

SECTION 17.

EDUCATION.

RETURN OF

Description of School				Number of Scholars on Roll and in average attendance												
Place	Number of Schools			In Government Schools				In Aided Private Schools				In other Private Schools				Total
	Government	Aided Private	Other Private	Boys		Girls		Boys		Girls		Boys		Girls		
				Roll	Av. At.	Roll	Av. At.	Roll	Av. At.	Roll	Av. At.	Roll	Av. At.	Roll	Av. At.	
* University. (1)	1	—	—	79	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	87
Secondary Schools.																
MALTA.																
* Lyceum (2) ...	† 1	—	—	375	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
* Secondary School for Girls (3)	1	—	—	—	—	139	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bolton ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Birchmead ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Co-jean ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Floriana ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Notabile ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Paula ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sliema ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Julian's ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Valletta ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vittoriosa ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	2	—	—	375	—	139	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gozo.																
* Secondary School for Boys (4)	1	—	—	37	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Victoria ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1	—	—	37	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Malta & Gozo ...	3	—	—	412	—	139	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Elementary Schools.																
(Including Infant Schools)																
MALTA.																
Asciak ...	1	—	—	98	85	78	67	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bolton ...	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	80	—
Bretherton ...	1	(a) 1	1	500	446	355	308	16	—	27	—	94	—	98	—	—
Birzebbugia ...	1	—	—	49	46	50	48	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Colona ...	1	—	—	85	73	117	101	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chetop ...	1	—	—	29	27	30	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Co-jean ...	1	(a) 1	1	630	573	631	563	205	—	—	—	60	—	—	—	—
Cosmi ...	1	—	—	89	86	63	56	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cumal ...	1	—	1	482	448	425	400	—	—	—	—	2	—	34	—	—
Dingli ...	1	—	—	78	72	54	50	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	34	—
El-rinas ...	1	—	1	390	330	205	288	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gargur ...	1	(a) 1	—	69	65	66	61	13	—	15	—	40	—	35	—	—
Gulfa ...	1	—	—	50	46	52	45	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hamrun ...	2	—	4	975	892	870	777	—	—	—	—	101	—	107	—	—
Lia ...	1	—	—	266	245	238	221	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Luz ...	1	—	—	195	176	114	101	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mar-rosrocco ...	1	—	—	41	38	35	31	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Melleha ...	1	—	—	189	178	172	164	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Micalafia ...	1	—	—	102	89	82	69	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Miela ...	1	—	1	401	373	322	304	—	—	—	—	13	—	40	—	—
Muata ...	1	—	—	332	327	321	294	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Naxxos ...	1	—	—	188	169	141	127	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Notabile ...	1	(a) 1	1	472	412	410	267	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Paula ...	—	(a) 1	1	—	—	—	—	33	—	26	—	212	—	392	6	—
Senglea ...	1	—	—	446	407	426	390	85	—	—	—	19	—	—	—	—
Siggiewi ...	1	—	—	158	142	136	120	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sliema ...	1	(a) 1	4	803	707	781	646	140	—	—	—	67	—	89	—	—
St. Venet ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Paul's Bay ...	1	—	—	62	58	81	77	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tarson ...	1	—	—	479	436	492	437	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Valletta ...	4	(a) 2	8	1183	1044	1058	941	126	—	102	—	391	—	206	—	—
Vittoriosa ...	1	—	2	267	245	246	211	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Zabbar ...	1	(a) 1	1	252	232	206	177	39	—	51	—	32	—	72	—	—
Zebbug ...	1	—	1	255	218	206	190	—	—	—	—	7	—	16	—	—
Zebzun ...	1	—	1	359	338	335	311	—	—	—	—	25	—	74	—	—
Zorrion ...	1	—	—	206	175	177	147	—	—	—	—	9	—	12	—	—
St. Julian's ...	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	45	—	131	—	—

* The figures given are for the Year 1925-26.

† There were also Commercial Evening Classes in which 165 boys and 65 girls attended.

SCHOOLS.

