

TABLE K11.—LOWER DEPARTMENTS OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS, 1926.—AVERAGE ATTENDANCE ROLL, CLASSIFICATION, AND STAFF.

School.	Average Attendance, 1926.	Roll Number, 1926.		Classification according to Standards.																Totals.	Number of Teachers on Staff.	
				Class P.		S1.		S2.		S3.		S4.		S5.		S6.		Totals.				
		Boys.	Girls.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.		M.	F.
New Plymouth Boys' High ..	43	45	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	10	..	7	..	20	..	45	..	45	2	..
New Plymouth Girls' High ..	55	11	54	6	7	3	2	1	7	..	3	1	7	..	13	..	15	11	54	65	..	2
Wanganui Girls' College ..	47.25	..	53	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	11	..	5	..	31	..	53	53	..	2
Gisborne High ..	34.26	22	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	3	3	11	5	7	5	22	17	39	..	1
Napier Girls' High ..	55.3	..	61	..	5	..	4	..	5	..	..	..	12	..	19	..	16	..	61	61	..	2
Nelson College ..	29.6	33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	6	..	4	..	20	..	33	..	33	1	..
Nelson Girls' College ..	68.1	..	76	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	8	..	17	..	17	..	28	..	76	76	..	2
Timaru Boys' High ..	56.2	62	..	2	..	2	..	5	..	11	..	9	..	15	..	18	..	62	..	62	1	2
Timaru Girls' High ..	22.7	..	26	..	1	..	2	..	1	..	4	..	7	..	5	..	6	..	26	26	..	1
Totals ..	411.41	173	287	8	13	5	10	9	21	18	21	29	57	39	64	65	101	173	287	460	4	12

DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.

TABLE L1.—SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AT SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS FOR 1926.

Education District.	Number of Schools.	Roll Number and Ages at 31st December.						Mean of Average Weekly Roll of Four Quarters.			Mean of Average Attendance of Four Quarters.		
		Total.	Under 13 Years.	13-14 Years.	14-15 Years.	15-16 Years.	Over 16 Years.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Auckland ..	25	1,098	10	135	301	363	289	553	640	1,193	513	587	1,100
Taranaki ..	2	44	0	4	15	13	12	30	20	50	28	18	46
Wanganui ..	5	173	6	32	57	46	32	85	86	171	78	79	157
Hawke's Bay ..	5	201	4	22	48	65	62	118	115	233	108	108	216
Wellington ..	7	270	18	33	90	74	55	172	151	323	163	136	299
Nelson ..	5	201	5	30	61	36	69	120	106	226	111	97	208
Canterbury ..	15	760	8	79	227	244	202	405	429	834	372	390	762
Otago ..	11	317	1	30	97	89	100	163	182	345	150	169	319
Southland ..	2	98	5	10	32	27	24	49	55	104	45	51	96
Totals for 1926	77	3,162	57	375	928	957	845	1,695	1,784	3,479	1,568	1,635	3,203
Totals for 1925	80	3,136	42	361	909	932	892	1,639	1,766	3,405	1,533	1,638	3,171
Difference ..	-3	26	15	14	19	25	-47	56	18	74	35	-3	32

TABLE L2.—SUBJECTS TAKEN BY PUPILS IN SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS, 1926.

Subject.	Number of Pupils taking Subjects.		Percentage of Whole Number.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
English	1,516	1,646	100.0	100.0
Arithmetic	1,516	1,646	100.0	100.0
Geography, history, and civics	1,513	1,630	99.8	99.0
Latin	174	130	11.5	7.9
French	1,172	1,271	77.3	77.2
Mathematics	1,359	1,387	89.6	84.3
Chemistry and physics	1,132	1,067	74.7	64.8
Botany	110	112	7.2	6.8
Agricultural science	1,002	407	66.1	24.7
Domestic science	87	900	5.7	54.7
Needlework and cookery	..	882	..	53.6
Woodwork and metalwork	789	..	52.0	..
Bookkeeping and commercial work	280	303	18.5	18.4
Shorthand and typewriting	79	183	5.2	11.1
Drawing	76	80	5.0	4.9
Music	11	45	0.7	2.7
Scripture	25	13	1.6	0.8
Zoology	10	3	0.6	0.2
Physiology	3	17	0.2	1.0
Dairy science	531	478	35.0	29.0
Hygiene	67	210	4.4	12.7
Writing	25	22	1.6	1.3
Total number of pupils	1,516	1,646	100.0	100.0