

# Flemish Education *in Figures*



General information



Elementary education



Secondary education



Tertiary education



Lifelong learning



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# Definitions



## Pupils

The number of pupils in elementary and secondary education in this publication refers to the number of pupils and students enrolled on February 1, 2009. For non-university tertiary education and university education the data refer to all active inscriptions in a diploma contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2009. A student can have several inscriptions. In adult education, part-time arts education and supervised individual study (BIS), enrolment rates are recorded. These rates may be higher than the number of physical persons as a pupil may be enrolled in several courses. The data concerning adult education are included in the publication for 2 periods of reference: from 1 February 2007 up to and including 31 August 2007 and from 1 September 2007 up to and including 31 March 2008. The data for the reference period that starts on April 1, 2008 were not available at time of publication.

In order to avoid double counts, the pupils enrolled in special education due to long-term illness (pupils in type 5 special education) are not included in the figures of special education (127 pupils in special nursery education, 216 pupils in special primary education and 298 pupils in special secondary education).

Pupils and students enrolled in French language schools or in French language sections of Dutch language schools coming under the authority of the Flemish authorities are not included in the figures either. Yet, for higher education, courses in other languages are included in the figures.

Since the 2004-2005 academic year, Flemish tertiary education has been organising courses leading to Bachelor and Master degrees. In Flanders, Bachelor courses are professionally oriented or academically oriented. Academically oriented bachelor programmes are mainly intended to make students pass on to master courses. A professionally oriented bachelor can take a master course after successful completion of a bridging programme.

The study volume of bachelor courses amounts to minimum 180 credits. The study volume of master courses amounts to minimum 60 credits. As from the 2005-2006 academic year, the traditional year system is replaced by a more flexible system of credits.



## Schools

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

In continuing education, the term “centre for adult education” is used.

Institutions providing special education type 5 are not included in the figures (6 schools in special nursery education, 6 schools in special primary education and 4 schools in special secondary education).



## Staff

Staff statistics only register staff members either paid directly by the Education and Training policy domain or staff members 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 is not included. Subsidised contractual staff is not taken into account either, as these staff members are not fully paid by the Education and Training policy domain. Contractual staff in tenured posts is included in the figures.

Staff data on the 2008-2009 school year relate to January 2009, as known in June 2009. University staff data were provided by the Flemish Interuniversity Council (VLIR) and relate to February 1, 2008. Data on the 2008-2009 academic year were not available at time of publication.

As far as education staff is concerned, a distinction is made between managing and teaching staff on the one hand and other staff categories on the other. Managing staff consists of school heads and deputy heads. Teaching staff carries out a teaching assignment or benefits from the pre-pension scheme. Other staff categories comprise administrative staff, manual staff of Community education, educational support staff, paramedic staff, staff of Pupil Guidance Centres, inspectorate staff, educational supervision staff, staff in boarding schools and child carers in nursery education. In elementary education, managing and teaching staff includes, as of the 2003-2004 school year, physical education teachers (in nursery education) and special care co-ordinators.

Numbers of staff members are expressed in physical persons. Physical persons are registered for the education level and education network where they carry out their main teaching assignment.

The number of staff members expressed in full-time equivalents is the sum of all partial assignments of all staff members (in other words including replacements of less than one year). In colleges of higher education, teaching assignments of visiting professors and mandate fees are not included in the full-time equivalents. As for university education, figures on staff include visiting professors and early retired in terms of staff members, but not in the budgetary full-time equivalents.

Since the school year 2008-2009 there is an increase in the number of staff in the category 'other' (staff by level of education). This can be explained by a reclassification of the staff in boarding schools. In the past these staff members have been taken into account in the level of education of the school connected with the boarding school. From this school year on the staff has been allocated to the category 'other'. This change only has an impact on the data in the category 'other staff categories' (and not on the data in the category 'managing and teaching staff').

From 1 September 2008 the staff members working in adult basic education are paid directly by the Education and Training policy domain. The Education and Training policy domain functions as third payer for the staff members who have an employment contract with the adult basic education centre and which are not paid in another way. This third payer's system has been introduced on the base of the decree on adult education (15 June 2007).



## Budget

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

The *operating appropriations* comprise non-differentiated appropriations, differentiated commitment appropriations, variable appropriations, authorisations and additional appropriations of previous years, decreased by appropriations intended to cover the liquidation of commitments and by expenditure intended to cover debt load.

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 agreement) and reallocations of appropriations. Data for 2009 relate to the initial appropriations.

Certain *cross-level expenses*, of which the breakdown among the different levels is known, are allocated to the respective levels (amongst other things educational priority policy and investments). Without this adjustment one gets a distorted picture of the actual expenses per level. For 2009

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the actual data are not available yet. Either the same breakdown as in 2008 or estimation was proposed.

Thus, these figures do not take account of the efforts paid by other (local) authorities, nor of the efforts paid by parents, schools and private companies.

The *cost per pupil* is calculated on the base of the number of pupils eligible for funding. A pupil eligible for funding is a regularly registered pupil who gets a weighting factor on the grounds of certain criteria such as education level, course of study, origin, ... The number of pupils eligible for funding defines the size of the operating budget and the staff of each education institution.

Amounts are expressed in thousands of euros, unless specified otherwise.

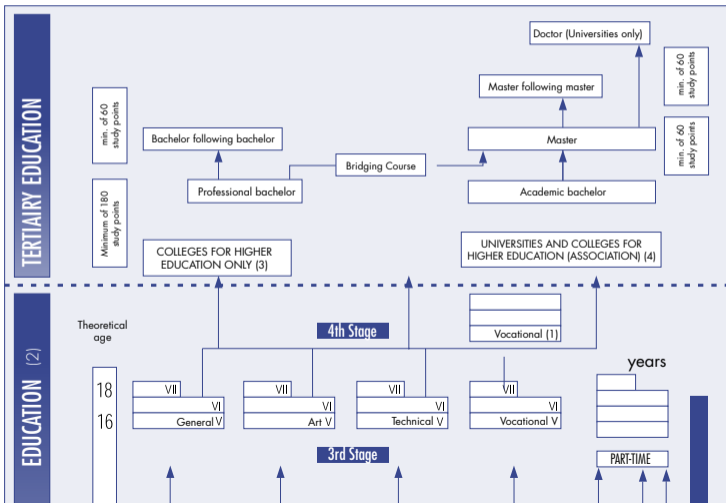


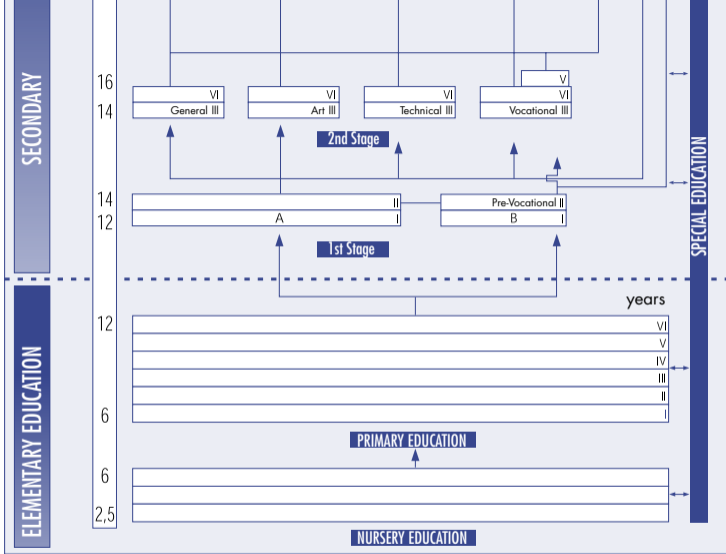
## Abbreviations

<b>M</b>	Males
<b>F</b>	Females
<b>T</b>	Total
<b>GO</b>	Community education
<b>VGO</b>	Subsidised private authority education
<b>OGO</b>	Subsidised public authority education
<b>ASO</b>	General secondary education
<b>TSO</b>	Technical secondary education
<b>KSO</b>	Artistic secondary education
<b>BSO</b>	Vocational secondary education
<b>CLB</b>	Pupil Guidance Center
<b>VLIR</b>	Flemish Interuniversity Council
<b>B.C.R.</b>	Brussels Capital Region



## STRUCTURE OF FLEMISH EDUCATION - SCHOOL YEAR 2008-2009





- (1) Everyone who succeeded in the second year of the third stage or passed an entrance exam, can enrol in the 4th stage of vocational education.
- (2) Modular education is not split up into stages and years and is therefore not included in this scheme.
- (3) The former one-cycle courses at the colleges for higher education are transformed into professional bachelor courses.
- (4) The former two-cycle courses at the colleges for higher education and the academic courses at the universities are transformed into academic bachelor courses and master courses. These courses are transformed from an at least two-year candidate course and an at least one-year master course. Candidate degrees are not declared equal to bachelor degrees.





# SCHOOL POPULATION

## SCHOOL POPULATION IN FULL-TIME EDUCATION BY EDUCATIONAL LEVEL

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
<b>Nursery education</b>						
Regular	234,951	233,172	232,709	233,344	237,530	243,482
Special	1,720	1,791	1,821	1,907	1,950	1,977
<b>Total nursery education</b>	<b>236,671</b>	<b>234,963</b>	<b>234,530</b>	<b>235,251</b>	<b>239,480</b>	<b>245,459</b>
<b>Primary education</b>						
Regular	399,615	393,910	388,973	387,157	384,557	381,882
Special	26,952	26,768	26,753	26,794	27,140	27,543
<b>Total primary education</b>	<b>426,567</b>	<b>420,678</b>	<b>415,726</b>	<b>413,951</b>	<b>411,697</b>	<b>409,425</b>
<b>Total elementary education</b>	<b>663,238</b>	<b>655,641</b>	<b>650,256</b>	<b>649,202</b>	<b>651,177</b>	<b>654,884</b>
<b>Secondary education</b>						
Regular	427,922	435,048	439,550	439,338	438,315	436,146
Special	16,792	17,393	17,801	18,189	18,263	18,548
<b>Total secondary education</b>	<b>444,714</b>	<b>452,441</b>	<b>457,351</b>	<b>457,527</b>	<b>456,578</b>	<b>454,694</b>
<b>Tertiary education (1) (2)</b>						
Non-university tertiary education	100,178	101,185	102,367	102,477	104,174	109,795
University education	56,839	57,005	59,172	60,866	64,372	71,645
<b>Total tertiary education</b>	<b>157,017</b>	<b>158,190</b>	<b>161,539</b>	<b>163,343</b>	<b>168,546</b>	<b>181,440</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,264,969</b>	<b>1,266,272</b>	<b>1,269,146</b>	<b>1,270,072</b>	<b>1,276,301</b>	<b>1,291,018</b>

(1) Bachelor and master courses (from 2004-2005 onwards); and basic courses and initial teacher training courses (old system, declining).

(2) Data refer to all active inscriptions in a diploma contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2009. A student can have several inscriptions.

Due to the change in definition the data for higher education cannot be compared.

## SCHOOL POPULATION IN PART-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
Part-time vocational secondary education	6,342	6,380	6,445	6,573	6,687	6,935
Part-time offshore fishing secondary education (1)	6	13	5	4	2	-
<b>Total part-time secondary education</b>	<b>6,348</b>	<b>6,393</b>	<b>6,450</b>	<b>6,577</b>	<b>6,689</b>	<b>6,935</b>

(1) Since the school year 2008-2009 part-time offshore education is integrated in part-time secondary education.



## SCHOOL POPULATION LIFELONG LEARNING

<b>Adult education</b>			
Adult education (1)			
Reference period 1/2/2007 - 31/8/2007	Secondary adult education	Linear	-
		Modular	56,910
		<b>Total</b>	<b>56,910</b>
	Higher vocational adult education	Linear	-
		Modular	9,653
		<b>Total</b>	<b>9,653</b>
Reference period 1/9/2007 - 31/3/2008	Secondary adult education	Linear	11,127
		Modular	259,693
		<b>Total</b>	<b>270,820</b>
	Higher vocational adult education	Linear	3,215
		Modular	19,542
		<b>Total</b>	<b>22,757</b>
Adult basic education			data not available
BIS (Supervised Individual Study) (2)			2,201
<b>Part-time art education</b>			<b>167,647</b>

(1) Data for the reference period 1/2/2007 - 31/8/2007 and the reference period 1/9/2007 - 31/3/2008. The data for the reference period that starts 1/4/2008 were not available at time of publication.

(2) Calendar year 2008. Since 16 April 2007 supervised individual study only supplies services for course participants preparing for the Central Examination Commission and detainees. The provision of services for the general public has stopped. Also 'BIS Online' has been run-down completely in 2007.

# EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

## EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IN FULL-TIME EDUCATION, PART-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION AND LIFELONG LEARNING

Full-time education	
<b>Nursery education</b>	
Regular	2,133
Special (1)	94
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,227</b>
<b>Primary education</b>	
Regular	2,142
Special (1)	190
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,332</b>
<b>Elementary education (2)</b>	
Regular	2,312
Special (1)	190
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,502</b>
<b>Secondary education</b>	
Regular	953
Special (1)	112
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,065</b>
<b>Tertiary education</b>	
Non-university tertiary education	22
University education	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>29</b>

Part-time secondary education	
Part-time vocational secondary education	48
Part-time offshore fishing secondary education (3)	-
<b>Continuing education</b>	
<b>Adult education</b>	
Adult education (4)	107
Secondary adult education	61
Higher vocational adult education	29
Adult basic education (5)	
<b>Part-time art education</b>	
	<b>167</b>

- (1) Schools providing special education type 5 are not included in the data (6 nursery schools, 6 primary schools and 4 secondary schools).
- (2) Schools organising both nursery and primary education are included in the number of nursery schools as well as in the number of primary schools.
- (3) Since the school year 2008-2009 part-time offshore education is integrated in part-time secondary education.
- (4) Data for the reference period 1/2/2007 - 31/8/2007 and the reference period 1/9/2007 - 31/3/2008.
- (5) The number of adult basic education centres is reduced to 13 regional centres (implementation of the Decree Adult Education since 1 September 2008).



