

De-identified Student Level Dataset Data Dictionary

#	Variable	Type	Len	Label	Response Codes/Descriptions
1	TAA	Char	3	Test Administration Authority	NSW, VIC, QLD, SA, WA, TAS, NT, ACT
2	YEAR_LEVEL	Char	4	Year Level	Y3, Y5, Y7, Y9
3	RANDOM_SCHOOL_ID	Num	8	Randomised School ID	Randomised value from 1-10,000+
4	RANDOM_STUDENT_ID	Num	8	Randomised Student ID	Randomised value from 1-1,000,000+
5	GEOLOCATION	Num	8	Geolocation	1=Metropolitan, 2=Provincial, 3=Remote/Very remote
6	SECTOR	Char	1	Sector	G=Government, N=Non-government
7	AGE	Num	8	Age	Age at time of test (to one decimal place)
8	SEX	Char	1	Sex	1=Male, 2=Female
9	INDIGENOUS_STATUS	Num	8	Indigenous Status	0=Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander Origin including (Not Stated/Unknown), 1=Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Origin
10	LBOTE_STATUS	Char	1	Language Background Other Than English	Indicator for Language Background Other Than English: Y=Yes, N=No, 9=Not Stated/Unknown
11	MOTHER_SCHOOL_EDUCATION	Num	8	Mother's School Education	0=Not Stated/Unknown, 1=Year 9 or equivalent or below, 2=Year 10 or equivalent, 3=Year 11 or equivalent, 4=Year 12 or equivalent
12	MOTHER_NON_SCHOOL_EDUCATION	Num	8	Mother's Non-School Education	0=Not Stated/Unknown, 5=Certificate I to IV (including trade certificate), 6=Advanced diploma/Diploma, 7=Bachelor degree or above, 8=No non-school education
13	MOTHER_OCCUP_GROUP	Num	8	Mother's Occupation Group	1=Senior management, 2=Other business manager, 3=Tradesman/woman, clerks, sales and service staff, 4=Machine operators, 8=Not in paid work, 9=Not Stated/Unknown
14	FATHER_SCHOOL_EDUCATION	Num	8	Father's School Education	0=Not Stated/Unknown, 1=Year 9 or equivalent or below, 2=Year 10 or equivalent, 3=Year 11 or equivalent, 4=Year 12 or equivalent
15	FATHER_NON_SCHOOL_EDUCATION	Num	8	Father's Non-School Education	0=Not Stated/Unknown, 5=Certificate I to IV (including trade certificate), 6=Advanced diploma/Diploma, 7=Bachelor degree or above, 8=No non-school education
16	FATHER_OCCUP_GROUP	Num	8	Father's Occupation Group	1=Senior management, 2=Other business manager, 3=Tradesman/woman, clerks, sales and service staff, 4=Machine operators, 8=Not in paid work, 9=Not Stated/Unknown
17	TEST_PARTICIPATION_CA	Char	1	Numeracy (Calculator Allowed) Test Participation	P=Present, A=Absent, E=Exempt, W=Withdrawn, S=Sanctioned Abandonment
18	TEST_PARTICIPATION_NC	Char	1	Numeracy (Non-Calculator) Test Participation	As above
19	TEST_PARTICIPATION_R	Char	1	Reading Test Participation	As above
20	TEST_PARTICIPATION_LC	Char	1	Language Conventions Test Participation	As above
21	TEST_PARTICIPATION_W	Char	1	Writing Test Participation	As above
22	NUMERACY_ITEMS_CA	Char	60	Numeracy (Calculator Allowed) Items	
23	NUMERACY_ITEMS_NC	Char	60	Numeracy (Non-Calculator) Items	
24	READING_ITEMS	Char	60	Reading Items	
25	LC_SPELLING_ITEMS	Char	60	Spelling Items	
26	LC_G_P_ITEMS	Char	60	Grammar and Punctuation Items	
27	WRITING_ITEMS	Char	60	Writing Items	

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28	WLE_R	Num	8	Current Reading Score	
29	WLE_W	Num	8	Current Writing Score	
30	WLE_S	Num	8	Current Spelling Score	
31	WLE_G	Num	8	Current Grammar and Punctuation Score	
32	WLE_N	Num	8	Current Numeracy Score	
33	SAME_SCHOOL_FLAG	Char	1	Same School Flag	Student attending same school in previous NAPLAN test 0=No, 1=Yes (blank if unknown or not applicable)
34	prev_WLE_R	Num	8	Previous Reading Score	
35	prev_WLE_W	Num	8	Previous Writing Score	
36	prev_WLE_S	Num	8	Previous Spelling Score	
37	prev_WLE_G	Num	8	Previous Grammar and Punctuation Score	
38	prev_WLE_N	Num	8	Previous Numeracy Score	