

#### INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS INFORMATION SERVICE

### Statistical Survey of Independent Schools - 1977

These tables contain statistical information derived from a survey carried out by ISIS among members of:-

НМС	-	predominantly boys' schools, whose headmasters are members of the Headmasters' Conference
SHMIS	-	predominantly boys' schools, whose headmasters are members of the Society of Headmasters of Independent Schools
GSA	-	girls' schools, whose headmistresses are members of the Girls' Schools Association
GBGSA	-	girls' schools, whose governing bodies are members of the Association of Governing Bodies of Girls' Public Schools
IAPS	-	predominantly boys' schools, whose headmasters are members of the Incorporated Association of Preparatory Schools
AHMPS	-	girls' schools, whose headmistresses are members of the Association of Head Mistresses of Girls' Preparatory Schools

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The survey was taken on 31 January 1977. The information provided relates mainly to the current academic year except that expenditure on buildings covers the financial year ending at varying dates in 1976.

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			<u>нмс</u>	SHMI S	GSA	<u>GBGSA</u>	IAPS	AHMPS	
SCHOOLS	No. of schools included in Survey (see Note 1)		210 208	32 31	220 217	10 14	449 452	115 115	Total no. of schools in Survey - 1,036
	No. of schools	210 208	32 31	228 221	-	449 452	126* 119	1,037	
	No. of Direct Grant or Grant-aided schools included in above total		75 73	1 - 1	68 72	3 -	,		ools' figures included GSA or IAPS
PUPILS	Boarders (including weekly boarders) - Boys		45,420 45,836	5,917 5,635	- -	-	26,810 27,803	148 76	Total all boarders -
		- Girls	1,973 1,818	767 <mark>670</mark>	23,481 22,973	484 1,032	884 790	1,815 1,626	108,259
	Day	- Boys	67,871 65,966	2,458 2,222	5 28	-	41,158 41,088	3,996 3,660	Total all day pupils - 194,658
		- Girls	4,871 4,130	525 432	57,091 56,457	2,284 2,363	3,206 2,685	11,193 11,332	190,313
	TOTAL (see Note 3)		120,135 117,750	9,667 8,959	80,577 79,458	2,768 3,395	72,058 72,366	17,152 16,108	Total no. of pupils in Survey schools - 302,357 298,572
RATIOS	Staff/Pupil ra	atio	1:16.86	1:13.52	1:14.02	-	1:11.13	1:11.56	

RATIOS Staff/Pupil ratio 1:16.86 1:13.52 1:14.02 - (weighted) (see Note 2)

NOTES (1) The statistics are based on the returns which represent approaching a 100% response from schools in membership of ISIS.

- (2) The staff ratios for HMC, SHMIS and GSA schools are 'weighted' with each sixth-form pupil counted as two. The figures represent the <u>average</u> ratio for each category of school.
- (3) The overall totals of these three categories and of GBGSA are for the <u>secondary</u> level. In addition many of the schools have Junior/Lower departments which are not members of IAPS/AHMPS. The figures are HMC 10,998 boys, 1,606 girls; SHMIS 222 boys, 89 girls; GSA 786 boys, 19,475 girls; GBGSA 48 boys, 729 girls. Total 33,953 (32,637), which makes the GRAND TOTAL as given by the Census 336,310 (331,209)

### 1. CORRELATION OF HMC 1976 AND 1977 FIGURES

Royal Masonic School, Bushey, closed in 1976 and is not included in this year's Census. Hampton School, Morrison's Academy (Boys) and St Mary's, Crosby, were elected to HMC. The table below is adjusted for these changes and gives a direct comparison between 1976 and 1977.

		Boar	ders	Day				
	TOTAL	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls			
1976	117,416	45,509	1,818	65,959	4,130			
1977	118,300	45,303	1,973	66,153	4,871			
Difference	+844 (+0.75%)	-206 (-0.45%)	+155 (+8.53%)	+194 (+0.29%)	+741 (+17.94%)			

## 2. LEAVERS TAKING DEGREE COURSES/HND IN ENGINEERING/APPLIED SCIENCE

The section on leavers in the 1977 Census has been split so as to show those going to Higher Education in Engineering/Applied Science. The figures are:

(b) Engineering/Applied Science

UCCA Fourteenth Report 1975-6 Table 5 gives 19.3% of all men accepted for October 1976 as admitted to 'Engineering and Technology'.

## CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS LIVE OVERSEAS, 1977

	<u>HMC</u>	SHMIS	GSA	GBGSA	IAPS	<u>AHMPS</u>	TOTAL	
Parents of British Nationality	5,874 5,755	1,038 1,024	4,694 4,283	132 215	4,731 4,380	316 349	British	16,785 16,006
Parents of Foreign Nationality								
African Nationals	528 470	81 82	618 453	8 27	344 248	12 26	1,591 1,306	
American Nationals								
(i) From the USA	481 495	42 45	480 405	5 44	489 435	124 155	1,621 1,579	
(ii) From Canada	121 117	25 17	120 117	3 6	120 106	22 19	411 382	
(iii) Other American Nationals including West Indians	189 207	23 23	196 171	3 12	103 <mark>96</mark>	19 18	533 527	
Middle East East of Iran	722) 1,309) <mark>1,560</mark>	156) 126) <mark>159</mark>	366) 1,101) 1,198	12) 35) <mark>60</mark>	488) 549) <mark>705</mark>	68) 70) <sup>136</sup>	1,812) 3,190) <sup>3</sup> ,818	8
Australasian Nationals	145 146	9 22	160 97	1 6	99 <mark>90</mark>	37 35	451 396	
European Nationals	617 577	74 <mark>81</mark>	645 5 <mark>62</mark>	5 43	55 <sup>4</sup> 537	126 119	2,021 1,919	
Total foreign pupils	4,112 3,572	536 429	3,686 3,003	72 1 <mark>98</mark>	2,746 2,217	478 508	Foreign	11,630 9,927
% Increase (Decrease) on 1976	15.12 20.23	24.94 (5.9)	22.74 11.09	(63.64) -	23.86 25.35	(5.90) 21.29	17.15 19.16	
Total British and Foreign Pupils whose parents live overseas	9,986 9,327	1,574 1,453	8,380 7,286	204 413	7,477 6,597	794 857	28,415 25,933	