# STAFF

## MANAGING AND TEACHING STAFF BY EDUCATIONAL LEVEL AND GENDER (1)

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
<b>Regular elementary education</b>						
M	9,005	8,665	8,289	7,926	7,691	7,505
F	38,241	38,189	38,190	38,093	38,537	39,083
<b>T</b>	<b>47,246</b>	<b>46,854</b>	<b>46,479</b>	<b>46,019</b>	<b>46,228</b>	<b>46,588</b>
<b>Special elementary education</b>						
M	1,151	1,124	1,121	1,111	1,088	1,075
F	4,227	4,341	4,474	4,573	4,701	4,820
<b>T</b>	<b>5,378</b>	<b>5,465</b>	<b>5,595</b>	<b>5,684</b>	<b>5,789</b>	<b>5,895</b>
<b>Regular secondary education (2)</b>						
M	24,426	24,276	23,727	23,639	23,585	23,743
F	30,956	31,697	31,661	32,195	32,670	33,452
<b>T</b>	<b>55,382</b>	<b>55,973</b>	<b>55,388</b>	<b>55,834</b>	<b>56,255</b>	<b>57,195</b>
<b>Special secondary education</b>						
M	2,187	2,185	2,223	2,236	2,268	2,273
F	2,640	2,750	2,897	3,133	3,297	3,423
<b>T</b>	<b>4,827</b>	<b>4,935</b>	<b>5,120</b>	<b>5,369</b>	<b>5,565</b>	<b>5,696</b>
<b>Non-university tertiary education (3)</b>						
M	3,988	3,945	3,898	3,884	3,878	3,922
F	3,474	3,529	3,600	3,659	3,759	3,889
<b>T</b>	<b>7,462</b>	<b>7,474</b>	<b>7,498</b>	<b>7,543</b>	<b>7,637</b>	<b>7,811</b>

**Secondary adult education**

M	1,416	1,474	1,485	1,549	1,545	1,588
F	2,275	2,441	2,421	2,573	2,602	2,650
<b>T</b>	<b>3,691</b>	<b>3,915</b>	<b>3,906</b>	<b>4,122</b>	<b>4,147</b>	<b>4,238</b>

**Higher vocational adult education**

M	395	388	376	384	387	373
F	274	291	301	318	336	340
<b>T</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>679</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>702</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>713</b>

**Adult basic education (4)**

M						99
F						465
<b>T</b>						<b>564</b>

**Part-time art education**

M	1,663	1,670	1,714	1,768	1,799	1,798
F	1,801	1,876	1,944	2,008	2,086	2,126
<b>T</b>	<b>3,464</b>	<b>3,546</b>	<b>3,658</b>	<b>3,776</b>	<b>3,885</b>	<b>3,924</b>

**Total managing and teaching staff (excluding adult basic education)**

M	44,231	43,727	42,833	42,497	42,241	42,277
F	83,888	85,114	85,488	86,552	87,988	89,783
<b>T</b>	<b>128,119</b>	<b>128,841</b>	<b>128,321</b>	<b>129,049</b>	<b>130,229</b>	<b>132,060</b>

**Total managing and teaching staff (including adult basic education)**

M						42,376
F						90,248
<b>T</b>						<b>132,624</b>

- (1) Excluding staff employed by universities.
- (2) Staff in full-time and part-time secondary education.
- (3) Guest professors and mandate reimbursements are not included.
- (4) From 1 September 2008 the staff members working adult basic education centres are paid directly by the Education and Training policy domain. The Education and Training policy domain functions as third payer's scheme for the staff members who have an employment contract with the adult basic education centre and which are not paid in another way. This third payer's scheme has been introduced on the basis of the Decree on Adult Education (15 June 2007).



## OTHER STAFF CATEGORIES BY EDUCATIONAL LEVEL AND GENDER (1)

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
<b>Regular elementary education</b>						
M	460	469	515	555	580	580
F	3,470	3,459	3,428	3,417	3,520	3,814
<b>T</b>	<b>3,930</b>	<b>3,928</b>	<b>3,943</b>	<b>3,972</b>	<b>4,100</b>	<b>4,394</b>
<b>Special elementary education</b>						
M	342	348	360	364	374	201
F	2,012	2,115	2,158	2,242	2,294	1,825
<b>T</b>	<b>2,354</b>	<b>2,463</b>	<b>2,518</b>	<b>2,606</b>	<b>2,668</b>	<b>2,026</b>
<b>Regular secondary education (2)</b>						
M	2,122	2,126	2,101	2,093	2,104	2,085
F	4,739	4,744	4,628	4,648	4,718	4,704
<b>T</b>	<b>6,861</b>	<b>6,870</b>	<b>6,729</b>	<b>6,741</b>	<b>6,822</b>	<b>6,789</b>
<b>Special secondary education</b>						
M	181	181	189	191	202	202
F	596	612	678	740	798	811
<b>T</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>793</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>1,013</b>
<b>Non-university tertiary education</b>						
M	564	571	594	612	653	701
F	1,071	1,109	1,144	1,199	1,271	1,326
<b>T</b>	<b>1,635</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>1,738</b>	<b>1,811</b>	<b>1,924</b>	<b>2,027</b>

<b>Secondary adult education</b>						
M	52	59	56	61	100	104
F	260	275	281	286	384	404
<b>T</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>508</b>
<b>Higher vocational adult education</b>						
M	5	5	5	5	8	11
F	24	25	25	25	32	31
<b>T</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>Adult basic education (3)</b>						
M						5
F						50
<b>T</b>						<b>55</b>
<b>Part-time art education</b>						
M	37	38	38	36	47	49
F	93	97	102	105	144	147
<b>T</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>196</b>
<b>Other (4)</b>						
M	1,120	1,081	1,059	1,019	993	1,275
F	2,531	2,568	2,773	2,849	2,889	3,758
<b>T</b>	<b>3,651</b>	<b>3,649</b>	<b>3,832</b>	<b>3,868</b>	<b>3,882</b>	<b>5,033</b>
<b>Total other staff categories (excluding adult basic education)</b>						
M	4,883	4,878	4,917	4,936	5,061	5,208
F	14,796	15,004	15,217	15,511	16,050	16,820
<b>T</b>	<b>19,679</b>	<b>19,882</b>	<b>20,134</b>	<b>20,447</b>	<b>21,111</b>	<b>22,028</b>
<b>Total managing and teaching staff (including adult basic education)</b>						
M						5,213
F						16,870
<b>T</b>						<b>22,083</b>

(1) Excluding staff employed by universities.

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

(3) From 1 September 2008 the staff members working adult basic education centres are paid directly by the Education and Training policy domain.

The Education and Training policy domain functions as third payer's scheme for the staff members who have an employment contract with the adult basic education centre and which are not paid in another way.

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(4) Staff of Pupil Guidance Centers, education inspectorate, pedagogical counselling, boarding schools,...





## STAFF OF UNIVERSITIES PAID BY OPERATIONAL ALLOWANCES

### Number of full-time equivalents on February 1 (1)

	2004			2006			2008		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>Academic staff</b>									
Autonomous academic staff (2)	2,127.2	389.4	2,516.6	2,082.3	430.8	2,513.1	2,068.2	488.4	2,556.6
Assisting academic staff	963.2	852.4	1,815.6	918.9	898.9	1,817.8	831.5	898.4	1,730.0
<b>Total academic staff</b>	<b>3,090.4</b>	<b>1,241.8</b>	<b>4,332.2</b>	<b>3,001.2</b>	<b>1,329.7</b>	<b>4,330.8</b>	<b>2,899.8</b>	<b>1,386.8</b>	<b>4,286.6</b>
<b>Administrative and technical staff</b>	<b>1,931.5</b>	<b>1,962.6</b>	<b>3,894.1</b>	<b>1,854.3</b>	<b>1,969.7</b>	<b>3,823.9</b>	<b>1,833.4</b>	<b>2,054.6</b>	<b>3,887.9</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,021.9</b>	<b>3,204.4</b>	<b>8,226.3</b>	<b>4,855.5</b>	<b>3,299.3</b>	<b>8,154.8</b>	<b>4,733.2</b>	<b>3,441.4</b>	<b>8,174.5</b>

(1) Data for February 2009 were not yet available at time of publication.

(2) Guest professors and early retired staff members are not included.

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

# BUDGET

## EVOLUTION OF THE EDUCATION BUDGET

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Evolution of the Flemish Education budget (in thousands of euros) (1) (2)	7,862,181	8,067,878	8,469,945	8,859,496	9,801,404	9,206,871
Annual evolution of the Flemish education budget (without inflation)		-0.2%	3.1%	2.7%	5.9%	-6.3%
The education budget as a percentage of the Flemish budget	41.5%	42.7%	41.9%	40.4%	41.9%	37.9%
Educational expenditure as a percentage of Gross Regional Product (GRP) (3)						
(4)	4.43%	4.37%	4.34%	4.29%	unknown	unknown
(5)	5.91%	5.84%	5.94%	unknown	unknown	unknown

- (1) Not taking into account possible changes within the Flemish budget to and from the education budget.
- (2) The increase of educational budget between 2008 and 2007, and the decrease of the education budget between 2009 and 2008, can be explained by the pre-payment of the operation budget for elementary and secondary education for 2009.
- (3) GRP (of Flanders) is expressed in genuine market prices.
- (4) These percentages should not be confused with those used in international publications. On an international level we use the OECD definition; where all expenditures towards educational institutions are taken into account. This includes not only the education budget, but also the expenditures of communities, expenditures VIZO, expenditures for research and development, the cost of the education department, child support for 18-25-year-olds, European means and pensions. The available series for Flanders are shown under (5).
- (5) OECD definition

In 2006 the Flemish ministry was reorganised (the BBB-operation), which aims to improve administrative management. From the financial year 2008 on the budget structure is brought in coherence with the new organisation. Due to this, the budget by level of education has been adapted. In order to keep a comparable evolution the data have been reviewed according to the new structure.



## EVOLUTION OF THE EDUCATION BUDGET BY EDUCATIONAL LEVEL (in thousands of euros) (1)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Regular elementary education	2,240,636	2,266,180	2,385,503	2,451,137	2,800,785	2,499,146
Special elementary education	305,898	323,865	344,022	357,615	395,714	376,815
Elementary education - not specified (2)	4,277	4,396	4,631	4,851	4,930	5,056
Regular secondary education	2,978,997	3,053,978	3,160,777	3,287,091	3,608,266	3,283,365
Special secondary education	245,744	250,704	266,866	292,342	331,015	304,256
Secondary education - not specified (2)	6,038	6,091	6,192	6,316	6,572	8,142
Tertiary education	1,368,784	1,404,731	1,464,116	1,528,040	1,633,961	1,633,483
Adult education	233,526	246,211	270,364	282,549	303,189	307,274
Part-time art education	150,009	157,907	180,943	178,982	188,375	196,659

## EVOLUTION OF THE EDUCATIONAL EXPENDITURE PER PUPIL/STUDENT (in euros) (1) (3)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Regular elementary education	3,627.94	3,704.95	3,944.36	4,088.45	4,681.53	4,166.81
Special elementary education	10,587.66	11,191.11	11,937.05	12,413.74	13,695.36	12,866.73
Regular secondary education	7,009.72	7,037.59	7,167.20	7,376.44	8,096.71	7,382.96
Special secondary education	14,764.72	14,695.43	15,124.17	16,166.68	17,933.42	16,420.53
Part-time art education	1,001.92	1,028.37	1,147.30	1,103.99	1,140.58	1,170.13

- (1) The increase of educational budget between 2008 and 2007, and the decrease of the education budget between 2009 and 2008, can be explained by the pre-payment of the operation budget for elementary and secondary education for 2009.
- (2) The reference 'not specified' (next to the data for regular and special elementary education) concerns mainly the budget for in-service training.
- (3) Since the academic year 2005-2006 the financeable students for the non-university tertiary education are not registered anymore, This makes it impossible to calculate the expenditure per student.

# SCHOOL POPULATION

## SCHOOL POPULATION IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

	GO			VGO			OGO			Total
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	
<b>Nursery education</b>										
Regular	17,636	16,800	34,436	77,732	74,803	152,535	29,160	27,351	56,511	243,482
Special (1)	446	196	642	763	384	1,147	130	58	188	1,977
<b>Total nursery education</b>	<b>18,082</b>	<b>16,996</b>	<b>35,078</b>	<b>78,495</b>	<b>75,187</b>	<b>153,682</b>	<b>29,290</b>	<b>27,409</b>	<b>56,699</b>	<b>245,459</b>
<b>Primary education</b>										
Regular	26,459	26,628	53,087	120,663	121,464	242,127	44,250	42,418	86,668	381,882
Special (1)	3,998	2,296	6,294	10,497	6,306	16,803	2,764	1,682	4,446	27,543
<b>Total primary education</b>	<b>30,457</b>	<b>28,924</b>	<b>59,381</b>	<b>131,160</b>	<b>127,770</b>	<b>258,930</b>	<b>47,014</b>	<b>44,100</b>	<b>91,114</b>	<b>409,425</b>
<b>Total elementary education</b>	<b>48,539</b>	<b>45,920</b>	<b>94,459</b>	<b>209,655</b>	<b>202,957</b>	<b>412,612</b>	<b>76,304</b>	<b>71,509</b>	<b>147,813</b>	<b>654,884</b>

- (1) In order to avoid double counts, the pupils enrolled in special education due to long-term illness (special education type 5) are not included in the figures.  
On February 1, 2009, there were 127 pupils in special nursery education of type 5 and 216 pupils in special primary education of type 5.



## SCHOOL POPULATION IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION BY PROVINCE

	Antwerp	Flemish Brabant	B.C.R.	West Flanders	East Flanders	Limburg	Henegouwen	Total
<b>Nursery education</b>								
Regular	67,609	38,613	11,373	40,459	55,165	30,231	32	243,482
Special (1)	557	153	123	379	455	310	-	1,977
<b>Total nursery education</b>	<b>68,166</b>	<b>38,766</b>	<b>11,496</b>	<b>40,838</b>	<b>55,620</b>	<b>30,541</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>245,459</b>
<b>Primary education</b>								
Regular	105,868	59,711	13,676	66,844	86,340	49,430	13	381,882
Special (1)	7,497	3,431	587	5,391	6,150	4,487	-	27,543
<b>Total primary education</b>	<b>113,365</b>	<b>63,142</b>	<b>14,263</b>	<b>72,235</b>	<b>92,490</b>	<b>53,917</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>409,425</b>
<b>Total elementary education</b>	<b>181,531</b>	<b>101,908</b>	<b>25,759</b>	<b>113,073</b>	<b>148,110</b>	<b>84,458</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>654,884</b>

(1) In order to avoid double counts, the pupils enrolled in special education due to long-term illness (special education type 5) are not included in the figures.  
On February 1, 2009, there were 127 pupils in special nursery education of type 5 and 216 pupils in special primary education of type 5.

