. Due to this the number of allowances granted may increase further.

1 Number of registrations, enrolments and participants in 2016

|              | Number of registrations | Number of enrolments | Number of participants |
|--------------|-------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| Men          | 2,448                   | 2,179                | 2,919                  |
| Women        | 2,038                   | 1,875                | 2,452                  |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>4,486</b>            | <b>4,054</b>         | <b>5,371</b>           |

The figures above reflect the number of unique candidates who in 2016 were effectively enrolled in and paid for a course of study (enrolments) after they registered (registrations) at an information session. In 2016 there were 5,371 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 2016 but did not yet graduate have been included in the figures.

2 Success rate by stage and type of secondary education in 2016

For 67% 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 |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|--------|--------|----------|
| <b>Examination Board</b>           | 35,276          | 23,538 | 11,738 | 67%      |
| <b>Per stage</b>                   |                 |        |        |          |
|                                    | 1st stage       | 359    | 161    | 69%      |
|                                    | 2nd stage       | 894    | 466    | 66%      |
|                                    | 3rd stage       | 22,285 | 11,111 | 67%      |
| <b>Type of secondary education</b> |                 |        |        |          |
|                                    | 1st stage       | 359    | 161    | 69%      |
|                                    | General         | 3,772  | 3,092  | 55%      |
|                                    | Vocational      | 15,759 | 5,867  | 73%      |
|                                    | Arts            | 288    | 176    | 62%      |
|                                    | Technical       | 3,360  | 2,442  | 58%      |

3. Study certificates awarded by the Examination Board in 2016

|                             |              |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Certificate 1st stage       | 23           |
| Certificate 2nd stage       | 31           |
| Diploma Secondary education | 1,447        |
| <b>Total</b>                | <b>1,501</b> |