

# First-Time Students, by year of student first visa/permit decision.

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<b>FY (Jul-Jun) Decided</b>	<b>Number of Clients</b>	<b>+/- Previous Financial Year</b>
2013/14	39,124	.
2014/15	47,933	8,809
2015/16	49,740	1,807
2016/17	48,132	-1,608
2017/18	46,648	-1,484
2018/19	46,250	-398
2019/20	36,621	-9,629
2020/21	5,544	-31,077
2021/22	7,223	1,679
2022/23	46,674	39,451
2023/24 to date	37,748	-8,926
Total	411,637	.

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FY (Jul-Jun) Decided	Month Decision												
2013/14	2013-07	891	492	638	122	74	172	147	53	72	72	91	2,824
	2013-08	591	392	622	81	60	97	141	23	32	25	41	2,105
	2013-09	510	387	564	83	18	51	130	23	41	21	39	1,867
	2013-10	596	535	529	113	54	70	157	52	85	26	49	2,266
	2013-11	715	512	508	87	117	314	171	60	188	23	50	2,745
	2013-12	1,104	478	772	97	349	349	147	38	298	95	79	3,806
	2014-01	1,428	1,103	779	127	517	156	197	46	111	362	91	4,917
	2014-02	917	1,003	388	131	107	237	242	40	29	68	165	3,327
	2014-03	707	895	486	151	39	253	236	36	77	73	169	3,122
	2014-04	677	809	528	105	54	121	165	46	120	67	162	2,854
	2014-05	1,047	987	725	147	467	83	182	41	267	68	97	4,111
	2014-06	1,495	1,232	905	173	335	124	141	59	442	178	96	5,180
	<b>Total</b>	10,678	8,825	7,444	1,417	2,191	2,027	2,056	517	1,762	1,078	1,129	39,124
2014/15	Month Decision												
	2014-07	1,014	1,474	888	167	88	216	142	69	42	275	113	4,488
	2014-08	786	932	756	126	41	97	157	38	29	80	57	3,099
	2014-09	820	1,117	767	150	27	75	182	34	55	59	47	3,333
	2014-10	714	1,038	511	191	69	59	134	45	89	59	49	2,958
	2014-11	887	944	683	183	124	244	202	37	156	55	33	3,548
	2014-12	1,114	1,142	905	129	292	414	186	43	288	73	78	4,664
	2015-01	1,452	1,755	814	161	771	204	200	47	95	303	93	5,895
	2015-02	1,005	1,314	501	221	133	174	230	56	51	131	165	3,981
	2015-03	757	620	543	257	36	340	206	69	69	89	145	3,131
	2015-04	720	656	671	201	87	106	132	49	90	86	77	2,875
	2015-05	1,128	919	823	275	475	78	192	53	164	97	88	4,292
	2015-06	1,459	1,333	1,050	312	345	133	208	64	455	202	108	5,669
	<b>Total</b>	11,856	13,244	8,912	2,373	2,488	2,140	2,171	604	1,583	1,509	1,053	47,933
2015/16	Month Decision												
	2015-07	991	1,707	1,099	321	69	184	154	57	66	213	99	4,960
	2015-08	725	1,093	854	223	49	171	166	56	22	77	52	3,488
	2015-09	864	1,330	789	456	50	57	181	91	48	115	69	4,050
	2015-10	858	1,009	686	528	55	65	158	70	77	94	36	3,636
	2015-11	963	808	787	185	206	185	177	74	140	116	90	3,731
	2015-12	1,278	783	989	142	525	546	241	59	309	175	111	5,158
	2016-01	1,333	985	845	168	525	206	198	78	138	242	92	4,810
	2016-02	1,252	1,048	523	177	100	253	224	97	42	127	95	3,938
	2016-03	798	767	685	179	37	286	210	116	61	115	124	3,378
	2016-04	750	622	575	160	120	127	215	113	81	84	112	2,959
	2016-05	1,315	630	1,045	186	478	121	259	118	238	152	105	4,647
	2016-06	1,501	637	1,160	226	287	171	177	110	425	184	107	4,985
	<b>Total</b>	12,628	11,419	10,037	2,951	2,501	2,372	2,360	1,039	1,647	1,694	1,092	49,740