**EVOLUTION OF THE SCHOOL POPULATION IN REGULAR NURSERY EDUCATION BY GENDER**

School year	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
2003 - 2004	16,493	15,840	76,298	73,767	26,910	25,643	119,701	115,250	234,951
2004 - 2005	16,454	15,852	75,220	73,033	27,043	25,570	118,717	114,455	233,172
2005 - 2006	16,573	15,833	74,942	72,538	27,191	25,632	118,706	114,003	232,709
2006 - 2007	16,679	16,027	75,048	72,234	27,519	25,837	119,246	114,098	233,344
2007 - 2008	16,943	16,335	76,254	73,318	28,261	26,419	121,458	116,072	237,530
2008 - 2009	17,636	16,800	77,732	74,803	29,160	27,351	124,528	118,954	243,482

**EVOLUTION OF THE SCHOOL POPULATION IN SPECIAL NURSERY EDUCATION BY GENDER (1)**

School year	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
2003 - 2004	346	173	714	369	76	42	1,136	584	1,720
2004 - 2005	367	185	752	358	80	49	1,199	592	1,791
2005 - 2006	374	163	748	388	108	40	1,230	591	1,821
2006 - 2007	383	186	782	396	118	42	1,283	624	1,907
2007 - 2008	428	194	762	396	125	45	1,315	635	1,950
2008 - 2009	446	196	763	384	130	58	1,339	638	1,977

(1) To avoid double counts, pupils enrolled in special education due to long-term illness (special education type 5) are not included in the data on special education.



## EVOLUTION OF THE SCHOOL POPULATION IN REGULAR PRIMARY EDUCATION BY GENDER

School year	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
2003 - 2004	27,974	27,456	125,942	129,334	46,785	42,124	200,701	198,914	399,615
2004 - 2005	27,304	26,857	124,539	126,792	46,119	42,299	197,962	195,948	393,910
2005 - 2006	26,817	26,705	123,410	124,704	45,182	42,155	195,409	193,564	388,973
2006 - 2007	26,573	26,627	122,498	123,793	44,998	42,668	194,069	193,088	387,157
2007 - 2008	26,574	26,611	121,426	122,471	44,640	42,835	192,640	191,917	384,557
2008 - 2009	26,459	26,628	120,663	121,464	44,250	42,418	191,372	190,510	381,882

## EVOLUTION OF THE SCHOOL POPULATION IN SPECIAL PRIMARY EDUCATION BY GENDER (1)

School year	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
2003 - 2004	3,692	2,146	10,438	6,314	2,740	1,622	16,870	10,082	26,952
2004 - 2005	3,665	2,154	10,400	6,256	2,656	1,637	16,721	10,047	26,768
2005 - 2006	3,720	2,190	10,370	6,195	2,610	1,668	16,700	10,053	26,753
2006 - 2007	3,762	2,182	10,340	6,199	2,623	1,688	16,725	10,069	26,794
2007 - 2008	3,804	2,264	10,450	6,232	2,697	1,693	16,951	10,189	27,140
2008 - 2009	3,998	2,296	10,497	6,306	2,764	1,682	17,259	10,284	27,543

(1) To avoid double counts, pupils enrolled in special education due to long-term illness (special education type 5) are not included in the data on special education.

# EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

## SCHOOLS IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION (1)

	GO	VGO	OGO	Total
<b>Elementary education</b>				
Regular	352	1,445	515	2,312
Special (2)	34	124	32	190
<b>Total elementary education</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>1,569</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>2,502</b>
<b>Nursery education</b>				
Regular	349	1,315	469	2,133
Special (2)	24	62	8	94
<b>Total nursery education</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>1,377</b>	<b>477</b>	<b>2,227</b>
<b>Primary education</b>				
Regular	348	1,313	481	2,142
Special (2)	34	124	32	190
<b>Total primary education</b>	<b>382</b>	<b>1,437</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>2,332</b>

- (1) Schools providing both nursery and primary education are included in the number of nursery schools as well as in the number of primary schools. 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. In the 2008-2009 school year there were 170 autonomous nursery schools, 179 autonomous primary schools and 1,963 elementary schools organizing both nursery and primary education in regular elementary education. In special elementary education, there were no autonomous nursery schools, 96 autonomous primary schools and 94 elementary schools organizing both nursery and primary education.
- (2) Besides these schools there were 6 schools organizing special education of type 5 (for pupils with long-term illness). They provide special nursery education as well as special primary education. These schools are not included in the data.





# STAFF

## MANAGING AND TEACHING STAFF IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS AND GENDER

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January 2009

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>Regular elementary education</b>									
GO	614	3,897	4,511	341	2,150	2,491	955	6,047	7,002
VGO	3,935	17,414	21,349	782	6,426	7,208	4,717	23,840	28,557
OGO	1,482	6,594	8,076	351	2,602	2,953	1,833	9,196	11,029
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,031</b>	<b>27,905</b>	<b>33,936</b>	<b>1,474</b>	<b>11,178</b>	<b>12,652</b>	<b>7,505</b>	<b>39,083</b>	<b>46,588</b>
<b>Special elementary education</b>									
GO	160	759	919	78	401	479	238	1,160	1,398
VGO	569	2,095	2,664	121	824	945	690	2,919	3,609
OGO	112	531	643	35	210	245	147	741	888
<b>Total</b>	<b>841</b>	<b>3,385</b>	<b>4,226</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>1,435</b>	<b>1,669</b>	<b>1,075</b>	<b>4,820</b>	<b>5,895</b>
<b>Total elementary education</b>									
GO	774	4,656	5,430	419	2,551	2,970	1,193	7,207	8,400
VGO	4,504	19,509	24,013	903	7,250	8,153	5,407	26,759	32,166
OGO	1,594	7,125	8,719	386	2,812	3,198	1,980	9,937	11,917
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,872</b>	<b>31,290</b>	<b>38,162</b>	<b>1,708</b>	<b>12,613</b>	<b>14,321</b>	<b>8,580</b>	<b>43,903</b>	<b>52,483</b>

## OTHER STAFF CATEGORIES IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS AND GENDER

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January 2009

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>Regular elementary education</b>									
GO	89	385	474	80	386	466	169	771	940
VGO	161	1,508	1,669	126	718	844	287	2,226	2,513
OGO	71	543	614	53	274	327	124	817	941
<b>Total</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>2,436</b>	<b>2,757</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>1,378</b>	<b>1,637</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>3,814</b>	<b>4,394</b>
<b>Special elementary education</b>									
GO	49	297	346	29	250	279	78	547	625
VGO	84	705	789	18	316	334	102	1,021	1,123
OGO	14	179	193	7	78	85	21	257	278
<b>Total</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>1,181</b>	<b>1,328</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>1,825</b>	<b>2,026</b>
<b>Total elementary education</b>									
GO	138	682	820	109	636	745	247	1,318	1,565
VGO	245	2,213	2,458	144	1,034	1,178	389	3,247	3,636
OGO	85	722	807	60	352	412	145	1,074	1,219
<b>Total</b>	<b>468</b>	<b>3,617</b>	<b>4,085</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>2,022</b>	<b>2,335</b>	<b>781</b>	<b>5,639</b>	<b>6,420</b>

Elementary education



## EVOLUTION OF MANAGING AND TEACHING STAFF IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS

### Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
<b>Regular elementary education</b>						
Tenured posts	35,424	34,936	35,181	34,489	34,147	33,936
Temporary posts	11,822	11,918	11,298	11,530	12,081	12,652
<b>Total</b>	<b>47,246</b>	<b>46,854</b>	<b>46,479</b>	<b>46,019</b>	<b>46,228</b>	<b>46,588</b>
<b>Special elementary education</b>						
Tenured posts	3,972	4,026	4,116	4,115	4,129	4,226
Temporary posts	1,406	1,439	1,479	1,569	1,660	1,669
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,378</b>	<b>5,465</b>	<b>5,595</b>	<b>5,684</b>	<b>5,789</b>	<b>5,895</b>
<b>Total elementary education</b>						
Tenured posts	39,396	38,962	39,297	38,604	38,276	38,162
Temporary posts	13,228	13,357	12,777	13,099	13,741	14,321
<b>Total</b>	<b>52,624</b>	<b>52,319</b>	<b>52,074</b>	<b>51,703</b>	<b>52,017</b>	<b>52,483</b>

## EVOLUTION IN OTHER STAFF CATEGORIES IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
<b>Regular elementary education</b>						
Tenured posts	1,626	1,828	1,913	2,384	2,557	2,757
Temporary posts	2,304	2,100	2,030	1,588	1,543	1,637
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,930</b>	<b>3,928</b>	<b>3,943</b>	<b>3,972</b>	<b>4,100</b>	<b>4,394</b>
<b>Special elementary education</b>						
Tenured posts	1,517	1,554	1,629	1,698	1,739	1,328
Temporary posts	837	909	889	908	929	698
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,354</b>	<b>2,463</b>	<b>2,518</b>	<b>2,606</b>	<b>2,668</b>	<b>2,026</b>
<b>Total elementary education</b>						
Tenured posts	3,143	3,382	3,542	4,082	4,296	4,085
Temporary posts	3,141	3,009	2,919	2,496	2,472	2,335
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,284</b>	<b>6,391</b>	<b>6,461</b>	<b>6,578</b>	<b>6,768</b>	<b>6,420</b>



## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

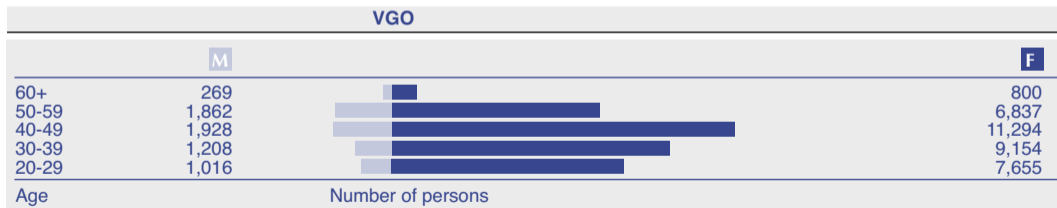
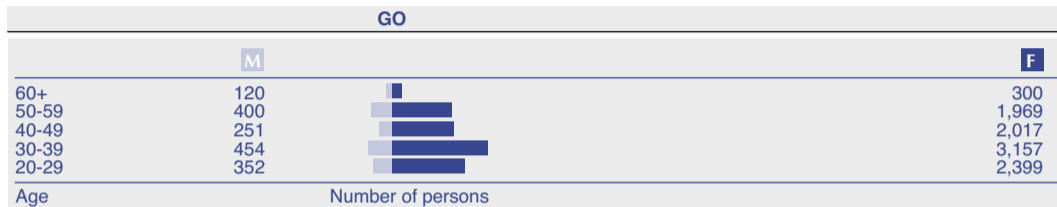
Number of persons in regular and special elementary education in January 2009

Age	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
20-29	352	2,399	1,016	7,655	395	2,975	1,763	13,029	14,792
30-39	454	3,157	1,208	9,154	480	3,574	2,142	15,885	18,027
40-49	251	2,017	1,928	11,294	580	3,666	2,759	16,977	19,736
50-59	400	1,969	1,862	6,837	766	2,447	3,028	11,253	14,281
60+	120	300	269	800	130	258	519	1,358	1,877
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,577</b>	<b>9,842</b>	<b>6,283</b>	<b>35,740</b>	<b>2,351</b>	<b>12,920</b>	<b>10,211</b>	<b>58,502</b>	<b>68,713</b>

Age	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
55 +	331	1,327	1,116	4,064	499	1,304	1,946	6,695	8,641

## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

Number of persons in regular and special elementary education in January 2009



Elementary education



## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

Number of persons in regular and special elementary education in January 2009

OGO		
	M	F
60+	130	258
50-59	766	2,447
40-49	580	3,666
30-39	480	3,574
20-29	395	2,975
Age	Number of persons	
TOTAL		
	M	F
60+	519	1,358
50-59	3,028	11,253
40-49	2,759	16,977
30-39	2,142	15,885
20-29	1,763	13,029
Age	Number of persons	

# BUDGET

## EVOLUTION OF THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION BUDGET (in thousands of euros)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Regular elementary education	2,240,636	2,266,180	2,385,503	2,451,137	2,800,785	2,499,146
Special elementary education	305,898	323,865	344,022	357,615	395,714	376,815
Elementary education - not specified	4,277	4,396	4,631	4,851	4,930	5,056
<b>Total elementary education</b>	<b>2,550,811</b>	<b>2,594,441</b>	<b>2,734,156</b>	<b>2,813,603</b>	<b>3,201,429</b>	<b>2,881,017</b>

## BUDGET REGULAR ELEMENTARY EDUCATION BY EDUCATIONAL NETWORK (in thousands of euros) (2)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
GO	353,010	355,933	367,875	371,368	421,793	378,890
VGO	1,381,908	1,396,651	1,482,058	1,520,424	1,729,662	1,532,115
OGO	498,507	513,278	533,107	559,145	647,470	586,249
Cross networks	7,211	318	2,463	200	1,860	1,892
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,240,636</b>	<b>2,266,180</b>	<b>2,385,503</b>	<b>2,451,137</b>	<b>2,800,785</b>	<b>2,499,146</b>

## BUDGET SPECIAL ELEMENTARY EDUCATION BY EDUCATIONAL NETWORK (in thousands of euros) (2)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
GO	90,479	95,255	102,040	107,943	119,550	115,941
VGO	172,519	183,821	195,062	201,206	222,486	209,345
OGO	42,575	44,783	46,916	48,466	53,678	51,529
Cross networks	325	6	4	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>305,898</b>	<b>323,865</b>	<b>344,022</b>	<b>357,615</b>	<b>395,714</b>	<b>376,815</b>

From the financial year 2008 on the budget structure is brought in coherence with the new organisation. Due to this, the budget by level of education has been adapted. In order to keep a comparable evolution the data have been reviewed according to the new structure.

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

(2) The increase of education budget between 2008 and 2007, and the decrease of the education budget between 2008 and 2009, can be explained by the pre-payment of the operation budget for elementary and secondary education for 2009.



### BUDGET REGULAR ELEMENTARY EDUCATION BY EXPENDITURE CATEGORY (in thousands of euros)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Wages (1)	1,922,074	1,928,716	1,986,222	2,035,264	2,094,569	2,149,291
Operation (2)	261,210	268,010	287,407	321,063	517,246	237,909
Investments	57,352	69,454	111,874	94,810	188,970	111,946
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,240,636</b>	<b>2,266,180</b>	<b>2,385,503</b>	<b>2,451,137</b>	<b>2,800,785</b>	<b>2,499,146</b>

### BUDGET SPECIAL ELEMENTARY EDUCATION BY EXPENDITURE CATEGORY (in thousands of euros)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Wages (1)	279,637	294,012	311,072	324,821	338,020	346,741
Operation (2)	23,412	24,060	25,853	28,047	44,534	22,596
Investments	2,849	5,793	7,097	4,747	13,160	7,478
<b>Total</b>	<b>305,898</b>	<b>323,865</b>	<b>344,022</b>	<b>357,615</b>	<b>395,714</b>	<b>376,815</b>

(1) Wage mass of staff members paid directly by the Education and Training policy area.

(2) The increase of educational budget between 2008 and 2007, and the decrease of the education budget between 2008 and 2009, can be explained by the pre-payment of the operation budget for elementary and secondary education for 2009.

