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INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS INFORMATION SERVICE

Statistical Survey of Independent Schools - 1981

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

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| HMC | - 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 |
| GBA | - predominantly boys' schools, whose governing bodies are members of the Governing Bodies Association but not of either of the two preceding organisations |
| GSA | - girls' schools, whose headmistresses are members of the Girls' Schools Association and of the GBGSA |
| GBGSA | - girls' schools, whose governing bodies are members of the Association of Governing Bodies of Girls' Public Schools only |
| IAPS | - boys' and girls' schools, whose heads are members of the Incorporated Association of Preparatory Schools |
| ISAI | boys' and girls' schools, whose heads are members of the Independent Schools Association Incorporated. |

The survey was taken in January 1981. The information provided relates mainly to the current academic year except that expenditure on buildings covers the financial year ending at varying dates in 1980.

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NUMBER OF SCHOOLS, BOARDING AND DAY PUPILS, S/P RATIOS

TABLE I

		<u>HMC</u>	<u>SHMIS</u>	<u>GBA</u>	<u>GSA/GBGSA</u>	<u>IAPS</u>	<u>ISAI</u>		
SCHOOLS	No. of schools included in Survey	214	42	24	232	555	231	Total no. of schools in Survey - 1,298 1,053	
		209	36	29	226	553	-		
	No. of schools in membership	214	43	25	237	555	247		
		209	38	30	238	558	-		
	No. of ex-Direct Grant or Grant-aided schools included in above total	75 74	2 2	3 3	62 65	- -	- -		
PUPILS	Boarders (including weekly boarders) - Boys	43,937 44,155	6,541 6,083	2,976 3,629	16 18	25,162 24,926	1,975 -	Total all boarders - 115,803 112,569	
	- Girls	3,467 3,086	1,015 701	928 1,009	23,538 25,380	3,884 3,582	2,364 -		
	Day - Boys	72,788 71,063	4,274 3,392	4,587 7,072	27 49	49,697 48,627	18,794 -	Total all day pupils - 260,735 215,831	
	- Girls	8,212 7,003	987 605	779 724	59,859 59,272	20,366 18,024	20,365 -		
	TOTAL (see Note 2)	128,404 125,307	12,817 10,781	9,270 12,434	83,440 84,719	99,109 95,159	43,498 -	Total no. of pupils in Survey schools - 376,538 328,400	
	RATIOS	Staff/Pupil ratio - raw	1:12.2 1:12.3	1:11.2 1:11.5	1:11.8 1:12.2	1:11.37 1:12.3	1:13.18 1:13.26	1:13.42 -	
		- weighted	1:16.0	1:13.6	1:14.1	1:13.9	-	-	
		(see Note (1))	1:16.0	1:13.6	1:14.9	1:14.4	-	-	

- NOTES
- (1) In the 'weighted' ratios for the secondary schools each sixth form pupil is counted as two. The figures give the average ratio for each category of school.
- (2) The overall totals for HMC, SHMIS, GBA and GSA/GBGSA are for the secondary level. In addition many of the schools have Junior/Lower departments which are not members of IAPS. The figures are HMC 11,852 boys, 2,585 girls; SHMIS 807 boys, 149 girls; GBA 921 boys, 289 girls; GSA/GBGSA 985 boys, 20,423 girls. Total 38,011 (37,571), which makes the GRAND TOTAL as given by the Census 414,549
371,051 excl. ISAI (365,971).

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CORRELATION OF 1980 WITH 1981

TABLE IA

	BOYS SENIOR SCHOOLS						GIRLS SENIOR SCHOOLS			PREPARATORY SCHOOLS		
	HMC/GBA			SHMIS			GSA/GBGSA			IAPS (now incl AHMPS)		
Notes	235 schools common to both years			36 schools common to both years			220 schools common to both years			2 more schools than in 1980		
	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1980	125,065	11,670	136,735	9,475	1,306	10,781	20	80,767	80,787	73,553	21,606	95,159
1981	123,249	12,897	136,146	9,228	1,323	10,551	42	79,753	79,795	74,859	24,250	99,109
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			- 589			- 230			- 992			+ 3,950

LEAVERS (POST O/A LEVEL)

