

Table 17A Children at school aged between 5 and 12 years usually resident in the State, distinguishing towns of 5,000 population and over, classified by distance travelled to school

Town of Usual Residence	Total	Distance travelled								
		0 miles	1 mile	2 miles	3 miles	4 miles	5 to 9 miles	10 to 14 miles	15 miles and over	Not stated
Greater Dublin Area	122,465	18,855	57,771	11,513	5,385	2,416	3,103	256	36	23,130
Cork Co. Borough	24,139	2,427	12,517	2,610	1,083	396	485	34	12	4,575
Limerick Co. Borough	10,346	1,874	5,216	939	390	150	106	12	7	1,652
Galway Co. Borough	6,703	694	3,366	1,304	442	141	89	12	12	643
Waterford Co. Borough	5,846	450	3,049	883	305	78	20	1	3	1,057
Other towns of 10,000 population and over										
Dundalk	4,728	800	2,245	623	177	42	38	5	2	796
Bray	3,846	282	2,349	482	102	41	106	44	5	435
Drogheda	3,683	377	2,126	384	73	8	24	11	5	675
Sligo	2,291	346	1,156	227	55	25	21	5	2	454
Tralee	2,594	276	1,320	355	47	7	3	2	15	569
Kilkenny	2,507	250	1,456	309	53	7	3	6	1	422
Ennis	2,300	202	1,259	409	86	14	4	6	6	314
Clonmel	2,386	298	1,175	311	55	9	16	7	11	504
Wexford	2,126	378	1,277	117	26	1	12	11	—	304
Athlone	2,257	197	1,110	426	109	7	29	5	—	374
Carlow	2,165	319	1,475	227	34	10	2	6	4	88
Lucan	2,518	443	1,324	236	66	21	40	12	2	374
Leixlip	2,899	525	1,625	73	40	19	47	23	7	540
Droichead Nua	2,003	134	1,262	180	58	27	10	1	6	325
Mullingar	1,764	145	941	247	41	5	9	8	1	367
Navan (An Uaimh)	1,966	303	934	330	52	16	13	1	4	313
Naas	1,730	55	1,109	229	40	18	16	10	8	245
Greystones	1,753	126	1,017	230	64	43	86	55	28	104
Letterkenny	1,518	83	698	274	137	32	27	6	2	259
Towns 5,000 - 9,999 population										
Killarney	1,233	103	658	176	62	16	12	4	4	198
Celbridge	1,870	149	1,037	271	65	75	35	17	9	212
Tullamore	1,509	11	1,084	145	69	32	13	2	2	151
Portmarnock	1,999	301	1,163	86	43	35	77	13	5	276
Portlaoighise	1,382	145	824	174	8	8	23	1	1	198
Cobh	1,249	183	763	59	1	—	3	8	3	229
Ballina	1,295	41	676	248	133	25	18	5	5	144
Arklow	1,267	152	905	39	2	—	1	1	1	166
Shannon	1,427	326	848	42	5	1	8	3	4	190
Balbriggan	1,524	147	1,025	142	42	25	11	6	9	117
Enniscorthy	1,195	118	698	96	16	3	7	1	2	254
Castlebar	1,028	82	582	117	41	6	8	5	3	184
Mallow	1,127	73	550	255	44	6	8	2	1	188
Thurles	970	31	701	52	3	—	1	9	—	173
Dungarvan	1,062	100	690	69	26	8	2	3	6	158
Longford	1,116	102	474	152	106	23	11	2	—	246
Carrigaline	1,288	123	811	111	22	4	64	5	2	146
Wicklow	1,000	115	717	55	3	1	1	1	12	95
New Ross	952	114	640	26	1	—	7	3	4	157
Tramore	984	120	538	57	2	—	33	13	—	221
Maynooth	735	18	533	63	5	24	27	8	2	55
Midleton	826	64	410	171	19	5	6	7	2	142
Monaghan	867	41	620	72	2	4	7	—	6	115
Ballinasloe	731	77	398	75	15	2	1	1	5	157
Youghal	832	67	498	145	7	2	4	1	11	97
Nenagh	834	46	642	70	6	2	5	—	5	58
Tuam	736	52	427	57	19	3	6	5	2	165
Cavan	784	37	479	98	21	14	4	1	—	130
Athy	780	40	601	54	10	6	4	4	1	60
Carrick-on-Suir	797	64	506	45	10	7	7	—	6	152
Towns with population										
5,000 and over	249,932	32,881	128,275	26,140	9,728	3,870	4,723	670	292	43,353
3,000 - 4,999	15,246	1,732	8,585	1,215	253	85	189	76	57	3,054
1,500 - 2,999	14,937	2,134	8,355	773	257	122	290	82	62	2,862
Total Aggregate Town Area	280,115	36,747	145,215	28,128	10,238	4,077	5,202	828	411	49,269
Total Aggregate Rural Area	250,490	16,126	68,949	49,057	40,537	15,809	18,242	2,921	1,442	37,407
State	530,605	52,873	214,164	77,185	50,775	19,886	23,444	3,749	1,853	86,676

