

ANNUAL CENSUS

AS AT 7 SEPTEMBER 2015 THERE WERE:

PUPIL NUMBERS

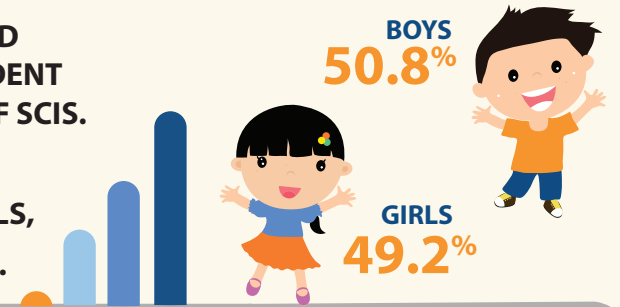
4.3%

OF PUPILS IN SCOTLAND ATTEND AN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL

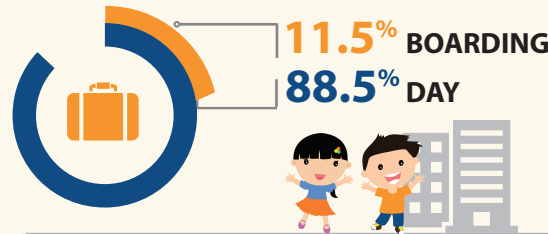


30,238 CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE IN INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS IN MEMBERSHIP OF SCIS.

1,417 IN NURSERIES,
10,662 IN PRIMARY SCHOOLS,
18,159 IN SENIOR SCHOOLS.



DAY/BOARDING SPLIT



7,363
TEACHING AND SUPPORT STAFF



PUPIL TEACHER RATIO

8.7
pupils for every teacher on average at SCIS schools

The independent sector is equivalent in size to the **8TH LARGEST** LOCAL AUTHORITY IN SCOTLAND.



FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IN MAINSTREAM SCHOOLS

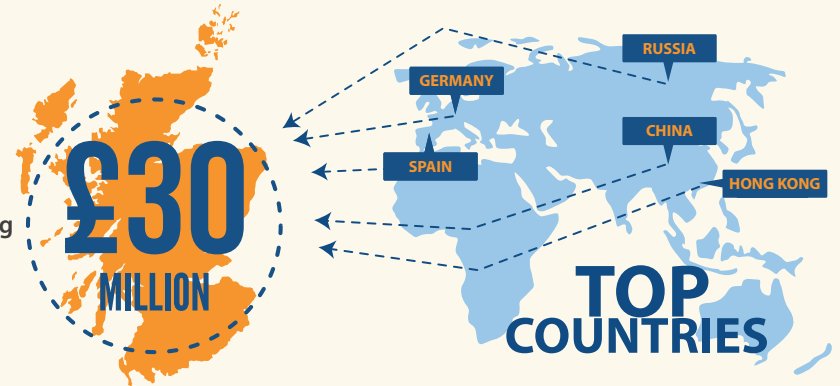
26.4% receive **FINANCIAL HELP**
3.2% of senior school pupils receive **100% fee assistance**

Totalling over **£47 MILLION** in assistance.



PUPILS FROM OVERSEAS

31% of boarding pupils are from overseas generating export earnings for the Scottish economy in excess of £30million.



SIZE OF THE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL SECTOR

THERE ARE **72** MEMBER SCHOOLS

OF WHICH THERE ARE **52** MAINSTREAM SCHOOLS
20 ADDITIONAL SUPPORT NEEDS SCHOOLS
18 BOARDING SCHOOLS

6 GIRLS ONLY SCHOOLS
2 BOYS ONLY SCHOOLS



93% of pupils who sat the New Higher **PASSED**

HIGHER EDUCATION
88% of pupils at SCIS Schools across Scotland go on to higher education with **25%** continuing their studies outside Scotland