## EVOLUTION OF THE EXPENDITURE PER PUPIL BY EDUCATIONAL NETWORK (in euros) (1)

Regular elementary education	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
GO	4,151.74	4,211.66	4,414.46	4,485.77	5,095.41	4,543.86
VGO	3,508.15	3,584.58	3,856.94	3,997.05	4,572.04	4,050.16
OGO	3,595.07	3,732.28	3,885.68	4,100.75	4,720.17	4,244.98
Weighed average	3,627.94	3,704.95	3,944.36	4,088.45	4,681.53	4,166.81
Special elementary education	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
GO	14,331.74	14,845.15	15,890.27	16,637.33	18,243.55	17,237.73
VGO	9,582.74	10,246.82	10,909.92	11,302.44	12,521.63	11,701.13
OGO	9,304.71	9,770.28	10,382.37	10,727.31	11,738.31	11,036.41
Weighed average	10,587.66	11,191.11	11,937.05	12,413.74	13,695.36	12,866.73

(1) The increase of education budget between 2008 and 2007, and the decrease of the education budget between 2008 and 2009, can be explained by the pre-payment of the operation budget for elementary and secondary education for 2009.





# SCHOOL POPULATION

## SCHOOL POPULATION IN FULL-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION

	GO			VGO			OGO			Total
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	
<b>Regular secondary education</b>										
Reception class for immigrants	276	222	498	455	384	839	283	219	502	1,839
1st stage	11,201	10,918	22,119	52,603	53,320	105,923	5,861	3,028	8,889	136,931
2nd stage	12,178	12,089	24,267	53,195	53,241	106,436	7,319	3,968	11,287	141,990
3rd stage	12,110	12,829	24,939	54,741	56,024	110,765	7,857	4,486	12,343	148,047
4th stage	-	-	-	61	270	331	-	-	-	331
Modular education (on 2nd and 3rd stage level)	39	76	115	611	808	1,419	559	222	781	2,315
Modular education (on 4th stage level)	65	346	411	467	3,281	3,748	91	443	534	4,693
<b>Total regular secondary education</b>	<b>35,869</b>	<b>36,480</b>	<b>72,349</b>	<b>162,133</b>	<b>167,328</b>	<b>329,461</b>	<b>21,970</b>	<b>12,366</b>	<b>34,336</b>	<b>436,146</b>
<b>Special secondary education (1)</b>	<b>2,624</b>	<b>1,659</b>	<b>4,283</b>	<b>7,378</b>	<b>4,480</b>	<b>11,858</b>	<b>1,679</b>	<b>728</b>	<b>2,407</b>	<b>18,548</b>
<b>Total full-time secondary education</b>	<b>38,493</b>	<b>38,139</b>	<b>76,632</b>	<b>169,511</b>	<b>171,808</b>	<b>341,319</b>	<b>23,649</b>	<b>13,094</b>	<b>36,743</b>	<b>454,694</b>

(1) To avoid double counts, pupils enrolled in special education due to long-term illness (special education type 5) are not included in the data. On February 1, 2009, there were 298 pupils in special secondary education type 5.



## SCHOOL POPULATION IN FULL-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION BY PROVINCE

	Antwerp	Flemish Brabant	B.C.R.	West Flanders	East Flanders	Limburg	Total
Regular full-time secondary education	120,973	59,868	13,023	83,359	96,925	61,998	436,146
Special secondary education (1)	5,051	1,637	600	3,871	4,120	3,269	18,548
<b>Total full-time secondary education</b>	<b>126,024</b>	<b>61,505</b>	<b>13,623</b>	<b>87,230</b>	<b>101,045</b>	<b>65,267</b>	<b>454,694</b>

(1) To avoid double counts, pupils enrolled in special education due to long-term illness (special education type 5) are not included in the data. On February 1, 2009, there were 298 pupils in special secondary education type 5.

## EDUCATION TYPES IN THE 2nd, 3rd, 4th STAGE AND IN MODULAR EDUCATION IN FULL-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION

	GO			VGO			OGO			Total
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	
<b>2nd stage</b>										
ASO	4,878	5,394	10,272	23,113	27,847	50,960	678	862	1,540	62,772
TSO	2,974	2,453	5,427	19,257	15,535	34,792	3,229	1,007	4,236	44,455
KSO	218	393	611	459	933	1,392	359	598	957	2,960
BSO	4,108	3,849	7,957	10,366	8,926	19,292	3,053	1,501	4,554	31,803
<b>Total 2nd stage</b>	<b>12,178</b>	<b>12,089</b>	<b>24,267</b>	<b>53,195</b>	<b>53,241</b>	<b>106,436</b>	<b>7,319</b>	<b>3,968</b>	<b>11,287</b>	<b>141,990</b>
<b>3th stage</b>										
ASO	3,996	4,818	8,814	19,517	24,797	44,314	622	690	1,312	54,440
TSO	3,343	2,829	6,172	20,649	17,346	37,995	3,229	1,292	4,521	48,688
KSO	237	375	612	524	1,043	1,567	398	654	1,052	3,231
BSO	4,534	4,807	9,341	14,051	12,838	26,889	3,608	1,850	5,458	41,688
<b>Total 3th stage</b>	<b>12,110</b>	<b>12,829</b>	<b>24,939</b>	<b>54,741</b>	<b>56,024</b>	<b>110,765</b>	<b>7,857</b>	<b>4,486</b>	<b>12,343</b>	<b>148,047</b>
<b>4th stage</b>										
BSO	-	-	-	61	270	331	-	-	-	331
<b>Total 4th stage</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>331</b>
<b>Modular education (on 2nd and 3rd stage level)</b>										
BSO	39	76	115	611	808	1,419	559	222	781	2,315
<b>Modular education (on 4th stage level)</b>										
BSO	65	346	411	467	3,281	3,748	91	443	534	4,693
<b>Total modular education (on 2nd, 3rd and 4th stage level)</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>422</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>1,078</b>	<b>4,089</b>	<b>5,167</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>1,315</b>	<b>7,008</b>



## EVOLUTION OF THE SCHOOL POPULATION IN REGULAR FULL-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION BY GENDER

School year	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
2003 - 2004	35,425	35,066	159,452	163,261	22,108	12,610	216,985	210,937	427,922
2004 - 2005	35,986	35,481	162,221	166,439	22,346	12,575	220,553	214,495	435,048
2005 - 2006	36,233	36,090	164,142	168,459	22,096	12,530	222,471	217,079	439,550
2006 - 2007	36,213	36,283	164,273	168,304	21,845	12,420	222,331	217,007	439,338
2007 - 2008	35,962	36,330	163,615	168,084	21,964	12,360	221,541	216,774	438,315
2008 - 2009	35,869	36,480	162,133	167,328	21,970	12,366	219,972	216,174	436,146

## EVOLUTION OF THE SCHOOL POPULATION IN SPECIAL FULL-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION BY GENDER (1)

School year	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
2003 - 2004	2,153	1,428	6,747	4,099	1,586	779	10,486	6,306	16,792
2004 - 2005	2,310	1,521	6,985	4,263	1,563	751	10,858	6,535	17,393
2005 - 2006	2,407	1,581	7,140	4,351	1,582	740	11,129	6,672	17,801
2006 - 2007	2,448	1,584	7,244	4,511	1,659	743	11,351	6,838	18,189
2007 - 2008	2,593	1,574	7,272	4,447	1,654	723	11,519	6,744	18,263
2008 - 2009	2,624	1,659	7,378	4,480	1,679	728	11,681	6,867	18,548

(1) To avoid double counts, pupils enrolled in special education due to long-term illness (special education type 5) are not included in the data for special education.

## SCHOOL POPULATION IN PART-TIME SECONDARY EDUCATION (1)

	M	GO F	T	M	VGO F	T	M	OGO F	T	Total
Part-time vocational secondary education	1,289	663	1,952	2,513	1,070	3,583	840	560	1,400	6,935

(1) Since the school year 2008-2009 part-time offshore education is integrated in part-time secondary education.





# EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

## SCHOOLS IN SECONDARY EDUCATION

	GO	VGO	OGO	Total
<b>Full-time secondary education</b>				
Regular	223	657	73	953
Special (1)	20	75	17	112
<b>Total full-time secondary education</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>732</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>1,065</b>
<b>Part-time secondary education (2) (3)</b>				
Part-time vocational secondary education	17	23	8	48
Part-time offshore fishing secondary education	-	-	-	-
<b>Total part-time secondary education</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>48</b>

(1) Four schools providing special education type 5 (long-term illness) are not included in this table.

(2) The centres for part-time secondary education are always linked to a school for full-time secondary education, except four.

(3) Since the school year 2008-2009 part-time offshore education is integrated in part-time secondary education.

# STAFF

## MANAGING AND TEACHING STAFF IN SECONDARY EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS AND GENDER (1)

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January 2009

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>Regular secondary education</b>									
GO	2,955	4,028	6,983	1,682	2,424	4,106	4,637	6,452	11,089
VGO	12,789	18,021	30,810	3,526	6,275	9,801	16,315	24,296	40,611
OGO	2,054	1,919	3,973	737	785	1,522	2,791	2,704	5,495
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,798</b>	<b>23,968</b>	<b>41,766</b>	<b>5,945</b>	<b>9,484</b>	<b>15,429</b>	<b>23,743</b>	<b>33,452</b>	<b>57,195</b>
<b>Special secondary education</b>									
GO	321	479	800	167	286	453	488	765	1,253
VGO	1,071	1,566	2,637	350	695	1,045	1,421	2,261	3,682
OGO	274	270	544	90	127	217	364	397	761
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,666</b>	<b>2,315</b>	<b>3,981</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>1,108</b>	<b>1,715</b>	<b>2,273</b>	<b>3,423</b>	<b>5,696</b>
<b>Total secondary education</b>									
GO	3,276	4,507	7,783	1,849	2,710	4,559	5,125	7,217	12,342
VGO	13,860	19,587	33,447	3,876	6,970	10,846	17,736	26,557	44,293
OGO	2,328	2,189	4,517	827	912	1,739	3,155	3,101	6,256
<b>Total</b>	<b>19,464</b>	<b>26,283</b>	<b>45,747</b>	<b>6,552</b>	<b>10,592</b>	<b>17,144</b>	<b>26,016</b>	<b>36,875</b>	<b>62,891</b>

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



## OTHER STAFF CATEGORIES IN SECONDARY EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS AND GENDER (1)

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January 2009

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>Regular secondary education</b>									
GO	272	879	1,151	184	362	546	456	1,241	1,697
VGO	1,093	2,355	3,448	348	680	1,028	1,441	3,035	4,476
OGO	122	300	422	66	128	194	188	428	616
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,487</b>	<b>3,534</b>	<b>5,021</b>	<b>598</b>	<b>1,170</b>	<b>1,768</b>	<b>2,085</b>	<b>4,704</b>	<b>6,789</b>
<b>Special secondary education</b>									
GO	34	159	193	17	93	110	51	252	303
VGO	94	289	383	33	176	209	127	465	592
OGO	17	55	72	7	39	46	24	94	118
<b>Total</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>648</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>1,013</b>
<b>Total secondary education</b>									
GO	306	1,038	1,344	201	455	656	507	1,493	2,000
VGO	1,187	2,644	3,831	381	856	1,237	1,568	3,500	5,068
OGO	139	355	494	73	167	240	212	522	734
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,632</b>	<b>4,037</b>	<b>5,669</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>1,478</b>	<b>2,133</b>	<b>2,287</b>	<b>5,515</b>	<b>7,802</b>

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

## EVOLUTION OF MANAGING AND TEACHING STAFF IN SECONDARY EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS (1)

### Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
<b>Regular secondary education</b>						
Tenured posts	40,997	40,992	41,243	41,333	41,563	41,766
Temporary posts	14,385	14,981	14,145	14,501	14,692	15,429
<b>Total</b>	<b>55,382</b>	<b>55,973</b>	<b>55,388</b>	<b>55,834</b>	<b>56,255</b>	<b>57,195</b>
<b>Special secondary education</b>						
Tenured posts	3,525	3,542	3,650	3,745	3,848	3,981
Temporary posts	1,302	1,393	1,470	1,624	1,717	1,715
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,827</b>	<b>4,935</b>	<b>5,120</b>	<b>5,369</b>	<b>5,565</b>	<b>5,696</b>
<b>Total secondary education</b>						
Tenured posts	44,522	44,534	44,893	45,078	45,411	45,747
Temporary posts	15,687	16,374	15,615	16,125	16,409	17,144
<b>Total</b>	<b>60,209</b>	<b>60,908</b>	<b>60,508</b>	<b>61,203</b>	<b>61,820</b>	<b>62,891</b>

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



## EVOLUTION OF OTHER STAFF CATEGORIES IN SECONDARY EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS (1)

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
<b>Regular secondary education</b>						
Tenured posts	5,022	5,140	5,145	5,073	5,062	5,021
Temporary posts	1,839	1,730	1,584	1,668	1,760	1,768
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,861</b>	<b>6,870</b>	<b>6,729</b>	<b>6,741</b>	<b>6,822</b>	<b>6,789</b>
<b>Special secondary education</b>						
Tenured posts	526	529	576	596	634	648
Temporary posts	251	264	291	335	366	365
<b>Total</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>793</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>1,013</b>
<b>Total secondary education</b>						
Tenured posts	5,548	5,669	5,721	5,669	5,696	5,669
Temporary posts	2,090	1,994	1,875	2,003	2,126	2,133
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,638</b>	<b>7,663</b>	<b>7,596</b>	<b>7,672</b>	<b>7,822</b>	<b>7,802</b>

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

## MANAGING AND TEACHING STAFF IN REGULAR SECONDARY EDUCATION BY QUALIFICATION LEVEL (1)

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January 2009

	Professional bachelor education (2)	At least master (2) (4)	Other (2) (5)	Total
GO	4,841	3,754	2,494	11,089
VGO	18,492	15,094	7,025	40,611
OGO	2,224	1,493	1,778	5,495
<b>Total</b>	<b>25,557</b>	<b>20,341</b>	<b>11,297</b>	<b>57,195</b>

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

(2) The subdivision between 2 categories is based on the degree of the managing and teaching staff.

(3) Includes all staff members holding the bachelor degree for teachers and the specific degree for lower secondary school teachers (including the changes in name of this training).

(4) Includes all staff members holding a master degree or a degree obtained in two-cycle tertiary education (master level). This includes Ph.D's, engineers, doctors, pharmacists, licentiates, architects, priests,...

It is not taken into account whether these staff members hold a certificate for the teaching profession.

(5) Includes all staff members who hold a degree of one-cycle tertiary education (with the exception of the lower secondary school teachers mentioned in (2) and all staff members holding a lower degree.



## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF IN SECONDARY EDUCATION (1)

Number of persons in regular and special secondary education in January 2009

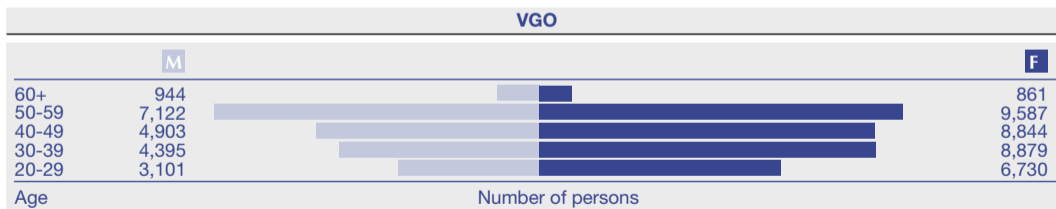
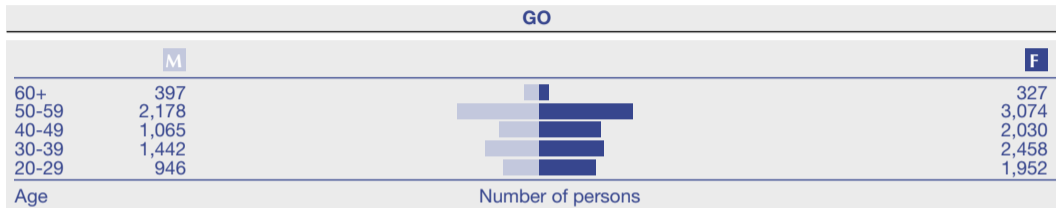
Age	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
20-29	946	1,952	3,101	6,730	433	699	4,480	9,381	13,861
30-39	1,442	2,458	4,395	8,879	772	1,027	6,609	12,364	18,973
40-49	1,065	2,030	4,903	8,844	857	1,042	6,825	11,916	18,741
50-59	2,178	3,074	7,122	9,587	1,354	1,288	10,654	13,949	24,603
60+	397	327	944	861	181	119	1,522	1,307	2,829
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,028</b>	<b>9,841</b>	<b>20,465</b>	<b>34,901</b>	<b>3,597</b>	<b>4,175</b>	<b>30,090</b>	<b>48,917</b>	<b>79,007</b>

Age	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
55 +	1,794	2,005	4,395	5,127	909	695	7,098	7,827	14,925

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

## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF IN SECONDARY EDUCATION

Number of persons in regular and special secondary education in January 2009



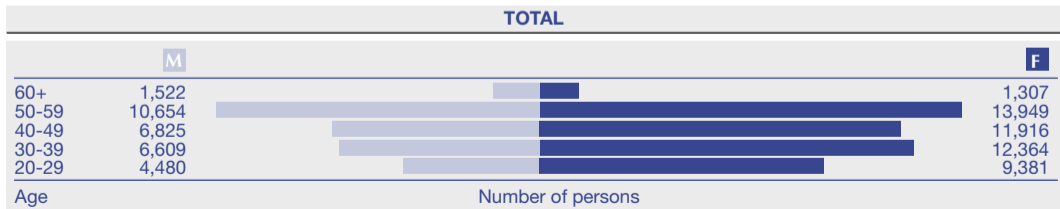
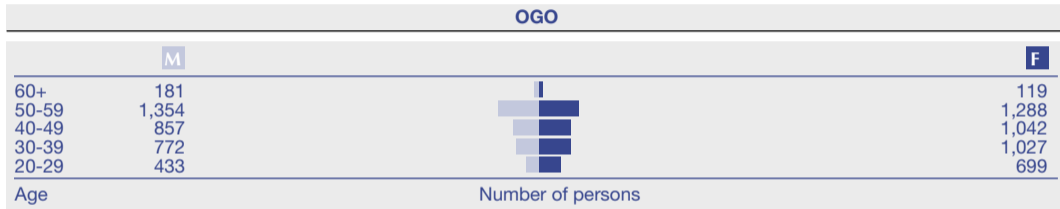
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## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF IN SECONDARY EDUCATION

Number of persons in regular and special secondary education in January 2009



# BUDGET

## EVOLUTION OF THE SECONDARY EDUCATION BUDGET (in thousands of euros)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Regular secondary education	2,978,997	3,053,978	3,160,777	3,287,091	3,608,266	3,283,365
Special secondary education	245,744	250,704	266,866	292,342	331,015	304,256
Secondary education - not specified (1)	6,038	6,091	6,192	6,316	6,572	8,142
<b>Total secondary education</b>	<b>3,230,779</b>	<b>3,310,773</b>	<b>3,433,835</b>	<b>3,585,749</b>	<b>3,945,853</b>	<b>3,595,763</b>

## REGULAR SECONDARY EDUCATION BUDGET BY EDUCATIONAL NETWORK (in thousands of euros) (2)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
GO	596,760	614,083	625,373	653,219	714,168	643,717
VGO	280,142	286,288	295,423	300,528	325,999	300,919
OGO	2,085,295	2,141,925	2,216,207	2,309,295	2,535,973	2,320,627
Cross networks	16,800	11,682	23,774	24,049	32,126	18,102
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,978,997</b>	<b>3,053,978</b>	<b>3,160,777</b>	<b>3,287,091</b>	<b>3,608,266</b>	<b>3,283,365</b>

## SPECIAL SECONDARY EDUCATION BUDGET BY EDUCATIONAL NETWORK (in thousands of euros) (2)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
GO	61,401	57,511	62,266	66,701	77,641	72,459
VGO	35,815	35,714	37,621	42,283	49,029	43,173
OGO	148,345	157,479	166,979	182,643	202,713	188,624
Cross networks	183	-	-	715	1,632	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>245,744</b>	<b>250,704</b>	<b>266,866</b>	<b>292,342</b>	<b>331,015</b>	<b>304,256</b>

From the financial year 2008 on the budget structure is brought in coherence with the new organisation. Due to this, the budget by level of education has been adapted. In order to keep a comparable evolution the data have been reviewed according to the new structure.

(1) The reference 'not specified' (next to the data for regular and special secondary education) concerns mainly the budget for in-service training.

(2) The increase of education budget between 2008 and 2007, and the decrease of the education budget between 2009 and 2008, can be explained by the pre-payment of the operation budget for elementary and secondary education for 2009.

### REGULAR SECONDARY EDUCATION BUDGET BY EXPENDITURE CATEGORY (in thousands of euros)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Wages (1)	2,600,526	2,648,771	2,715,227	2,801,160	2,864,451	2,904,556
Operation (2)	332,039	344,777	377,460	398,154	582,041	284,671
Investments	46,432	60,430	68,090	87,777	161,774	94,138
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,978,997</b>	<b>3,053,978</b>	<b>3,160,777</b>	<b>3,287,091</b>	<b>3,608,266</b>	<b>3,283,365</b>

### SPECIAL SECONDARY EDUCATION BUDGET BY EXPENDITURE CATEGORY (in thousands of euros)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Wages (1)	215,499	227,810	242,257	260,755	273,352	275,318
Operation (2)	18,850	19,489	20,236	21,791	33,494	14,880
Investments	11,395	3,405	4,373	9,796	24,169	14,058
<b>Total</b>	<b>245,744</b>	<b>250,704</b>	<b>266,866</b>	<b>292,342</b>	<b>331,015</b>	<b>304,256</b>

(1) Wage mass of staff members paid directly by the Education and Training policy area.

(2) The increase of education budget between 2008 and 2007, and the decrease of the education budget between 2008 and 2009, can be explained by the pre-payment of the operation budget for elementary and secondary education for 2009.

## EVOLUTION OF THE EXPENDITURE BY PUPIL BY EDUCATIONAL NETWORK (in euros) (1)

Regular secondary education	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
GO	8,513.83	8,500.01	8,483.72	8,810.85	9,597.87	8,672.86
VGO	6,523.38	6,571.03	6,680.52	6,878.00	7,552.71	6,929.35
OGO	7,953.38	8,009.85	8,310.07	8,410.85	9,191.61	8,452.31
Weighed average	7,009.72	7,037.59	7,167.20	7,376.44	8,096.71	7,382.96

Special secondary education	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
GO	16,785.40	15,344.45	15,589.88	16,057.05	18,538.92	16,741.91
VGO	13,989.53	14,467.52	14,805.73	15,843.42	17,200.93	16,051.74
OGO	15,035.68	14,715.29	15,853.77	17,610.58	19,729.98	17,621.63
Weighed average	14,764.72	14,695.43	15,124.17	16,166.68	17,933.42	16,420.53

(1) The increase of education budget between 2008 and 2007, and the decrease of the education budget between 2008 and 2009, can be explained by the pre-payment of the operation budget for elementary and secondary education for 2009.





# TERTIARY EDUCATION

## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN TERTIARY EDUCATION BY FINALITY (1) (2)

	M	F	T
Professionally oriented non-university tertiary education	34,973	48,739	83,712
<b>Total professionally oriented tertiary education</b>	<b>34,973</b>	<b>48,739</b>	<b>83,712</b>
Academically oriented non-university tertiary education	15,498	10,585	26,083
Academically oriented university education	32,292	39,353	71,645
<b>Total academically oriented tertiary education</b>	<b>47,790</b>	<b>49,938</b>	<b>97,728</b>
<b>Total tertiary education</b>	<b>82,763</b>	<b>98,677</b>	<b>181,440</b>

- (1) Bachelor and master courses; and basic courses and initial teacher training courses (old system, declining)  
(2) Data refer to all active inscriptions in a diploma contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2009.  
A student can have several inscriptions.



# BUDGET

## EVOLUTION OF THE BUDGET TERTIARY EDUCATION BY EXPENDITURE CATEGORY (in thousands of euros)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Wages and operations	1,326,087	1,356,230	1,411,467	1,473,704	1,541,365	1,575,912
Investments	42,697	48,501	52,649	54,336	92,596	57,571
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,368,784</b>	<b>1,404,731</b>	<b>1,464,116</b>	<b>1,528,040</b>	<b>1,633,961</b>	<b>1,633,483</b>

Due to the new budget structure 2008 and the new Decree on tertiary education, it is no longer possible to make a subdivision in the budget for colleges of higher education and universities.

The increase in the investment budget in 2008 can mainly be explained by the additional resources for the renovation of the infrastructure of the University Hospital Ghent.





# NON-UNIVERSITY TERTIARY EDUCATION

## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN NON-UNIVERSITY TERTIARY EDUCATION BY INSTITUTION (1)

Bachelor and master courses; and basic courses and initial teacher training courses (old system, declining)	M	F	T
Artesis Hogeschool Antwerpen	3,271	3,643	6,914
Arteveldehogeschool	2,536	5,679	8,215
Erasmushogeschool Brussel	1,990	2,292	4,282
Groep T-Internationale Hogeschool Leuven	1,313	540	1,853
Hogere Zeevaartschool	550	54	604
Hogeschool Gent	7,750	7,845	15,595
Hogeschool Sint-Lukas Brussel	410	333	743
Hogeschool voor Wetenschap & Kunst	2,365	1,694	4,059
Hogeschool West-Vlaanderen	2,566	1,640	4,206
HUB-EHSAL	2,682	3,520	6,202
Karel de Grote-Hogeschool KH Antwerpen	4,038	4,468	8,506
Katholieke Hogeschool Brugge-Oostende	1,387	1,922	3,309
Katholieke Hogeschool Kempen	2,593	3,235	5,828
Katholieke Hogeschool Leuven	2,028	3,315	5,343
Katholieke Hogeschool Limburg	2,232	2,937	5,169
Katholieke Hogeschool Mechelen	1,493	2,580	4,073
Katholieke Hogeschool Sint-Lieven	3,204	2,157	5,361
Katholieke Hogeschool Zuid-West-Vlaanderen	2,623	3,959	6,582

Lessius Hogeschool	851	2,242	3,093
Plantijn-Hogeschool	1,183	1,998	3,181
Provinciale Hogeschool Limburg	1,758	2,044	3,802
XIOS Hogeschool Limburg	1,648	1,227	2,875
<b>Total</b>	<b>50,471</b>	<b>59,324</b>	<b>109,795</b>

(1) Data refer to all active inscriptions in a diploma contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2009.  
 A student can have several inscriptions.



## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN NON-UNIVERSITY TERTIARY EDUCATION PER INSTITUTION

Specific teacher training course after master and initial teacher training course on academic level (1) (2)	M	F	T
Artesis Hogeschool Antwerpen	47	114	161
Erasmushogeschool Brussel	13	20	33
Hogeschool Gent	34	42	76
Hogeschool Sint-Lukas Brussel	7	4	11
Hogeschool voor Wetenschap & Kunst	53	83	136
HUB-EHSAL	10	19	29
Katholieke Hogeschool Limburg	4	8	12
Lessius Hogeschool	5	4	9
Provinciale Hogeschool Limburg	1	16	17
<b>Total</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>484</b>

- (1) Colleges organizing academically oriented courses in the field of commercial sciences and business studies, audiovisual and visual arts or music and dramatical arts can organize additional initial teacher training courses on academic level. These are then ratified by a degree of qualified upper secondary school teacher.
- (2) Data refer to all active inscriptions in a diploma contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2009. A student can have several inscriptions.

## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN NON-UNIVERSITY TERTIARY EDUCATION BY FIELD OF STUDY AND GENDER (1) (2)

		M	F	T
<b>PBA</b>	Architecture	720	1,075	1,795
	Audiovisual and visual arts	85	92	177
	Biotechnology	923	889	1,812
	Health care	1,864	10,523	12,387
	Commercial sciences and business studies	13,743	12,146	25,889
	Industrial sciences and technology	9,435	1,379	10,814
	Music and dramatic arts	53	62	115
	Nautical sciences	143	1	144
	Education	5,284	12,784	18,068
	Social and community work	2,723	9,788	12,511
<b>Total professionally oriented courses</b>		<b>34,973</b>	<b>48,739</b>	<b>83,712</b>
<b>ABA+Ma+ two cycles</b>	Architecture	1,067	1,435	2,502
	Architecture - Industrial sciences and technology	84	126	210
	Audiovisual and visual arts	1,750	2,045	3,795
	Biotechnology	264	188	452
	Health care	480	650	1,130
	Commercial sciences and business studies	2,980	1,981	4,961
	Industrial sciences and technology	6,489	810	7,299
	Music and dramatic arts	38	37	75
	Music and performing arts	880	917	1,797
	Nautical sciences	407	53	460
	Product development	272	87	359
	Applied linguistics	787	2,256	3,043
<b>Total academically oriented courses</b>		<b>15,498</b>	<b>10,585</b>	<b>26,083</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>50,471</b>	<b>59,324</b>	<b>109,795</b>

(1) Data refer to all active inscriptions in a diploma contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2009. A student can have several inscriptions.

\* PBA = professionally oriented bachelor course, ABA = academically oriented bachelor course, Ma = master.

