

TABLE K 12.—LOWER DEPARTMENTS OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS, 1923.—AVERAGE ATTENDANCE, ROLL, CLASSIFICATION, AND STAFF.

School.	Average Attendance, 1923.		Roll Number, 1923.		Classification according to Standards.												Totals.		Number of Teachers on Staff.				
					Class P.		S1.		S2.		S3.		S4.		S5.						S6.		
					B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.	B.	G.					B.	G.	
New Plymouth Boys' High School	67	76	..	..	..	..	5	..	6	..	13	..	11	..	18	..	23	..	76	..	76	1	2
New Plymouth Girls' High School	37	..	38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	8	..	10	..	15	..	38	..	2
Wanganui Girls' College	36	..	39	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	10	..	7	..	16	..	39	..	2
Gisborne High School	27	16	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2	13	10	16	12	28	1	..
Napier Boys' High School	32	36	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	4	..	..	2	..	11	..	15	..	36	..	36	2	..
Napier Girls' High School	57	..	61	..	..	..	6	..	4	..	7	..	9	..	16	..	19	..	61	..	61	..	3
Nelson Boys' College	32	33	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	6	..	12	..	12	..	33	..	33	1	..
Nelson Girls' College	62	..	71	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	16	..	16	..	19	..	19	..	71	..	71	..	2
Christchurch Girls' High School	23	..	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	8	..	11	..	22	..	22	1	..
Timaru Boys' High School	66	72	..	6	..	7	..	9	..	10	..	..	8	..	9	..	23	..	72	..	72	..	3
Waitaki Boys' High School	23	24	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	6	..	3	..	14	..	24	..	24	1	..
Totals..	462	257	243	6	1	13	6	19	6	30	33	33	46	56	62	100	89	257	243	500	7	14	

DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS.

TABLE L 1.—SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AT SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS FOR 1923.

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	22	874	17	106	238	301	212	470	502	972	429	452	881
Wanganui	6	168	3	26	63	47	29	80	97	177	71	87	158
Hawke's Bay	5	214	2	18	70	58	66	126	113	239	118	106	224
Wellington	9	409	6	61	139	114	89	219	245	464	205	226	431
Nelson	3	100	..	12	22	35	31	55	50	105	51	46	97
Canterbury	13	645	4	48	184	222	187	373	353	726	339	318	657
Otago	9	369	2	44	92	112	119	183	221	404	170	203	373
Southland	1	39	1	5	14	11	8	15	26	41	13	24	37
Totals for 1923..	68	2,818	35	320	822	900	741	1,521	1,607	3,128	1,396	1,462	2,858
Totals for 1922..	61	2,606	19	296	818	819	654	1,437	1,466	2,903	1,337	1,345	2,682
Difference (increase)	7	212	16	24	4	81	87	84	141	225	59	117	176

TABLE L 2.—SUBJECTS TAKEN BY PUPILS IN SECONDARY DEPARTMENTS OF DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS, 1923.

Subject.	Number of Pupils taking Subjects.		Percentage of Whole Number.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
English and arithmetic	1,334	1,486	100-0	100-0
Geography, history, and civics	1,334	1,486	100-0	100-0
Latin	186	150	13-9	10-1
French	1,058	1,162	79-3	78-2
Mathematics	1,241	1,326	93-0	89-2
Chemistry and physics	806	840	60-4	56-5
Botany	136	188	10-2	12-6
Agricultural science	883	411	66-2	27-6
Dairy-work	461	341	33-5	23-0
Hygiene	84	297	6-3	20-0
Domestic science	..	361	..	24-3
Needlework and cookery	..	948	..	63-8
Woodwork and metalwork	764	..	57-3	..
Laundry-work	..	95	..	6-4
Book-keeping and commercial work	163	262	12-2	18-3
Shorthand and typewriting	67	154	5-0	10-3
Drawing	189	201	14-1	13-5
Total number of pupils	1,334	1,486	100-0	100-0