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<b>2016/17</b>	<b>Month Decision</b>													
	<b>2016-07</b>	1,004	572	943	174	46	207	151	108	92	191	103	3,591	
	<b>2016-08</b>	932	642	1,011	216	47	134	162	125	36	95	70	3,470	
	<b>2016-09</b>	897	730	966	184	20	58	200	151	27	134	81	3,448	
	<b>2016-10</b>	787	508	762	182	65	57	135	128	51	108	59	2,842	
	<b>2016-11</b>	990	502	867	190	88	349	234	233	157	89	91	3,790	
	<b>2016-12</b>	1,261	579	994	163	540	423	256	128	386	138	73	4,941	
	<b>2017-01</b>	1,763	854	766	185	692	135	208	124	99	338	122	5,286	
	<b>2017-02</b>	1,223	860	750	188	181	311	231	127	74	149	86	4,180	
	<b>2017-03</b>	1,043	667	829	223	68	292	233	103	57	193	144	3,852	
	<b>2017-04</b>	875	469	507	206	134	138	143	74	94	108	78	2,826	
	<b>2017-05</b>	1,494	659	1,050	269	508	80	206	144	265	126	117	4,918	
	<b>2017-06</b>	1,619	690	1,053	236	300	178	183	123	278	210	118	4,988	
<b>Total</b>		13,888	7,732	10,498	2,416	2,689	2,362	2,342	1,568	1,616	1,879	1,142	48,132	
<b>2017/18</b>	<b>Month Decision</b>													
	<b>2017-07</b>	1,077	790	904	266	75	210	136	129	69	146	92	3,894	
	<b>2017-08</b>	991	445	928	266	57	100	189	126	25	125	111	3,363	
	<b>2017-09</b>	824	607	737	179	33	56	131	130	45	104	65	2,911	
	<b>2017-10</b>	820	556	504	142	93	51	118	158	54	152	49	2,697	
	<b>2017-11</b>	1,079	586	750	208	251	373	243	180	195	153	115	4,133	
	<b>2017-12</b>	1,314	506	716	147	513	314	228	115	229	175	92	4,349	
	<b>2018-01</b>	1,881	1,092	731	182	577	169	248	148	159	343	112	5,642	
	<b>2018-02</b>	1,068	985	517	177	65	223	195	119	41	191	134	3,715	
	<b>2018-03</b>	904	421	667	169	38	323	209	107	68	163	134	3,203	
	<b>2018-04</b>	980	435	494	126	160	163	157	135	108	139	100	2,997	
	<b>2018-05</b>	1,406	764	791	261	530	72	152	153	296	144	134	4,703	
	<b>2018-06</b>	1,723	739	842	251	309	127	198	141	361	230	120	5,041	
<b>Total</b>		14,067	7,926	8,581	2,374	2,701	2,181	2,204	1,641	1,650	2,065	1,258	46,648	
<b>2018/19</b>	<b>Month Decision</b>													
	<b>2018-07</b>	1,182	894	797	241	69	296	103	187	50	159	93	4,071	
	<b>2018-08</b>	945	567	725	206	38	109	144	197	38	128	99	3,196	
	<b>2018-09</b>	857	401	569	177	54	50	112	120	38	98	80	2,556	
	<b>2018-10</b>	952	497	521	205	87	78	129	243	85	79	73	2,949	
	<b>2018-11</b>	1,159	671	816	228	203	320	276	248	182	135	77	4,315	
	<b>2018-12</b>	1,267	415	702	117	506	407	235	307	270	103	49	4,378	
	<b>2019-01</b>	1,404	895	774	213	616	220	224	311	99	200	108	5,064	
	<b>2019-02</b>	1,194	645	466	222	68	243	192	232	38	258	172	3,730	
	<b>2019-03</b>	897	617	549	216	57	311	190	167	63	139	137	3,343	
	<b>2019-04</b>	909	556	697	181	102	119	133	267	119	104	95	3,282	
<b>2019-05</b>	1,132	548	951	243	454	63	148	348	231	151	63	4,332		