(2) An enrolment can be classified in more than one field of study (combined fields of study). In this case, the fields of study are placed one after another. This is a provisional way of reporting at this moment.

## EVOLUTION OF THE NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN NON-UNIVERSITY TERTIARY EDUCATION (1) (2) (3)

Academic year	M	F	T
2000 - 2001	45,773	53,485	99,258
2001 - 2002	45,775	53,564	99,339
2002 - 2003	46,125	53,536	99,661
2003 - 2004	45,998	54,180	100,178
2004 - 2005	46,233	54,952	101,185
2005 - 2006	46,907	55,460	102,367
2006 - 2007	46,802	55,675	102,477
2007 - 2008	47,768	56,406	104,174
2008 - 2009	50,471	59,324	109,795

(1) Basic courses and (from 2004-2005 onwards) bachelor and master courses.

(2) Until the academic year 2007-2008 the data refer to the first enrolment of the students in an institution of tertiary education.

(3) Academic year 2008-2009: data refer to all active inscriptions in a diploma contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2009.

A student can have several inscriptions.

Due to the change in definition the data for higher education cannot be compared.

# STAFF

## MANAGING AND TEACHING STAFF IN NON-UNIVERSITY TERTIARY EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS AND GENDER

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January 2009

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Total	2,464	2,210	4,674	1,458	1,679	3,137	3,922	3,889	7,811

## OTHER STAFF CATEGORIES IN NON-UNIVERSITY TERTIARY EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS AND GENDER

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January 2009

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Total	449	887	1,336	252	439	691	701	1,326	2,027

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## EVOLUTION OF MANAGING AND TEACHING STAFF IN NON-UNIVERSITY TERTIARY EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS (1)

### Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
Tenured posts	4,815	4,715	4,706	4,662	4,696	4,674
Temporary posts	2,647	2,759	2,792	2,881	2,941	3,137
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,462</b>	<b>7,474</b>	<b>7,498</b>	<b>7,543</b>	<b>7,637</b>	<b>7,811</b>

(1) The teaching tasks of guest professors and mandate reimbursements are not included in the data.

## EVOLUTION OF OTHER STAFF CATEGORIES IN NON-UNIVERSITY TERTIARY EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS

### Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

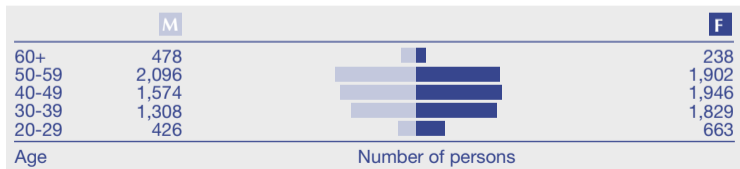
	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
Tenured posts	1,100	1,150	1,175	1,211	1,276	1,336
Temporary posts	535	530	563	600	648	691
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,635</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>1,738</b>	<b>1,811</b>	<b>1,924</b>	<b>2,027</b>

## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF IN NON-UNIVERSITY TERTIARY EDUCATION

Number of persons in January 2009

Age	M	F	T
20-29	426	663	1,089
30-39	1,308	1,829	3,137
40-49	1,574	1,946	3,520
50-59	2,096	1,902	3,998
60+	478	238	716
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,882</b>	<b>6,578</b>	<b>12,460</b>

Age	M	F	T
55+	1,496	1,132	2,628



Tertiary education





# UNIVERSITY EDUCATION

## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN UNIVERSITY EDUCATION BY INSTITUTION (1) (2)

	M	F	T
HUB-KU Brussel	68	103	171
Katholieke Universiteit Leuven	12,191	14,594	26,785
transnationale Universiteit Limburg	484	453	937
Universiteit Antwerpen	4,144	4,926	9,070
Universiteit Gent	11,131	14,530	25,661
Universiteit Hasselt	842	628	1,470
Vrije Universiteit Brussel	3,432	4,119	7,551
<b>Total</b>	<b>32,292</b>	<b>39,353</b>	<b>71,645</b>

(1) Basic courses only (bachelors, masters, masters following professional oriented bachelors, candidate and licence courses).

(2) Data refer to all active inscriptions in a diploma contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2009.

A student can have several inscriptions.

## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN UNIVERSITY EDUCATION BY FIELD OF STUDY (1) (2)

	M	F	T
Archaeology and history of art	400	864	1,264
Kinesiology and rehabilitation sciences	1,318	1,379	2,697
Biomedical sciences	586	1,435	2,021
Veterinary science	384	1,252	1,636
Economic and applied economic sciences	5,561	3,725	9,286
Economic and applied economic sciences - Political and social sciences	91	141	232
Economic and applied economic sciences - Sciences	28	37	65

	M	F	T
Pharmaceutical sciences	548	1,639	2,187
Combined fields of study (BAMA)	33	37	70
Combined fields of study (declining)	3	5	8
Medicine	1,964	3,182	5,146
History	1,462	822	2,284
Theology, theological sciences and canon law	287	237	524
Political and social sciences	2,645	3,175	5,820
Political and social sciences - Sciences	10	11	21
Psychology and educational sciences	1,290	6,134	7,424
Law, notary sciences and criminology	4,149	5,918	10,067
Social health sciences	122	893	1,015
Language and literature	1,070	2,895	3,965
Language and literature - Archaeology and history of art	23	78	101
Language and literature - History	456	672	1,128
Language and literature - Political and social sciences	28	117	145
Language and literature - Law, notary sciences and criminology	31	30	61
Dentistry	184	325	509
Applied biological sciences	1,278	1,016	2,294
Applied sciences	4,039	1,180	5,219
Applied sciences - Applied biological sciences	35	17	52
Traffic safety sciences	100	39	139
Sciences	3,398	1,703	5,101
Sciences - Applied biological sciences	4	1	5
Sciences - Applied sciences - Applied biological sciences	102	33	135
Sciences - Applied sciences - Applied biological sciences - Medicine	7	7	14
Philosophy and moral sciences	656	354	1,010
<b>Total</b>	<b>32,292</b>	<b>39,353</b>	<b>71,645</b>

- (1) Data refer to all active inscriptions in a diploma contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2009. A student can have several inscriptions.
- (2) An enrolment can be classified in more than one field of study (combined fields of study). In this case, the fields of study are placed one after another. This is a provisional way of reporting at this moment.



## EVOLUTION OF THE NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN UNIVERSITY EDUCATION (1) (2) (3)

Academic year	M	F	T
2000 - 2001	25,656	30,462	56,118
2001 - 2002	25,644	31,049	56,693
2002 - 2003	25,382	31,457	56,839
2003 - 2004	25,365	31,474	56,839
2004 - 2005	25,379	31,626	57,005
2005 - 2006	26,500	32,672	59,172
2006 - 2007	27,324	33,542	60,866
2007 - 2008	28,734	35,638	64,372
2008 - 2009	32,292	39,353	71,645

- (1) Basic courses only (bachelors, masters, masters following professional oriented bachelors, candidate and licence courses).
- (2) Until the academic year 2007-2008 the data refer to the first enrolment of the students in an institution of tertiary education. Students can enrol also for another 'course'. These are counted as second or following enrolments.
- (3) Academic year 2008-2009: data refer to all active inscriptions in a diploma contract in an institution for higher education on 30 June 2009. A student can have several inscriptions.  
Due to the change in definition the data for higher education cannot be compared.

# STAFF

## STAFF OF UNIVERSITIES PAID THROUGH OPERATION ALLOWANCES

Number of full-time equivalents on February 1, 2008 (1)

	Autonomous academic staff (2)			Assisting academic staff			Administrative and technical staff			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Universiteit Gent	592.1	123.7	715.8	356.9	367.1	724.0	592.3	673.1	1,265.4	1,541.2	1,163.9	2,705.1
Katholieke Universiteit Leuven	819.6	172.5	992.1	206.8	262.7	469.5	750.5	758.7	1,509.2	1,776.9	1,193.8	2,970.7
Vrije Universiteit Brussel	243.3	73.2	316.5	117.3	98.2	215.4	209.6	241.7	451.2	570.1	413.0	983.1
Katholieke Universiteit Brussel	22.7	7.6	30.2	7.3	8.9	16.1	5.0	12.0	17.0	34.9	28.4	63.3
Universiteit Hasselt (3)	74.6	31.1	105.7	34.9	27.8	62.8	45.5	61.9	107.3	155.0	120.8	275.7
Universiteit Antwerpen	316.0	80.5	396.5	108.4	133.9	242.3	230.6	307.2	537.8	655.0	521.6	1,176.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,068.2</b>	<b>488.4</b>	<b>2,556.6</b>	<b>831.5</b>	<b>898.4</b>	<b>1,730.0</b>	<b>1,833.4</b>	<b>2,054.6</b>	<b>3,887.9</b>	<b>4,733.2</b>	<b>3,441.4</b>	<b>8,174.5</b>

(1) The data for February 1, 2009 were not yet available at time of publication.

(2) Guest professors and early retired staff members are not included.

(3) The staff of 'transnationale Universiteit Limburg' is included in the staff of 'Universiteit Hasselt'.

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



## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF OF UNIVERSITIES PAID THROUGH OPERATION ALLOWANCES

Number of persons on February 1, 2008 (1)

### Autonomous academic staff

Age	M	F	T
20-29	20	9	29
30-39	544	233	777
40-49	1,049	320	1,369
50-59	1,079	191	1,270
60+	548	64	612
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,240</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>4,057</b>
Age	M	F	T
55+	1,097	152	1,249

### Assisting academic staff

Age	M	F	T
20-29	588	668	1,256
30-39	768	666	1,434
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,356</b>	<b>1,334</b>	<b>2,690</b>

(1) The data for February 1, 2009 were not yet available at time of publication.

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

### Administrative and technical staff

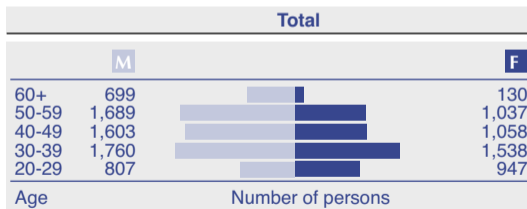
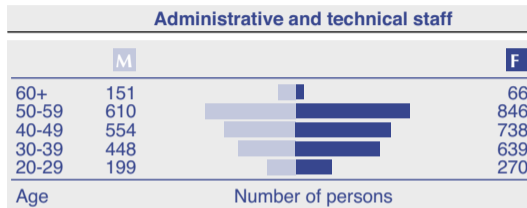
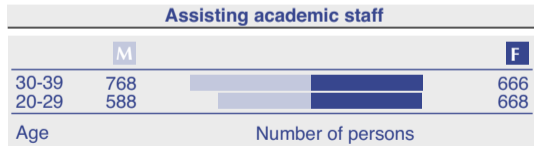
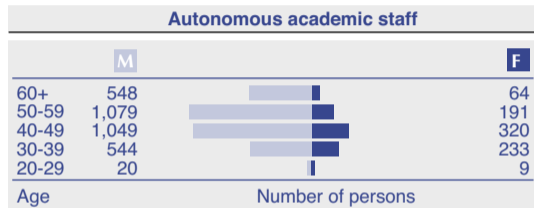
Age	M	F	T
20-29	199	270	469
30-39	448	639	1,087
40-49	554	738	1,292
50-59	610	846	1,456
60+	151	66	217
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,962</b>	<b>2,559</b>	<b>4,521</b>
Age	M	F	T
55+	525	495	1,020

### Total

Age	M	F	T
20-29	807	947	1,754
30-39	1,760	1,538	3,298
40-49	1,603	1,058	2,661
50-59	1,689	1,037	2,726
60+	699	130	829
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,558</b>	<b>4,710</b>	<b>11,268</b>
Age	M	F	T
55+	1,622	647	2,269

## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF OF UNIVERSITIES PAID THROUGH OPERATION ALLOWANCES

Number of persons on February 1, 2008



# ADULT EDUCATION

The implementation of the Decree on Adult Education (15 June 2007) has led to a break in the statistical data. The division Adult Education decided to split the reference period into 2: the period before the implementation of the Decree and the period after the implementation of the Decree. Due to this, data for both reference periods are included in this publication: data for the reference period 1 February 2007 until 31 August 2007 and data for the reference period 1 September 2007 until 31 March 2008. **The data of these 2 reference periods may not be added up. Due to the change in registration the data cannot be compared with the data for earlier reference periods.**

# ADULT EDUCATION

## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN SECONDARY ADULT EDUCATION

Reference period 1/2/2007 - 31/8/2007

	Linear		Modular		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
GO	-	-	7,569	10,538	7,569	10,538	18,107
VGO	-	-	6,356	9,834	6,356	9,834	16,190
OGO	-	-	9,891	12,722	9,891	12,722	22,613
<b>Total</b>	-	-	<b>23,816</b>	<b>33,094</b>	<b>23,816</b>	<b>33,094</b>	<b>56,910</b>

## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN SECONDARY ADULT EDUCATION

Reference period 1/9/2007 - 31/3/2008

	Linear		Modular		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
GO	749	751	35,278	53,454	36,027	54,205	90,232
VGO	2,370	5,514	41,838	64,883	44,208	70,397	114,605
OGO	568	1,175	26,548	37,692	27,116	38,867	65,983
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,687</b>	<b>7,440</b>	<b>103,664</b>	<b>156,029</b>	<b>107,351</b>	<b>163,469</b>	<b>270,820</b>

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# ADULT EDUCATION

## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN HIGHER VOCATIONAL ADULT EDUCATION

Reference period 1/2/2007 - 31/8/2007

	Linear		Modular		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
GO	-	-	1,065	1,159	1,065	1,159	2,224
VGO	-	-	1,924	3,734	1,924	3,734	5,658
OGO	-	-	728	1,043	728	1,043	1,771
<b>Total</b>	-	-	<b>3,717</b>	<b>5,936</b>	<b>3,717</b>	<b>5,936</b>	<b>9,653</b>

## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN HIGHER VOCATIONAL ADULT EDUCATION

Reference period 1/9/2007 - 31/3/2008

	Linear		Modular		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
GO	405	134	2,762	2,912	3,167	3,046	6,213
VGO	941	1,471	4,110	6,483	5,051	7,954	13,005
OGO	116	148	1,387	1,888	1,503	2,036	3,539
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,462</b>	<b>1,753</b>	<b>8,259</b>	<b>11,283</b>	<b>9,721</b>	<b>13,036</b>	<b>22,757</b>

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## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN SECONDARY ADULT EDUCATION BY FIELD OF STUDY

Number of unique enrolments by field of study (1) (2)