Foreign currency earned by fees for foreign pupils - £17,470,000 approx. (£13,168,770) Foreign pupils form 3.94% of the numbers in secondary schools.

# FREE AND ASSISTED PLACES 1976/7

Number	of	pupils	holding	free	or	assisted	places:
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	HMC	SHMIS	GSA	<b>GBGSA</b>	IAPS	<u>AHMPS</u>	TOTAL
<u>Independent schools other than Direct Grant</u> or Grant-Aided							
(a) Fees reduced by scholarships,							
bursaries, etc. given (i) by the school	12,415 11,539	1,039 875	3,663 3,041	42 15	4,389 3,915	243 304	21,791 19,689
(ii) from outside	1,469 1,197	349 182	429 473	34	719 626	45 30	3,045 2,508
(b) Contributions to fees made by:					,		No.
(i) LEA's	7,755 7,250	968 1,092	4,042 3,743	130 478	691 943	82 50	13,668 13,556
<pre>(ii) Government Departments</pre>	1,981 2,026	606 452	1,594 1,393	51 87	3,600 3,244	215 278	8,047 7,480
Direct Grant Schools - England and Wales							
(a) LEA free places	13,774 15,224	49 56	14,728 16,252	909 1,264	-	-	29,460 32,796
(b) Governor's free places	1,319 1,587	20 30	884 888	1	, <u>-</u>	<u> </u>	2,223 2,505
(c) Part fee remission	9,208 11,359	25 30	6,497 7,060	210 55	. <del>-</del>		15,940 18,504
(d) Full fee remission	455 509	, · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	330 317	5 22	-	_	791 848
<pre>(e) Contributions to fees made by Government Departments (including Forces)</pre>	887 1,085	20	165 496	-	-		1,052 1,581
Grant-Aided Schools - Scotland and Ireland					,		
(a) Contributions to fees made by LEA's or Government Departments (including Forces)	1,587 1,010	- <del>-</del>	43 32	-	-	_	1,630 1,042
(b) Any other form of fee remission	2,956 3,424	-	164 112	-	_		3,120 3,536

	НМС	SHMIS	GSA	GBGSA	IAPS	AHMPS	TOTAL
Amount spent on new building and equipment	10,246,618	319,420	3,472,877	358,200	2,634,397	171,177	17,202,689
	9,898,000	1,150,550	2,471,267	81,400	2,884,606	379,553	16,865,376
Amount spent on improvements to buildings and equipment	4,027,211	252,600	1,289,026	37,500	1,222,868	92,619	6,921,824
	3,839,000	301,977	892,494	16,202	912,153	169,255	6,131,081
TOTALS	14,273,829	572,020	4,761,903	395,700	3,857,265	263,796	24,124,513
	13,737,000	1,452,527	3,363,761	97,602	3,796,759	548,808	22,996,457
% Increase (Decrease) on 1975	3.91	(60.62)	41.56	305.42	1.60	(51.9)	4.90

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Month/Year	HMC Major Boarding	HMC Smaller Boarding	HMC London Day	DG <u>Day</u>	GSA Boarding	IAPS Boarding	AHMPS <u>Boarding</u>	<u>Notes</u>
1966	544.91 (a)	482 (6)		104.45 (c)				(a) Based on
Sep 1973	951	871.72	416.92	226.28	776.16	662.28	- "	11 schools
Sep 1974	1,135.12	1,039.87	482.42	286.47	907.98	771.01	_	(b) Based on 9 schools
Sep 1975	1,508.74	1,406.82	734.57	466.50	1,311.79	1,048.25	-	(c) Based on
Jan 1976	1,598.03	1,468.18	774.28	477.36	1,386.61	1,119.18	1,075.21	10 schools
Jan 1977	1,785.75	1,640.04	874.28	496.62/637.40*	1,497.23	1,264.61	1,219.89	* Fee for 1976 Independent entry
			<u>%</u>	INCREASE				
Sep 75 on 73	58.71	61.38	76.19	106.16	69.01	58.28	_	
Sep 75 on 74	32.91	35.29	52.66	62.84	44.47	35.96	-	
Jan 77 on 76	11.75	11.70	12.91	4.03/33.53*	9.40	12.99	13.46	* See above
1977 on 1966	227.71	240.26	_	375.46/-	-	-	-	

# RATES OF INFLATION

Mid January 1966 to m	id January 1977		189.3%
November 1973 to Nove	mber 1975	•	48.0%
November 1974 to Nove	mber 1975	-	25.2%
November 1975 to Nove	mber 1976	-	15.0%