Revenue of each School			Expenditure of each School	REMARKS
School Fees	Government Contributions	Voluntary Contributions		
£ s. d. 1,253 2 9/16	Maintained entirely by Govt.	—	£ s. d. 9,587 19 8	(1) The University of Malta is empowered to grant the following Degrees and Diplomas, viz: (1) B.A. (Bachelor of Arts), (2) B.Sc. (Bachelor of Science), (3) B.Eng. & Arch. (Bachelor of Engineering and Architecture); (4) B.L. Can. (Bachelor of Canon Law); (5) M.D. (Doctor of Medicine); (6) L.L.D. (Doctor of Laws); (7) D.D. (Doctor of Theology); and Diplomas of (1) Pharmacist, (2) Legal Procurator, (3) Notary Public, (4) Dental Surgeon, (5) Practical Midwife. The University comprises six Faculties, viz:—Literature, Science, Engineering & Architecture, Medicine & Surgery, Laws and Theology.
1,670 1 4 450 3 4	Do. Do.	— —	7,405 9 1 1,169 16 7	(2) The Lyceum is an institution intended to impart intermediate instruction. It is divided into two courses of studies, the Classical and the Modern, each consisting of two grades of instruction, a Higher and a Lower. It prepares young men to matriculate for admission into the University, to enter the Civil Service or to embrace the career of Commerce, Electrical Engineering and of Marine Engineering. The average annual cost for each student was £ 13. 6. 4.
— — —	(Not available).	—	—	(3) In the Secondary School for Girls, Valletta, instruction is imparted in English, Italian, French, Arithmetic and Mathematics, Needle work and the other subjects usually included in the curriculum of a Secondary School for young ladies. The average annual cost for each student was £ 5. 3. 6.
35 12 6	Maintained entirely by Govt.	—	618 4 0	(4) In the Secondary School for Boys at Gozo, Latin, English, Italian, Arithmetic, Algebra and Geometry, History and Geography, Writing, Sacred History and Religious Doctrine are taught. It prepares young men to matriculate for admission into the University. The average annual cost for each student was £ 14. 18. 9.
<p>N. B.—The Government receives no school fees in the Elementary Schools in Malta and Gozo. All expenses are defrayed out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Island. The expenditure for all Elementary Government Schools during the year 1925-26 was £ 77,913. 16. 4. No returns are available for other Private Schools.</p>				<p>The Government Elementary Schools have classes for training teachers for Elementary Schools.</p> <p>The average annual cost of each student was £ 3. 13. 24.</p> <p>(4) The Aided Private Schools in Malta are the following:— Wied Għerzuma, (£ 30), Pilar School (£ 30), Oratorio San Luigi (£ 102), Marsascala School (£ 54), St. Mary's School (£ 54), Stella Maris College (£ 103. 2. 0), De La Salle College (£ 68. 9. 0), Bahar-il-Ħak (£ 24), P'ensu (£ 47).</p>

(a) Inclusive of School, Registration, Examination fees and fees for Academic degrees, Certificates, Sale of Plants from Argenti Botanical Garden and Miscellaneous.

RETURN OF

Description of School			Number of Scholars on Roll and in average attendance												Total	
Place	Number of Schools			In Government Schools				In Aided Private Schools				In other Private Schools				
	Government	Aided Private	Other Private	Boys		Girls		Boys		Girls		Boys		Girls		
				Roll	Av. At.	Roll	Av. At.	Roll	Av. At.	Roll	Av. At.	Roll	Av. At.			
Elementary Schools																
<i>—cont.</i>																
MALTA—cont.																
Imtaheb ...	1	—	—	28	26	23	22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Migiarro ...	1	—	—	97	88	88	81	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Marsa ...	1	—	—	370	315	291	250	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Gaira ...	1	—	—	61	56	72	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Central Schools.</i>																
S. Venera ...	1	—	—	9	9	45	43	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Torcen ...	1	—	—	12	11	39	38	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Valletta ...	1	—	—	10	10	74	72	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	44	9	33	10881	9828	9919	8886	657	—	221	—	1119	—	1504	—	
GOZO.																
Garbo ...	1	—	—	106	102	105	97	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Ghainislem ...	1	—	—	93	86	86	80	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Kala ...	1	—	—	121	118	88	84	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Nadur ...	1	—	—	250	235	217	207	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sannat ...	1	—	—	65	61	61	57	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Victoria ...	1	—	2	250	232	208	183	—	—	—	—	37	—	121	—	
Xaghra ...	1	—	—	201	187	186	170	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Xeuchia ...	1	—	—	199	183	160	149	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Zebbug ...	1	—	—	78	72	71	64	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Kercem ...	1	—	—	100	88	99	82	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Central School ...	1	—	—	28	26	29	28	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
	11	—	2	1497	1390	1310	1179	—	—	—	—	37	—	121	—	
Total Malta & Gozo ...	55	9	35	12378	11218	11229	10065	657	—	221	—	1156	—	1625	—	

TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

There are 23 technical evening classes in the Elementary Schools' Department with an average attendance of 583 pupils. Marine and Electrical Engineering Classes are held in the Lyceum with a workshop for practical training attached to the Malta Railway. The attendance in 1925-26 was 47 students. The cost was £ 390. 14. 3. Students attend H.M. Dockyard for practical instruction. Carpentry, shoemaking, stone-cutting and trimming are taught at the Salvatore Reformatory. Technical Education cost the Government £ 2,097 in 1925-26. There are other private technical institutes, viz: the Salesian Industrial School, the Istituto Vincenzo Bugeja, the Casa di S. Giuseppe or Istituto Bonnici and the Oratorio San Luigi, the first three of which are subsidized by the Government.

There is also a School of Art which comprises free courses in art higher education. As at present constituted, it embraces painting, drawing, modelling, sculpture, ceramics, and history of art and general art knowledge.