

TABLE A 2.—**ATTENDANCE** AT PUBLIC PRIMARY SCHOOLS AND INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS AND DEPARTMENTS IN 1949
(Excluding Forms III and IV pupils of Intermediate Schools, Secondary Departments of District High Schools, but including pupils in special classes and Standard VII)

Education District.	Roll Numbers.		Mean of Average Weekly Roll of Three Terms, 1949.				Average Attendance for Whole Year (Mean of Average Attendance of Three Terms).		Average Attendance as Percentage of Average Weekly Roll, 1949.
	Pupils at 31st December, 1948.	Pupils at 31st December, 1949.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	
Auckland	79,313	82,675	40,675	37,680	78,355	36,265	32,894	69,159	88.3
Taranaki	11,910	12,263	6,119	5,610	11,729	5,384	4,974	10,358	88.3
Wanganui	15,876	16,291	8,094	7,572	15,666	7,255	6,738	13,993	89.3
Hawke's Bay	15,870	16,302	8,181	8,143	16,324	7,365	6,649	14,014	85.8
Wellington	29,387	31,225	15,355	14,224	29,579	13,813	12,642	26,455	89.4
Nelson	7,251	7,484	3,813	3,585	7,398	3,467	3,264	6,731	91.0
Canterbury	34,888	35,907	17,826	16,536	34,372	16,359	15,111	31,470	91.6
Otago	17,290	17,761	8,865	8,048	16,913	8,021	7,276	15,297	90.4
Southland	10,649	10,873	5,384	4,993	10,377	4,851	4,468	9,319	89.8
Intermediate schools and departments	10,371	10,918	5,665	5,262	10,957	5,299	4,885	10,184	92.9
Totals	232,805	241,699	120,017	111,653	231,670	108,079	98,901	206,980	89.3

NOTE.—The corresponding figures for the secondary departments of district high schools will be found in Table G 1 on page 39 of this paper, and the corresponding figures for Forms III and IV of the separate intermediate schools in Table B 1 on page 29 of this paper.