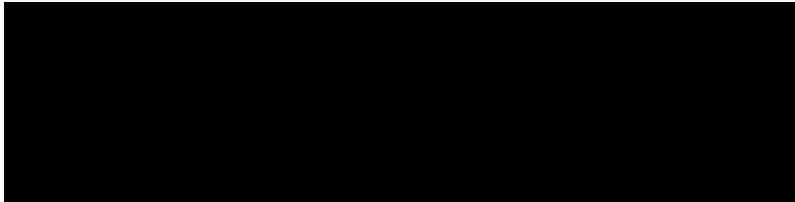





1 April 2021



Tēnā koe 

Thank you for your email of 5 March 2021 to the Ministry of Education requesting the following information:

- *Can I please have the number of people paid on the untrained teachers scale in the Secondary Teachers' Collective Agreement, by region for the following years:*
 - 2018
 - 2019
 - 2020
- *And the same information for number of people paid on the untrained teachers scale in the Area School Teachers' Collective Agreement, by region for the following years:*
 - 2018
 - 2019
 - 2020

Your request has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

Please find attached a copy of the data you have requested on the number of people paid on the untrained teachers in scale in both the Secondary Teachers' Collective Agreement and the Area School Teachers' Collective Agreement. This data is for the years 2018 and 2019 and has been broken down by regional council boundaries.

Please note that this information is based on the main teacher role the employee holds during the calendar year and excludes day relief teachers

I understand that Andy Smith, Senior Advisor Government, Executive and Ministerial Services discussed with you that as the 2020 data is unavailable that it would not be provided in this response. I am advised this data will be available late in April 2021. If you are still interested in the 2020 data you can make a request to our Data Team at this email address Requests.EDK@education.govt.nz.

Please note, the Ministry now proactively publishes OIA responses on our website. As such, we may publish this response on our website after five working days. Your name and contact details will be removed.

Thank you again for your email. You have the right to ask an Ombudsman to review this decision. You can do this by writing to info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or Office of the Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143.

Nāku noa, nā

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'M. Williamson', written in a cursive style.

Mark Williamson
Senior Manager
Education Workforce
Early Learning and Student Achievement

Table: Number of people paid on the untrained teachers scale in the Secondary and Area Teachers' Collective Agreement by regional council for years 2018-2019.

Year	Regional Council	Count of untrained teachers by Collective Agreement	
		Area Teachers	Secondary Teachers
2018	Auckland Region	14	327
	Bay of Plenty Region	14	46
	Canterbury Region	13	55
	Gisborne Region	5	6
	Hawkes Bay Region	5	30
	Manawatu-Whanganui Region	5	59
	Marlborough Region		4
	Nelson Region		11
	Northland Region	13	40
	Otago Region	1	18
	Southland Region		6
	Taranaki Region	2	27
	Tasman Region	3	10
	Waikato Region	12	47
	Wellington Region	7	83
	West Coast Region		3
2019	Auckland Region	25	345
	Bay of Plenty Region	16	50
	Canterbury Region	9	43
	Gisborne Region	8	10
	Hawkes Bay Region	2	40
	Manawatu-Whanganui Region	6	59
	Marlborough Region		6
	Nelson Region		9
	Northland Region	6	34
	Otago Region	1	17
	Southland Region	5	7
	Taranaki Region	3	29
	Tasman Region	4	7
	Unknown		
	Waikato Region	25	58
Wellington Region	6	87	
West Coast Region	1	4	

Data Caveats

- 2020 data is not yet available and is anticipated to be released sometime April 2021.
- This information is based on the main teacher role the employee holds during the calendar year. For example, if an employee worked part time as a secondary teacher and part time as a guidance counsellor, they would be assigned to their main role by the greatest hours they worked in the role over the year.
- This data excludes day relief teachers.
- This only includes teachers in a Secondary or Area Teachers' Collective Agreement. All other teachers are not included.
- The table provided only counts teachers on an untrained scale, all others have been excluded.
- Regional council used is based on the location of the school that the employee is working at and not where the teacher resides.