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FY (Jul-Jun) Decided	Month Decision												
2018/19	2019-06	1,588	933	741	172	365	190	130	327	321	180	87	5,034
	Total	13,486	7,639	8,308	2,421	2,619	2,406	2,016	2,954	1,534	1,734	1,133	46,250
2019/20	Month Decision												
	2019-07	1,392	1,354	775	232	103	276	138	377	54	121	107	4,929
	2019-08	953	848	705	190	49	107	124	336	31	115	108	3,566
	2019-09	895	839	550	183	58	58	125	400	47	87	70	3,312
	2019-10	994	815	547	267	97	48	113	341	86	140	104	3,552
	2019-11	1,337	943	495	264	241	238	242	418	205	124	119	4,626
	2019-12	1,622	959	810	147	623	555	266	503	228	166	101	5,980
	2020-01	1,414	1,148	591	188	454	76	105	351	86	110	80	4,603
	2020-02	1,086	930	143	173	136	300	162	269	49	204	126	3,578
	2020-03	506	152	115	79	37	194	83	170	31	115	84	1,566
	2020-04	30	1	15	4	5	1	10	6	1	1	1	75
	2020-05	62	29	47	20	6	14	23	37	5	7	2	252
	2020-06	194	66	80	27	35	38	42	71	7	16	6	582
	Total		10,485	8,084	4,873	1,774	1,844	1,905	1,433	3,279	830	1,206	908
2020/21	Month Decision												
	2020-07	211	58	130	34	37	20	33	80	6	18	5	632
	2020-08	190	55	60	44	24	10	40	68	4	11	6	512
	2020-09	221	51	66	33	16	23	44	57	3	11	5	530
	2020-10	195	62	91	31	44	12	32	72	6	26	4	575
	2020-11	204	65	72	19	45	16	31	27	6	23	4	512
	2020-12	131	52	61	22	29	6	21	46	5	8	3	384
	2021-01	141	47	45	24	43	4	19	49	2	5	1	380
	2021-02	168	65	64	30	40	3	17	62	4	5	.	458
	2021-03	182	74	78	25	46	6	31	43	2	13	2	502
	2021-04	113	29	40	27	23	6	21	55	3	2	2	321
	2021-05	129	44	44	35	21	4	13	54	5	10	3	362
	2021-06	111	78	51	42	18	9	8	46	7	4	2	376
	Total		1,996	680	802	366	386	119	310	659	53	136	37
2021/22	Month Decision												
	2021-07	148	89	41	54	24	7	12	57	4	8	5	449
	2021-08	136	90	29	48	26	3	6	43	7	6	1	395
	2021-09	98	83	27	46	22	3	8	51	4	4	.	346
	2021-10	135	84	33	44	23	1	11	44	4	2	2	383
	2021-11	116	101	26	53	16	7	2	51	.	5	.	377
	2021-12	159	90	51	43	14	6	8	49	2	3	.	425
	2022-01	98	65	48	37	21	4	4	28	2	1	.	308
	2022-02	152	69	56	40	18	.	6	53	3	8	2	407
	2022-03	336	119	84	39	24	2	10	50	4	10	.	678

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2021/22	2022-04	170	87	40	23	16	4	13	23	3	4	3	386
	2022-05	526	97	189	29	51	69	71	107	141	20	43	1,343
	2022-06	559	176	475	114	31	54	52	94	47	51	73	1,726
	<b>Total</b>	2,633	1,150	1,099	570	286	160	203	650	221	122	129	7,223
2022/23	Month Decision												
	2022-07	592	425	294	152	29	42	26	112	14	33	73	1,792
	2022-08	707	196	510	111	69	56	72	119	24	48	52	1,964
	2022-09	913	351	787	226	102	63	100	328	60	58	105	3,093
	2022-10	926	314	621	145	131	59	87	214	67	80	111	2,755
	2022-11	1,345	631	601	245	278	234	159	297	217	75	152	4,234
	2022-12	1,420	642	850	274	328	250	160	328	175	81	161	4,669
	2023-01	1,792	574	1,318	277	448	273	181	217	122	107	172	5,481
	2023-02	1,504	879	1,247	226	158	270	111	239	31	115	143	4,923
	2023-03	1,353	742	733	281	52	175	67	269	53	74	127	3,926
	2023-04	1,299	464	599	265	85	100	81	169	140	52	99	3,353
	2023-05	2,109	610	949	361	368	105	120	250	347	85	93	5,397
	2023-06	1,765	984	1,012	361	183	151	83	195	172	74	107	5,087
<b>Total</b>	15,725	6,812	9,521	2,924	2,231	1,778	1,247	2,737	1,422	882	1,395	46,674	
2023/24 to date	Month Decision												
	2023-07	1,508	1,183	898	457	66	172	68	196	41	61	133	4,783
	2023-08	1,385	1,260	728	407	48	108	53	185	36	44	89	4,343
	2023-09	1,281	969	689	316	48	90	57	234	60	74	135	3,953
	2023-10	1,267	879	612	296	74	85	52	126	82	67	122	3,662
	2023-11	1,293	773	521	296	197	97	117	143	162	40	92	3,731
	2023-12	1,382	639	607	228	491	435	206	123	208	260	120	4,699
	2024-01	1,481	757	1,004	269	437	158	116	148	72	90	98	4,630
	2024-02	1,382	1,020	637	307	99	400	75	175	42	60	97	4,294
	2024-03	1,199	859	569	317	45	138	77	129	106	58	156	3,653
<b>Total</b>	12,178	8,339	6,265	2,893	1,505	1,683	821	1,459	809	754	1,042	37,748	
<b>Total</b>		119,620	81,850	76,340	22,479	21,441	19,133	17,163	17,107	13,127	13,059	10,318	411,637