Table 17B Boys at school aged between 5 and 12 years usually resident in the State, distinguishing towns of 5,000 population and over, classified by distance travelled to school

Town of Usual Residence	Total	Distance travelled								
		0 miles	1 mile	2 miles	3 miles	4 miles	5 to 9 miles	10 to 14 miles	15 miles and over	Not stated
Greater Dublin Area	62,938	9,695	29,497	5,818	2,786	1,290	1,672	149	17	12,014
Cork Co. Borough	12,273	1,265	6,308	1,253	556	215	269	17	6	2,384
Limerick Co. Borough	5,168	938	2,606	444	183	63	51	4	4	875
Galway Co. Borough	3,434	344	1,671	681	246	83	39	6	6	358
Waterford Co. Borough	3,007	238	1,500	520	170	34	12	1	2	530
Other towns of 10,000 population and over										
Dundalk	2,422	389	1,161	338	93	18	20	4	—	399
Bray	1,957	146	1,166	243	57	25	63	31	3	223
Drogheda	1,840	208	1,054	161	37	5	16	7	2	350
Sligo	1,165	163	595	117	31	17	16	4	1	221
Tralee	1,327	141	679	160	22	4	1	2	7	311
Kilkenny	1,321	131	779	157	31	6	1	1	—	215
Ennis	1,170	104	661	205	33	6	2	1	—	158
Clonmel	1,235	168	606	140	25	6	9	5	8	268
Wexford	1,091	193	639	69	12	—	4	5	—	169
Athlone	1,116	117	536	203	58	4	12	2	—	184
Carlow	1,093	145	753	122	16	9	2	1	1	44
Lucan	1,278	227	693	112	26	10	19	6	—	185
Leixlip	1,490	287	813	37	19	11	22	12	3	286
Droichead Nua	1,007	63	637	94	31	10	6	1	5	160
Mullingar	871	72	472	125	23	4	4	5	—	166
Navan (An Uaimh)	997	144	474	164	25	6	8	1	2	173
Naas	930	36	580	123	26	10	11	5	2	137
Greystones	847	64	487	102	36	20	46	26	18	48
Letterkenny	762	43	347	143	68	16	19	5	—	121
Towns 5,000 - 9,999 population										
Killarney	611	48	333	73	32	12	10	2	1	100
Celbridge	998	61	502	202	48	36	22	11	6	110
Tullamore	782	7	559	72	39	17	7	2	1	78
Portmarnock	1,064	169	593	55	19	21	39	9	4	155
Portlaoighise	708	78	400	100	5	4	10	—	1	110
Cobh	638	98	380	29	1	—	1	—	2	124
Ballina	679	16	360	118	75	17	10	1	5	77
Arklow	640	66	459	23	1	—	—	1	1	89
Shannon	748	173	444	25	2	—	6	1	3	94
Balbriggan	789	85	521	83	25	9	5	1	5	55
Enniscorthy	608	49	367	47	4	1	4	1	—	135
Castlebar	541	53	287	61	27	5	3	4	1	100
Mallow	541	34	277	112	20	2	4	—	1	91
Thurles	462	11	320	36	2	—	1	7	—	85
Dungarvan	529	45	341	40	17	3	1	1	5	76
Longford	565	51	245	74	61	11	6	—	—	117
Carrigaline	670	68	427	55	11	1	29	3	2	74
Wicklow	512	58	373	31	3	—	—	1	5	41
New Ross	473	53	321	14	—	—	3	2	2	78
Tramore	512	60	274	32	—	—	12	6	—	128
Maynooth	398	11	278	40	4	17	18	2	2	26
Midleton	426	41	219	76	9	2	3	4	2	70
Monaghan	440	20	321	33	2	1	2	—	3	58
Ballinasloe	398	37	222	42	11	2	1	1	2	80
Youghal	430	38	261	67	2	—	1	—	9	52
Nenagh	432	24	333	35	3	1	1	—	2	33
Tuam	381	26	216	31	15	1	3	3	—	86
Cavan	421	18	267	47	9	7	3	1	—	69
Athy	414	13	328	26	4	3	1	2	—	37
Carrick-on-Suir	420	39	263	23	5	3	4	—	4	79
Towns with population										
5,000 and over	127,969	16,871	65,205	13,233	5,066	2,048	2,534	370	156	22,486
3,000 - 4,999	7,788	872	4,351	608	142	57	103	41	24	1,590
1,500 - 2,999	7,611	1,069	4,176	400	150	82	161	38	39	1,496
Total Aggregate Town Area	143,368	18,812	73,732	14,241	5,358	2,187	2,798	449	219	25,572
Total Aggregate Rural Area	128,875	8,375	35,435	25,210	20,824	8,021	9,257	1,510	752	19,491
State	272,243	27,187	109,167	39,451	26,182	10,208	12,055	1,959	971	45,063