Reference period 1/2/2007 - 31/8/2007

Field of study	Linear			Modular			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
General training	-	-	-	532	594	1,126	532	594	1,126
Car mechanics	-	-	-	417	16	433	417	16	433
Special educational needs	-	-	-	14	1	15	14	1	15
Bookbinding	-	-	-	5	10	15	5	10	15
Building	-	-	-	518	97	615	518	97	615
Chemistry	-	-	-	36	41	77	36	41	77
Diamant cutting	-	-	-	8	2	10	8	2	10
Printing technology	-	-	-	925	844	1,769	925	844	1,769
Commerce	-	-	-	912	1,207	2,119	912	1,207	2,119
Woodworking	-	-	-	333	146	479	333	146	479
Home economics education	-	-	-	1,233	2,883	4,116	1,233	2,883	4,116
Information and communication technology	-	-	-	6,901	10,019	16,920	6,901	10,019	16,920
Jewellery	-	-	-	49	64	113	49	64	113
Lacemaking	-	-	-	-	16	16	-	16	16
Heat and cooling	-	-	-	112	4	116	112	4	116
Agriculture and horticulture	-	-	-	81	184	265	81	184	265
Personal hygiene	-	-	-	60	1,805	1,865	60	1,805	1,865
Maritime education	-	-	-	61	3	64	61	3	64
Mechanics - Electricity	-	-	-	1,328	200	1,528	1,328	200	1,528

Lifelong learning



## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN SECONDARY ADULT EDUCATION BY FIELD OF STUDY (continu)

Number of unique enrolments by field of study (1) (2)

Reference period 1/2/2007 - 31/8/2007

Field of study	Linear			Modular			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Fashion	-	-	-	-	10	10	-	10	10
Musical instrument making	-	-	-	9	1	10	9	1	10
Dutch as a second language	-	-	-	6,588	9,216	15,804	6,588	9,216	15,804
Caring	-	-	-	513	2,000	2,513	513	2,000	2,513
Languages guide stage 1 and 2	-	-	-	1,197	1,792	2,989	1,197	1,792	2,989
Languages guide stage 3 and 4	-	-	-	140	299	439	140	299	439
Textile crafts	-	-	-	2	1	3	2	1	3
Tourism	-	-	-	10	20	30	10	20	30
Nutrition	-	-	-	1,832	1,619	3,451	1,832	1,619	3,451
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	<b>23,816</b>	<b>33,094</b>	<b>56,910</b>	<b>23,816</b>	<b>33,094</b>	<b>56,910</b>

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## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN SECONDARY ADULT EDUCATION BY FIELD OF STUDY

Number of unique enrolments by field of study (1) (2)

Reference period 1/9/2007 - 31/3/2008

Field of study	Linear			Modular			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
General training	-	-	-	1,686	1,769	3,455	1,686	1,769	3,455
Car mechanics	156	11	167	2,611	99	2,710	2,767	110	2,877
Special educational needs	16	33	49	34	79	113	50	112	162
Bookbinding	-	-	-	30	71	101	30	71	101
Building	273	16	289	1,762	329	2,091	2,035	345	2,380
Chemistry	80	7	87	92	61	153	172	68	240
Decorative techniques	15	12	27	-	-	-	15	12	27
Diamant cutting	-	-	-	7	5	12	7	5	12
Printing technology	16	28	44	2,888	2,944	5,832	2,904	2,972	5,876
Commerce	133	151	284	3,053	3,076	6,129	3,186	3,227	6,413
Woodworking	350	87	437	1,394	468	1,862	1,744	555	2,299
Home economics education	331	4,081	4,412	3,470	11,672	15,142	3,801	15,753	19,554
Information and communication technology	59	47	106	25,909	37,136	63,045	25,968	37,183	63,151
Jewellery	16	25	41	101	113	214	117	138	255
Lacemaking	-	-	-	9	474	483	9	474	483
Heat and cooling	19	1	20	293	10	303	312	11	323
Agriculture and horticulture	8	35	43	233	670	903	241	705	946
Leatherwork	-	-	-	11	71	82	11	71	82
Personal hygiene	1	25	26	183	3,743	3,926	184	3,768	3,952
Maritime education	-	-	-	118	12	130	118	12	130

Lifelong learning



## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN SECONDARY ADULT EDUCATION BY FIELD OF STUDY (continue)

Number of unique enrolments by field of study (1) (2)

Reference period 1/9/2007 - 31/3/2008

Field of study	Linear			Modular			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
Mechanics - Electricity	258	24	282	5,697	1,611	7,308	5,955	1,635	7,590
Fashion	-	-	-	56	3,694	3,750	56	3,694	3,750
Musical instrument making	-	-	-	171	25	196	171	25	196
Dutch as a second language	103	110	213	19,365	27,078	46,443	19,468	27,188	46,656
Caring	20	60	80	805	3,727	4,532	825	3,787	4,612
Forging	94	15	109	-	-	-	94	15	109
Languages guide stage 1 and 2	1,501	2,452	3,953	25,724	45,492	71,216	27,225	47,944	75,169
Languages guide stage 3 and 4	-	-	-	2,519	5,595	8,114	2,519	5,595	8,114
Textile crafts	5	46	51	3	-	3	8	46	54
Tourism	-	-	-	51	152	203	51	152	203
Nutrition	233	174	407	5,389	5,853	11,242	5,622	6,027	11,649
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,687</b>	<b>7,440</b>	<b>11,127</b>	<b>103,664</b>	<b>156,029</b>	<b>259,693</b>	<b>107,351</b>	<b>163,469</b>	<b>270,820</b>

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## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN HIGHER VOCATIONAL ADULT EDUCATION BY FIELD OF STUDY (1)

Number of unique enrolments by field of study (1) (2)

Reference period 1/2/2007 - 31/8/2007

Field of study	Linear		Modular		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
Bionics	-	-	2	6	2	6	8
Health care	-	-	1	28	1	28	29
Commercial sciences and business studies	-	-	1,036	1,001	1,036	1,001	2,037
Industrial sciences and technology	-	-	193	8	193	8	201
Education	-	-	1,600	2,653	1,600	2,653	4,253
Social and community work	-	-	885	2,240	885	2,240	3,125
<b>Total</b>	-	-	<b>3,717</b>	<b>5,936</b>	<b>3,717</b>	<b>5,936</b>	<b>9,653</b>

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Number of unique enrolments by field of study (1) (2)

Reference period 1/9/2007 - 31/3/2008

Field of study	Linear		Modular		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
Bionics	23	25	106	66	129	91	220
Health care	20	107	1	27	21	134	155
Commercial sciences and business studies	543	406	3,368	2,903	3,911	3,309	7,220
Industrial sciences and technology	645	58	679	93	1,324	151	1,475
Education	-	-	2,863	4,679	2,863	4,679	7,542
Social and community work	231	1,157	1,242	3,515	1,473	4,672	6,145
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,462</b>	<b>1,753</b>	<b>8,259</b>	<b>11,283</b>	<b>9,721</b>	<b>13,036</b>	<b>22,757</b>

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# EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

## CENTRES FOR ADULT EDUCATION

Reference period 1/2/2007 - 31/3/2008

	GO	VGO	OGO	Total
Secondary adult education	28	53	26	107
Higher vocational adult education	17	33	11	61





# STAFF

## MANAGING AND TEACHING STAFF IN ADULT EDUCATION

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January 2009

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>Secondary adult education</b>									
GO	304	513	817	253	355	608	557	868	1,425
VGO	316	701	1,017	287	414	701	603	1,115	1,718
OGO	274	487	761	154	180	334	428	667	1,095
<b>Total</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>1,701</b>	<b>2,595</b>	<b>694</b>	<b>949</b>	<b>1,643</b>	<b>1,588</b>	<b>2,650</b>	<b>4,238</b>
<b>Higher vocational adult education</b>									
GO	59	40	99	62	49	111	121	89	210
VGO	101	111	212	91	72	163	192	183	375
OGO	29	40	69	31	28	59	60	68	128
<b>Total</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>713</b>
<b>Total adult education</b>									
GO	363	553	916	315	404	719	678	957	1,635
VGO	417	812	1,229	378	486	864	795	1,298	2,093
OGO	303	527	830	185	208	393	488	735	1,223
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,083</b>	<b>1,892</b>	<b>2,975</b>	<b>878</b>	<b>1,098</b>	<b>1,976</b>	<b>1,961</b>	<b>2,990</b>	<b>4,951</b>

## OTHER STAFF CATEGORIES IN ADULT EDUCATION

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January 2009

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
<b>Secondary adult education</b>									
GO	12	72	84	23	69	92	35	141	176
VGO	14	94	108	29	75	104	43	169	212
OGO	13	55	68	13	39	52	26	94	120
<b>Total</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>508</b>
<b>Higher vocational adult education</b>									
GO	1	5	6	2	4	6	3	9	12
VGO	3	8	11	1	5	6	4	13	17
OGO	1	4	5	3	5	8	4	9	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>Total adult education</b>									
GO	13	77	90	25	73	98	38	150	188
VGO	17	102	119	30	80	110	47	182	229
OGO	14	59	73	16	44	60	30	103	133
<b>Total</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>550</b>



## EVOLUTION OF MANAGING AND TEACHING STAFF IN ADULT EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS

### Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
<b>Secondary adult education</b>						
Tenured posts	1,928	2,120	2,279	2,434	2,532	2,595
Temporary posts	1,763	1,795	1,627	1,688	1,615	1,643
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,691</b>	<b>3,915</b>	<b>3,906</b>	<b>4,122</b>	<b>4,147</b>	<b>4,238</b>
<b>Higher vocational adult education</b>						
Tenured posts	296	311	332	355	369	380
Temporary posts	373	368	345	347	354	333
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>679</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>702</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>713</b>
<b>Total adult education</b>						
Tenured posts	2,224	2,431	2,611	2,789	2,901	2,975
Temporary posts	2,136	2,163	1,972	2,035	1,969	1,976
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,360</b>	<b>4,594</b>	<b>4,583</b>	<b>4,824</b>	<b>4,870</b>	<b>4,951</b>

## EVOLUTION OF OTHER STAFF CATEGORIES IN ADULT EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS

### Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
<b>Secondary adult education</b>						
Tenured posts	157	188	200	215	230	260
Temporary posts	155	146	137	132	254	248
<b>Total</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>347</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>508</b>
<b>Higher vocational adult education</b>						
Tenured posts	12	16	18	17	22	22
Temporary posts	17	14	12	13	18	20
<b>Total</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>Total adult education</b>						
Tenured posts	169	204	218	232	252	282
Temporary posts	172	160	149	145	272	268
<b>Total</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>377</b>	<b>524</b>	<b>550</b>



## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF IN ADULT EDUCATION

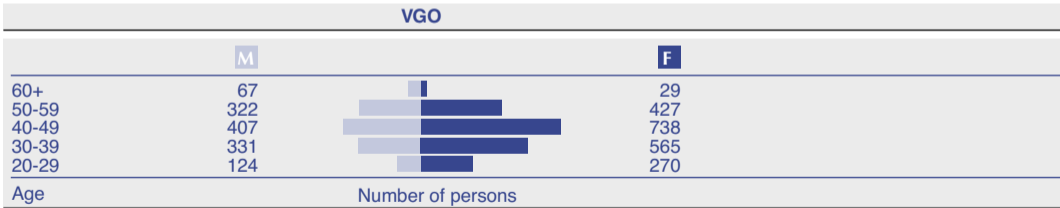
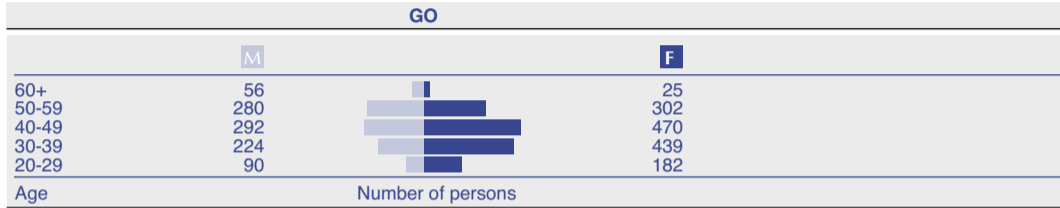
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Age	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
20-29	90	182	124	270	62	105	276	557	833
30-39	224	439	331	565	172	302	727	1,306	2,033
40-49	292	470	407	738	205	369	904	1,577	2,481
50-59	280	302	322	427	180	272	782	1,001	1,783
60+	56	25	67	29	33	20	156	74	230
<b>Total</b>	<b>942</b>	<b>1,418</b>	<b>1,251</b>	<b>2,029</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>1,068</b>	<b>2,845</b>	<b>4,515</b>	<b>7,360</b>

Age	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
55 +	181	111	205	169	113	90	499	370	869

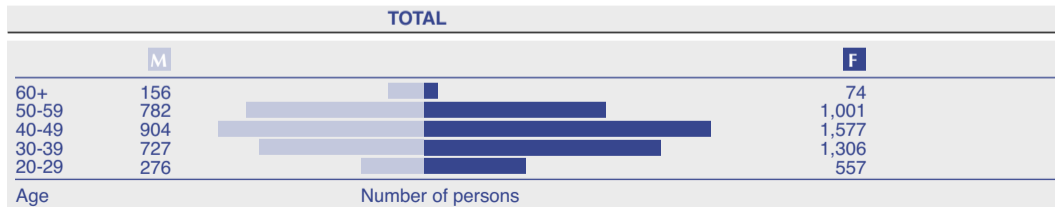
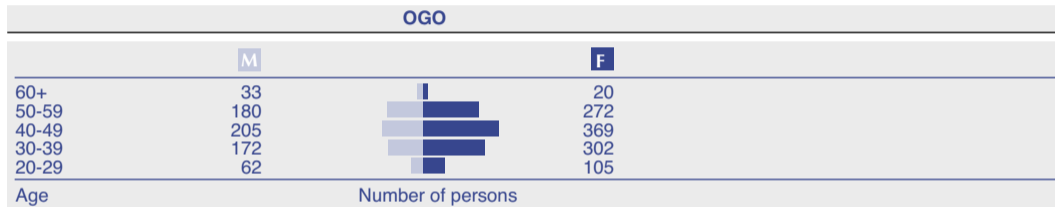
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Number of persons in January 2009



# ADULT BASIC EDUCATION

## DISTRIBUTION OF PARTICIPANTS' HOURS / COURSE-PARTICIPANT PERIODS OVER THE VARIOUS LEARNING FIELDS (1)

	Participants' hours (in percentages)					Course-participants periods
	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	1/1/2008-31/8/2008	1/4/2008-31/3/2009
Dutch	7.6	7.0	6.1	6.3	5.6	185,740
Dutch as a second language	55.5	53.9	50.0	48.0	45.3	1,520,160
Literacy education	14.6	17.3	23.4	23.2	24.7	866,880
Arithmetic	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.0	59,346
Community studies	7.4	6.8	6.4	6.7	6.5	213,294
Combined courses	2.1	1.2	0.5	0.5	0.4	-
Information and communication technology (ICT)	7.7	8.1	7.6	8.9	10.6	447,111
Other	2.5	3.1	3.6	4.3	4.9	-
Languages	-	-	-	-	-	79,560
Individual guide ('Maatwerk')	-	-	-	-	-	32,543
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>3,404,634</b>

## NUMBER OF CENTRES FOR ADULT BASIC EDUCATION: 29 (1)

(1) The Decree on Adult Education (15 June 2007) is implemented for adult basic education since 1 September 2008. From 1 September, the 13 consortiums of adult education have been operating and a new financing system for adult basic education has come into operation.