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	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type		
	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved		
(not recorded)	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Afghanistan	5	5	6	4	13	4	10	4	.	13	23	87	
Albania	1	9	3	1	2	3	.	.	3	7	5	34	
Algeria	.	1	2	4	5	2	.	.	1	10	1	26	
Andorra	.	1	2	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	8	
Antigua & Barbuda	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Argentina	84	109	210	258	309	232	201	70	33	241	112	1,859	
Armenia	1	9	3	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	16	
Australia	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	4	
Austria	108	136	142	149	138	119	93	1	6	77	54	1,023	
Azerbaijan	.	2	1	3	1	3	.	.	.	5	1	16	
Bahamas	.	2	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	
Bahrain	5	1	2	2	3	3	2	.	.	3	1	22	
Bangladesh	192	287	227	124	95	88	63	18	16	129	173	1,412	
Barbados	1	2	1	5	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	13	
Belarus	3	9	17	13	10	11	2	.	1	5	2	73	
Belgium	59	56	62	50	56	48	42	7	8	54	26	468	
Belize	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	5	
Benin	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	
Bermuda	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	
Bhutan	6	7	10	7	5	17	11	.	1	10	30	104	
Bolivia	3	11	27	29	13	13	17	1	1	13	14	142	
Bosnia & Herzegovina	1	1	1	2	1	4	2	.	.	1	.	13	
Botswana	3	8	7	6	5	3	2	4	1	2	10	51	
Brazil	1,078	1,509	1,694	1,879	2,065	1,734	1,206	136	122	882	754	13,059	
Brunei Darussalam	19	25	16	11	20	20	15	3	1	8	2	140	
Bulgaria	11	17	12	9	4	4	4	1	2	4	4	72	
Burundi	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Cambodia	104	139	172	203	172	179	151	8	18	210	251	1,607	
Cameroon	1	4	2	2	1	3	5	1	1	4	4	28	
Canada	303	266	279	358	352	339	320	48	133	386	282	3,066	
Cape Verde	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	
Chad	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Chile	495	379	523	645	603	587	412	131	70	732	428	5,005	
China	7,444	8,912	10,037	10,498	8,581	8,308	4,873	802	1,099	9,521	6,265	76,340	
Colombia	403	709	704	918	851	825	533	8	14	421	283	5,669	
Congo	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	
Costa Rica	8	3	3	6	7	6	3	.	1	2	7	46	
Croatia	9	7	9	14	5	2	6	1	2	3	4	62	
Cuba	3	2	1	6	.	1	4	.	.	.	1	18	
Cyprus	.	1	1	3	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	9	
Czech Republic	37	46	64	44	53	71	41	12	2	23	16	409	
Democratic Republic of Congo	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	5	10	