Table 17C Girls at school aged between 5 and 12 years usually resident in the State, distinguishing towns of 5,000 population and over, classified by distance travelled to school

Town of Usual Residence	Total	Distance travelled								
		0 miles	1 mile	2 miles	3 miles	4 miles	5 to 9 miles	10 to 14 miles	15 miles and over	Not stated
Greater Dublin Area	59,527	9,160	28,274	5,695	2,599	1,126	1,431	107	19	11,116
Cork Co. Borough	11,866	1,162	6,209	1,357	527	181	216	17	6	2,191
Limerick Co. Borough	5,178	936	2,610	495	207	87	55	8	3	777
Galway Co. Borough	3,269	350	1,695	623	196	58	50	6	6	285
Waterford Co. Borough	2,839	212	1,549	363	135	44	8	—	1	527
Other towns of 10,000 population and over										
Dundalk	2,306	411	1,084	285	84	24	18	1	2	397
Bray	1,889	136	1,183	239	45	16	43	13	2	212
Drogheda	1,843	169	1,072	223	36	3	8	4	3	325
Sligo	1,126	183	561	110	24	8	5	1	1	233
Tralee	1,267	135	641	195	25	3	2	—	8	258
Kilkenny	1,186	119	677	152	22	1	2	5	1	207
Ennis	1,130	98	598	204	53	8	2	5	6	156
Clonmel	1,151	130	569	171	30	3	7	2	3	236
Wexford	1,035	185	638	48	14	1	8	6	—	135
Athlone	1,141	80	574	223	51	3	17	3	—	190
Carlow	1,072	174	722	105	18	1	—	5	3	44
Lucan	1,240	216	631	124	40	11	21	6	2	189
Leixlip	1,409	238	812	36	21	8	25	11	4	254
Droichead Nua	996	71	625	86	27	17	4	—	1	165
Mullingar	893	73	469	122	18	1	5	3	1	201
Navan (An Uaimh)	969	159	460	166	27	10	5	—	2	140
Naas	800	19	529	106	14	8	5	5	6	108
Greystones	906	62	530	128	28	23	40	29	10	56
Letterkenny	756	40	351	131	69	16	8	1	2	138
Towns 5,000 - 9,999 population										
Killarney	622	55	325	103	30	4	2	2	3	98
Celbridge	872	88	535	69	17	39	13	6	3	102
Tullamore	727	4	525	73	30	15	6	—	1	73
Portmarnock	935	132	570	31	24	14	38	4	1	121
Portlaoighise	674	67	424	74	3	4	13	1	—	88
Cobh	611	85	383	30	—	—	2	5	1	105
Ballina	616	25	316	130	58	8	8	4	—	67
Arklow	627	86	446	16	1	—	1	—	—	77
Shannon	679	153	404	17	3	1	2	2	1	96
Balbriggan	735	62	504	59	17	16	6	5	4	62
Enniscorthy	587	69	331	49	12	2	3	—	2	119
Castlebar	487	29	295	56	14	1	5	1	2	84
Mallow	586	39	273	143	24	4	4	2	—	97
Thurles	508	20	381	16	1	—	—	2	—	88
Dungarvan	533	55	349	29	9	5	1	2	1	82
Longford	551	51	229	78	45	12	5	2	—	129
Carrigaline	618	55	384	56	11	3	35	2	—	72
Wicklow	488	57	344	24	—	1	1	—	7	54
New Ross	479	61	319	12	1	—	4	1	2	79
Tramore	472	60	264	25	2	—	21	7	—	93
Maynooth	337	7	255	23	1	7	9	6	—	29
Midleton	400	23	191	95	10	3	3	3	—	72
Monaghan	427	21	299	39	—	3	5	—	3	57
Ballinasloe	333	40	176	33	4	—	—	—	3	77
Youghal	402	29	237	78	5	2	3	1	2	45
Nenagh	402	22	309	35	3	1	4	—	3	25
Tuam	355	26	211	26	4	2	3	2	2	79
Cavan	363	19	212	51	12	7	1	—	—	61
Athy	366	27	273	28	6	3	3	2	1	23
Carrick-on-Suir	377	25	243	22	5	4	3	—	2	73
Towns with population										
5,000 and over	121,963	16,010	63,070	12,907	4,662	1,822	2,189	300	136	20,867
3,000 - 4,999	7,458	860	4,234	607	111	28	86	35	33	1,464
1,500 - 2,999	7,326	1,065	4,179	373	107	40	129	44	23	1,366
Total Aggregate Town Area	136,747	17,935	71,483	13,887	4,880	1,890	2,404	379	192	23,697
Total Aggregate Rural Area	121,615	7,751	33,514	23,847	19,713	7,788	8,985	1,411	690	17,916
State	258,362	25,686	104,997	37,734	24,593	9,678	11,389	1,790	882	41,613