TABLE 1B

	<u>HMC</u>	<u>SHMIS</u>	<u>GBA</u>	<u>GSA/GBGSA</u>
% to HE	58.58 59.00	31.13 28.08	32.26 36.91	38.74 34.50
% to University	47.62 47.85	17.90 16.65	21.06 25.49	27.86 24.34
% of University entrants to:				
Technology	16.35 15.90	22.17 21.89	13.48 11.73	2.10 2.13
Health etc.	8.89 8.88	4.16 6.21	10.94 6.86	11.35 11.33
Science	20.56 21.36	27.48 22.78	26.97 28.16	22.13 21.00
All other subjects	54.20 53.86	46.19 49.11	48.61 53.25	64.42 65.54

Statistics of Education 1978 vol 2 Tables 2 (2) and 14 (14) produce the following percentages for all leavers going to University:

	<u>Boys</u>	<u>Girls</u>
Technology	18.00	1.60
Health etc.	6.89	8.20
Science	31.02	22.88
All other subjects	44.08	67.30

CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS LIVE OVERSEAS AND/OR ARE IN THE ARMED FORCES, 1981

TABLE 11

	HMC	SHMIS	GBA	GSA/GBGSA	IAPS	ISAI	TOTAL
<u>Parents of British Nationality overseas</u>	7 5,576 6,447	1,349 1,078	626 627	4,326 4,533	4,333 4,669	511 -	18 ,721 17,354
<u>Parents in Armed Forces</u>	3,627 3,237	717 633	543 366	3,027 2,504	4,248 3,787	939 -	13,101 10,527
<u>Parents of Foreign Nationality</u>							
African Nationals	586 543	214 141	169 177	743 681	457 424	314 -	2,483 1,966
American Nationals							
(i) From USA	353 377	43 36	59 67	239 283	396 485	150 -	1,240 1,248
(ii) From Canada	110 111	25 15	18 15	80 113	92 91	21 -	346 345
(iii) Other American Nationals including West Indians	152 154	25 23	30 37	116 124	73 75	50 -	446 413
Middle East	312 327	99 75	65 102	205 240	233 268	186 -	1,100 1,012
Iranians	332 361	144 136	85 123	362 318	160 305	416 -	1,499 1,243
Asians East of Iran	1,756 1,849	356 254	252 273	1,401 1,528	411 492	490 -	4,666 4,396
Australasian Nationals	126 105	23 13	14 9	125 158	132 107	30 -	450 392
European Nationals	836 746	195 142	143 113	631 654	550 472	220 -	2,575 2,127
Total Foreign Pupils	4,563 4,573	1,124 835	835 916	3,902 4,099	2,504 2,719	1,877 -	14,805 13,142
% Increase (Decrease)	(0.22) (1.75)	34.61 3.85	(8.84) (3.07)	(4.81) (3.35)	(7.90) (11.95)	- -	(1.63) (4.30)
							Excl. ISAI
<u>Total British and Foreign Pupils whose parents live overseas (excl. Armed Forces)</u>	12 ,139 11,020	2,473 1,913	1,461 1,543	8,228 8,632	6,837 7,388	2,388 -	33,526 30,496

Foreign currency earned by fees for foreign pupils - £40,171,395; £36,070,714 excl. ISAI (£29,958,475).
Foreign pupils form 4.45% (4.46%) of the numbers in HMC, SHMIS, GBA, GSA/GBGSA secondary schools.

FREE AND ASSISTED PLACES 1980/81

TABLE III

Number of pupils holding free or assisted places:

	<u>HMC</u>	<u>SHMIS</u>	<u>GBA</u>	<u>GSA/GBGSA</u>	<u>IAPS</u>	<u>ISAI</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>Independent schools other than ex-Direct Grant or Grant-aided</u>							
(a) Fees reduced by scholarships, bursaries, etc. given							
(i) by the school	12,983	650	793	4,156	5,381	910	24,873
	11,295	1,359	1,574	3,871	5,512	-	23,611
(ii) from outside	1,871	343	165	930	1,116	179	4,604
	1,680	286	116	839	1,178	-	4,099
(b) Contributions to fees made by:							
(i) LEAs	4,633	1,032	965	2,421	269	1,117	<u>10,437</u>
	4,695	591	2,616	2,495	340	-	10,917
(ii) Government Departments (excluding the Armed Forces)	234	101	18	216	451	57	1,077
	381	95	141	193	405	-	1,215
<u>Ex-Direct Grant Schools - England and Wales</u>							
(a) LEA Free places	4,761	17	531	3,722	-	-	<u>9,031</u>
	6,315	22	955	6,492	-	-	13,784
(b) LEA Assisted places	1,367	1	57	937	-	-	2,362
	1,232	19	35	747	-	-	2,033
(c) Governors' Free places	635	17	-	430	-	-	1,082
	776	26	-	661	-	-	1,463
(d) Bursaries	3,754	144	49	2,004	-	-	5,951
	2,857	75	30	1,328	-	-	4,374
(e) Part fee remission	2,609	28	167	1,670	-	-	4,474
	4,196	48	301	2,478	-	-	7,023
(f) Full fee remission	17	1	9	29	-	-	56
	48	1	21	43	-	-	113
(g) Government Departments (excluding the Armed Forces)	19	-	-	6	-	-	25
	25	10	-	17	-	-	52

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	<u>HMC</u>	<u>SHMIS</u>	<u>GBA</u>	<u>GSA/GBGSA</u>	<u>IAPS</u>	<u>ISAI</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>Grant-aided Schools - Scotland and Ireland</u>							
(a) Contributions to fees made by LEAs or Government Departments (excluding the Armed Forces)	2,832	-	-	8	217	-	3,057
	2,800	-	-	8	-	-	2,808
(b) Any other form of fee remission	2,218	-	-	170	87	-	2,475
	2,123	-	-	111	-	-	2,234

NEW BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT, 1980

TABLE IV

	<u>HMC</u>	<u>SHMIS</u>	<u>GBA</u>	<u>GSA/GBGSA</u>	<u>IAPS</u>	<u>ISAI</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Amount spent on new building and equipment	16,916,700 13,527,200	2,180,411 952,400	1,902,102 1,645,279	8,405,419 11,605,037	8,216,659 6,506,508	1,756,552 -	39,377,843 34,236,424
Amount spent on improvements to buildings and equipment	9,706,200 8,489,900	1,765,224 766,327	721,769 630,915	4,300,700 2,615,172	3,236,091 2,837,112	1,172,797 -	20,902,781 15,339,426
TOTALS	26,622,900 22,017,100	3,945,635 1,718,727	2,623,871 2,276,194	12,706,119 14,220,209	11,452,750 9,343,620	2,929,349 -	60,280,624 49,575,850
% Increase (Decrease) on 1979	20.92	129.57	15.27	(10.65)	22.57	-	15.68 Excl. ISAI

TABLE V

		<u>AVERAGE ANNUAL FEES</u>						
		<u>HMC Major Boarding</u>	<u>HMC Smaller Boarding</u>	<u>HMC Day</u>	<u>GSA Boarding</u>	<u>GSA Day</u>	<u>IAPS Boarding</u>	<u>IAPS Day</u>
Jan.	1977	1,785.75	1,640.04	849	1,497.23	740.84	1,264.61	-
Jan.	1978	2,028.84	1,846.65	937	1,698.91	796.94	1,421.33	-
Jan.	1979	2,289.75	2,074.89	1,038.21	1,863.93	852.70	1,559.49	-
Jan.	1980	2,744.25	2,464.05	1,200.36	2,140.69	1,034.48	1,851.67	875
Jan.	1981	3,423.96	3,101.70	1,423.44	2,681.40	1,219.50	2,184.79	1,012.40

		<u>PERCENTAGE INCREASE</u>						
Jan.	1978 on 1977	13.61	12.60	10.36	13.47	7.57	12.39	9.16
Jan.	1979 on 1978	12.86	12.36	10.80	9.71	7.00	9.72	11.93
Jan.	1980 on 1979	19.85	18.75	15.62	14.85	21.32	18.73	14.93
Jan.	1981 on 1980	24.77	25.87	18.58	25.26	17.88	22.58	15.70

		<u>RATES OF INFLATION</u>	
November 1975 to November 1976	15%	November 1976 to November 1977	13%
November 1977 to November 1978	8%	January 1979 to December 1979	18.4%
December 1979 to December 1980	15.1%		