

THE PARENTS' WEBSITE

For parents of children in independent schools

Melbourne Ports



Sitting Member: Michael Danby (ALP)
Elected: 1998
Current Margin: 3.7%
Electoral History: 1906-2007 ALP, 1901-1906 Protectionist

- Independent Schools:**
- Adass Israel School
 - Beth Rivkah Ladies' College
 - Caulfield Grammar School
 - Christ Church Grammar School
 - Leibler Yavneh College
 - MCS Melbourne Community School
 - Melbourne Girls Grammar
 - Melbourne Grammar School
 - Melbourne Montessori School
 - Mount Scopus Memorial College
 - Shelford Girls' Grammar
 - Sholem Aleichem College
 - St Michael's Grammar School
 - The Japanese School of Melbourne
 - Wesley College Melbourne
 - Yeshivah College
 - Yesodei Hatorah College

Students living in the electorate in 2001:

Schools	Number	Percentage
Government	3,731	35.4%
Catholic	1,435	13.6%
Independent	5,372	51.0%
Total	10,538	100.0%

Number and proportion of students in receipt of EMA enrolled in independent schools in the electorate in 2006:

	Students
Primary	517
Secondary	311
Combined	828

Students in independent schools located in the electorate in 2006:

	Students
Primary	3,682
Secondary	6,060
Combined	9,742

	Percentage
Primary	14.0%
Secondary	5.1%
Combined	8.5%

* EMA – Education Maintenance Allowance

SES Score Range of schools in the electorate:

SES Score	85-127
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Number of students with disabilities enrolled in independent schools in the electorate in 2006:

Students	200
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Average Government recurrent funding per student for schools in the electorate in 2006:

	Independent	Catholic	Government
State Government	\$761.24	\$1,248.95	\$9,199.62
Australian Government	\$2,163.57	\$2,881.79	\$964.50
Total Funding	\$2,924.81	\$4,130.74	\$10,164.11

* Government school funding estimates based on 2004-2005 Productivity Commission data.