# BIS (Supervised Individual Study)

## NUMBER OF ENROLMENTS IN BIS (SUPERVISED INDIVIDUAL STUDY) IN 2008 (1)

Field of study	Enrolled course participants	Percentage
Languages	1,092	49.6%
Informatics	345	15.7%
Sciences	172	7.8%
Administration	171	7.8%
Mathematics	139	6.3%
Economics	135	6.1%
Technics	94	4.3%
Other	53	2.4%
BIS Online	Not applicable	Not applicable
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,201</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

(1) In BIS course participants are counted by calendar year.

Since 16 April 2007 supervised individual study only supplies services for course participants preparing for the Central Examination Commission and detainees. The provision of services for the general public has stopped. Also 'BIS Online' has been run-down completely in 2007.

**NUMBER OF TUTORS (2008): 115**

# BUDGET

## EVOLUTION OF THE ADULT EDUCATION BUDGET BY EDUCATIONAL NETWORK (in thousands of euros)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
GO	68,472	71,797	79,450	77,189	83,360	82,990
VGO	86,802	89,682	99,172	105,022	106,683	107,201
OGO	51,704	52,924	58,676	61,988	63,656	63,983
Cross networks	26,548	31,808	33,066	38,350	49,490	53,100
<b>Total</b>	<b>233,526</b>	<b>246,211</b>	<b>270,364</b>	<b>282,549</b>	<b>303,189</b>	<b>307,274</b>

From the financial year 2008 on the budget structure is brought in coherence with the new organisation. Due to this, the budget by level of education has been adapted. In order to keep a comparable evolution the data have been reviewed according to the new structure. The budget for adult education takes into account the former budgets for social advancement education, adult basic education, BIS but also the budget for Dutch as a second language and the University Language Centres in the provision of needs of non-Dutch speakers.



# PART-TIME ART EDUCATION

## NUMBER OF FINANCIABLE STUDENTS IN PART-TIME ART EDUCATION (1)

	Youngsters	Adults	Total
Visual arts	39,356	18,907	58,263
Music, wordcraft and dance	87,030	22,354	109,384
<b>Total part-time art education</b>	<b>126,386</b>	<b>41,261</b>	<b>167,647</b>

## EVOLUTION OF THE NUMBER OF FINANCIABLE STUDENTS IN PART-TIME ART EDUCATION (1)

	Visual arts				Music, wordcraft and dance				Total part-time art education
	GO	VGO	OGO	Total	GO	VGO	OGO	Total	
2003 - 2004	2,483	1,826	50,685	54,994	6,956	39	91,562	98,557	153,551
2004 - 2005	2,354	1,915	51,242	55,511	7,126	-	95,075	102,201	157,712
2005 - 2006	2,443	1,924	51,752	56,119	7,481	-	98,523	106,004	162,123
2006 - 2007	2,452	1,893	53,200	57,545	7,573	-	100,039	107,612	165,157
2007 - 2008	2,385	1,956	54,162	58,503	8,008	-	101,555	109,563	168,066
2008 - 2009	2,312	1,960	53,991	58,263	8,033	-	101,351	109,384	167,647

(1) The census is based on the number of financially students. Individuals enrolled in more than one line of study are counted more than once.

# EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

## EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IN PART-TIME ART EDUCATION

	GO	VGO	OGO	Total
Visual arts	5	4	57	66
Music, wordcraft and dance	10	-	91	101
<b>Total part-time art education</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>167</b>



# STAFF

## MANAGING AND TEACHING STAFF IN PART-TIME ART EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS AND GENDER

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January 2009

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
GO	97	108	205	46	48	94	143	156	299
VGO	19	16	35	5	5	10	24	21	45
OGO	1,244	1,429	2,673	387	520	907	1,631	1,949	3,580
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,360</b>	<b>1,553</b>	<b>2,913</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>573</b>	<b>1,011</b>	<b>1,798</b>	<b>2,126</b>	<b>3,924</b>

## OTHER STAFF CATEGORIES IN PART-TIME ART EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS AND GENDER

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January 2009

	Tenured posts			Temporary posts			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
GO	5	12	17	3	6	9	8	18	26
VGO	-	2	2	-	1	1	-	3	3
OGO	25	88	113	16	38	54	41	126	167
<b>Total</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>196</b>

## EVOLUTION OF MANAGING AND TEACHING STAFF IN PART-TIME ART EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS

### Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
Tenured posts	2,653	2,695	2,742	2,784	2,870	2,913
Temporary posts	811	851	916	992	1,015	1,011
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,464</b>	<b>3,546</b>	<b>3,658</b>	<b>3,776</b>	<b>3,885</b>	<b>3,924</b>

## EVOLUTION OF OTHER STAFF CATEGORIES IN PART-TIME ART EDUCATION BY LEGAL STATUS

### Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
Tenured posts	92	93	99	103	103	132
Temporary posts	38	42	41	38	88	64
<b>Total</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>196</b>



## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF IN PART-TIME ART EDUCATION

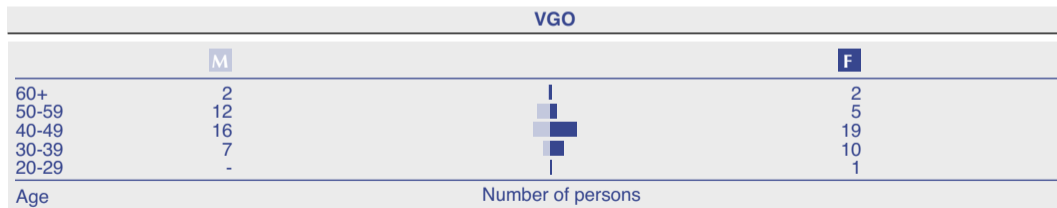
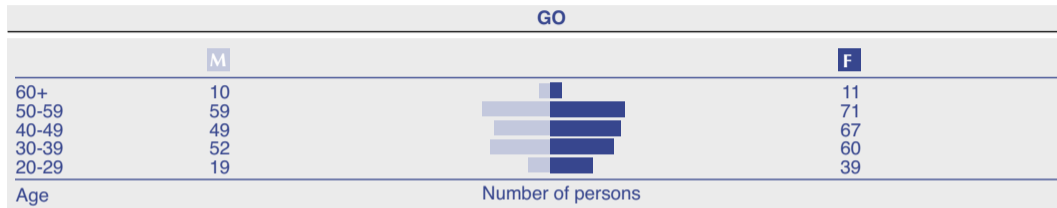
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Age	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
20-29	19	39	-	1	290	452	309	492	801
30-39	52	60	7	10	509	837	568	907	1,475
40-49	49	67	16	19	644	950	709	1,036	1,745
50-59	59	71	12	5	579	589	650	665	1,315
60+	10	11	2	2	103	66	115	79	194
<b>Total</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>2,125</b>	<b>2,894</b>	<b>2,351</b>	<b>3,179</b>	<b>5,530</b>

Age	GO		VGO		OGO		Total		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	T
55 +	42	40	6	3	350	301	398	344	742

## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF IN PART-TIME ART EDUCATION

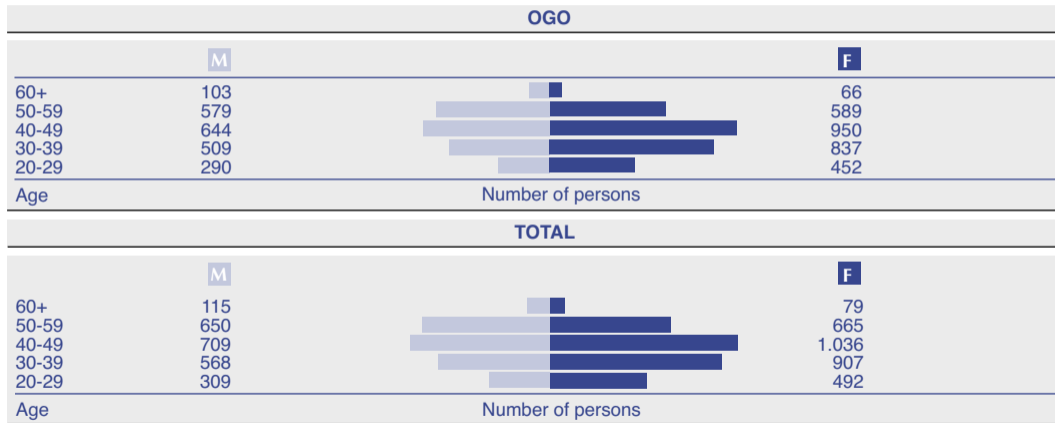
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## AGE STRUCTURE OF STAFF IN PART-TIME ART EDUCATION

### Number of persons in January 2009



# BUDGET

## EVOLUTION OF THE PART-TIME ART EDUCATION BUDGET BY EDUCATIONAL NETWORK (in thousands of euros)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
GO	13,010	13,256	14,998	14,726	15,045	17,539
VGO	2,678	2,716	2,925	2,629	2,653	2,779
OGO	134,071	141,935	163,020	161,627	170,370	176,026
Cross networks	250	-	-	-	307	315
<b>Total</b>	<b>150,009</b>	<b>157,907</b>	<b>180,943</b>	<b>178,982</b>	<b>188,375</b>	<b>196,659</b>

## EVOLUTION OF THE EXPENDITURE PER COURSE PARTICIPANT BY EDUCATIONAL NETWORK (in euros)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
GO	1,411.68	1,404.39	1,582.07	1,483.88	1,500.75	1,687.58
VGO	1,467.40	1,456.30	1,527.42	1,366.42	1,401.48	1,420.76
OGO	966.77	997.81	1,114.16	1,075.54	1,111.79	1,130.42
Weighed average	1,001.92	1,028.37	1,147.30	1,103.99	1,140.58	1,170.13



## NUMBER OF SUBSIDISED/FINANCED BOARDING SCHOOLS AND BOARDERS (1) (2) (3) (4)

	Number of boarding schools	Nursery education	Number of boarders in		Total number of boarders
			Primary education	Secondary education (5)	
GO	33	56	521	1,776	<b>2,353</b>
VGO	97	49	774	7,668	<b>8,491</b>
OGO	4	47	92	146	<b>285</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>1,387</b>	<b>9,590</b>	<b>11,129</b>

(1) Count date: February 1, 2009.

(2) Boarding schools with less than 30 boarders are not included, as they cannot be financed or subsidised. Boarders follow the lessons in regular or special education.

(3) From the 1996-1997 school year on, boarders in tertiary Community education (GO) can no longer be financed (143 boarders). They are only taken into account for the maintenance of the boarding schools.

(4) As boarders from tertiary education in VGO and OGO cannot be subsidised, their number is not communicated to the Education and Training policy area.

(5) Boarders in European schools (50 pupils) are not included in the data.

## PUPIL AND STUDENT GRANTS BY EDUCATIONAL LEVEL (1) (2) (3)

Applications 2008- 2009	Number of applications	Number of study allowances granted	Percentage rate of study allowances granted	Total amount of study allowances granted (in euros)	Average study allowance (in euros)
Nursery education	79,049	51,961	66%	4,156,880.00	80.00
Primary education	145,960	103,269	71%	11,637,369.21	115.87
Secondary education	170,940	124,780	73%	46,957,928.51	427.33
Tertiary education (bachelor and master)	62,047	40,805	66%	63,821,084.98	1,890.48
<b>Total</b>	<b>457,996</b>	<b>320,815</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>126,573,262.70</b>	

(1) As known on August 7, 2009.

(2) A pupil grant is awarded to pupils in nursery, primary and secondary education, while a student grant is awarded to students in higher education.

(3) A refusal for other than financial reasons is mostly because of pedagogical reason.

Data not related to any level





## NUMBER OF PUPIL GUIDANCE CENTRES BY EDUCATIONAL NETWORK

	GO	VGO	OGO	Total
Pupil Guidance Centres	24	44	5	73
Permanent support centres	1	1	1	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>76</b>

## STAFF OF PUPIL GUIDANCE CENTRES BY LEGAL STATUS AND GENDER

Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January 2009

	Tenured			Temporary			Total		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
GO	110	356	466	14	177	191	124	533	657
VGO	278	1,139	1,417	41	430	471	319	1,569	1,888
OGO	33	124	157	5	70	75	38	194	232
<b>Total</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>1,619</b>	<b>2,040</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>737</b>	<b>481</b>	<b>2,296</b>	<b>2,777</b>

Data not related to any level



## EVOLUTION OF STAFF OF PUPIL GUIDANCE CENTRES

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### Number of budgetary full-time equivalents in January

	2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009
Tenured posts	1,877	1,964	1,909	1,979	2,039	2,040
Temporary posts	902	815	867	820	747	737
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,779</b>	<b>2,779</b>	<b>2,776</b>	<b>2,799</b>	<b>2,786</b>	<b>2,777</b>

## NUMBER OF TRANSPORTED PUPILS BY EDUCATIONAL LEVEL AND EDUCATIONAL NETWORK

	GO (1)	VGO	OGO	Total
<b>Elementary education</b>				
Regular	1,570	1,466	395	3,431
Special	6,874	16,199	4,209	27,282
<b>Total elementary education</b>	<b>8,444</b>	<b>17,665</b>	<b>4,604</b>	<b>30,713</b>
<b>Secondary education</b>				
Regular	31	1,703	-	1,734
Special	4,557	9,363	2,476	16,396
<b>Total secondary education</b>	<b>4,588</b>	<b>11,066</b>	<b>2,476</b>	<b>18,130</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>13,032</b>	<b>28,731</b>	<b>7,080</b>	<b>48,843</b>

## NUMBER OF TRANSPORTED PUPILS BY TRANSPORT MODE

	GO (1)	VGO	OGO	Total
Pupils transported collectively (2)	10,971	21,765	5,035	37,771
Pupils transported individually (3)	2,061	6,966	2,045	11,072
<b>Total</b>	<b>13,032</b>	<b>28,731</b>	<b>7,080</b>	<b>48,843</b>

- (1) For Community education only a part of the pupils is taken into account.
- (2) A collectively transported pupil is a pupil using a special transport service with a minimum capacity of 7 and financed or subsidised by the Flemish Community. As from September 1, 2001 this transport is 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 and for which the Flemish Community contributes to the transport costs based on official public transport fees.

Data not related to any level





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