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Denmark	174	172	196	186	178	160	71	9	14	113	54	1,327
Dominica	1	.	2	2	.	4	1	.	.	.	1	11
Dominican Republic	.	1	1	1	6	4	3	.	.	3	6	25
Ecuador	8	6	18	31	35	54	31	1	2	43	71	300
Egypt	14	16	38	22	55	47	61	8	6	53	40	360
El Salvador	2	.	4	2	2	3	3	.	1	6	3	26
Eritrea	.	.	.	1	.	.	5	.	.	1	1	8
Estonia	3	5	3	7	6	7	1	1	1	3	3	40
Ethiopia	7	11	9	6	3	7	6	2	2	13	10	76
Federated States of Micronesia	1	1	1	3	2	1	1	.	.	2	.	12
Fiji	669	671	750	779	659	681	566	192	182	2,310	1,466	8,925
Finland	63	42	65	53	43	62	24	3	5	25	19	404
France	419	411	410	469	465	469	344	62	55	352	231	3,687
Gambia	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Georgia	1	.	.	3	1	3	.	.	.	.	2	10
Germany	1,762	1,583	1,647	1,616	1,650	1,534	830	53	221	1,422	809	13,127
Ghana	18	19	39	23	16	23	15	1	12	31	35	232
Great Britain	910	950	795	911	862	947	731	304	278	596	293	7,577
Greece	10	4	11	11	1	4	2	2	1	5	7	58
Grenada	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	8
Guatemala	5	5	5	1	6	3	2	.	1	1	2	31
Guinea	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Guyana	1	3	4	1	3	1	2	.	.	.	1	16
Haiti	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3
Honduras	.	.	2	2	3	1	1	.	.	1	4	14
Hong Kong	293	327	336	366	397	385	482	80	95	366	176	3,303
Hungary	21	20	17	49	31	34	27	2	8	52	14	275
Iceland	11	10	8	14	6	16	6	.	1	9	3	84
India	8,825	13,244	11,419	7,732	7,926	7,639	8,084	680	1,150	6,812	8,339	81,850
Indonesia	348	389	480	610	455	495	343	35	98	600	300	4,153
Iran	139	114	135	117	159	124	97	18	52	239	105	1,299
Iraq	8	3	13	3	15	7	7	.	1	26	10	93
Ireland	87	63	53	62	70	74	35	19	25	46	33	567
Israel	29	43	29	41	32	30	40	17	21	41	53	376
Italy	221	213	219	318	330	308	124	58	21	234	130	2,176
Ivory Coast	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Jamaica	6	6	5	5	6	4	5	.	.	6	2	45
Japan	2,027	2,140	2,372	2,362	2,181	2,406	1,905	119	160	1,778	1,683	19,133
Jordan	29	37	30	22	29	25	28	6	7	43	44	300
Kazakhstan	37	36	49	70	65	45	49	14	8	44	26	443
Kenya	39	50	56	45	21	17	26	3	10	39	38	344
Kiribati	39	45	49	35	42	45	23	8	16	31	42	375
Kosovo - Republic of	.	2	1	2	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	8

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<b>Nationality</b>												
<b>Kuwait</b>	9	10	11	2	13	16	14	.	.	74	60	209
<b>Kyrgyzstan</b>	2	1	3	4	3	3	2	1	.	6	3	28
<b>Laos</b>	55	65	61	70	72	81	53	2	7	64	35	565
<b>Latvia</b>	1	10	6	2	6	7	5	1	.	12	2	52
<b>Lebanon</b>	5	2	6	5	5	8	7	1	3	22	13	77
<b>Lesotho</b>	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	3
<b>Liberia</b>	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	5
<b>Libya</b>	15	4	.	4	2	5	1	3	1	5	1	41
<b>Liechtenstein</b>	.	2	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	8
<b>Lithuania</b>	11	3	5	6	7	5	7	.	.	3	5	52
<b>Luxembourg</b>	4	1	2	1	5	6	2	2	.	2	4	29
<b>Macau</b>	16	27	39	26	35	23	20	2	3	24	12	227
<b>Macedonia</b>	3	8	9	15	14	10	9	2	4	12	8	94
<b>Madagascar</b>	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
<b>Malawi</b>	.	3	4	3	3	5	3	.	.	3	3	27
<b>Malaysia</b>	491	578	753	763	830	451	278	87	309	672	329	5,541
<b>Maldives</b>	8	16	11	17	20	10	6	3	2	14	8	115
<b>Mali</b>	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
<b>Malta</b>	.	1	.	3	1	.	2	.	4	2	2	15
<b>Marshall Islands</b>	.	1	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	6
<b>Mauritania</b>	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
<b>Mauritius</b>	12	23	23	41	20	31	27	1	1	25	7	211
<b>Mexico</b>	158	166	153	169	253	203	163	31	15	132	104	1,547
<b>Moldova</b>	3	2	2	3	3	.	1	.	2	3	.	19
<b>Monaco</b>	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2
<b>Mongolia</b>	10	10	6	15	24	20	12	8	2	17	22	146
<b>Morocco</b>	2	3	4	4	1	3	1	.	1	4	2	25
<b>Mozambique</b>	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	5
<b>Myanmar</b>	42	52	49	69	85	103	85	2	2	134	149	772
<b>Namibia</b>	.	.	.	8	9	10	14	7	6	12	8	74
<b>Nauru</b>	9	5	6	5	4	5	3	.	.	6	.	43
<b>Nepal</b>	303	503	460	363	617	635	689	21	41	528	670	4,830
<b>Netherlands</b>	120	120	132	181	174	174	108	36	34	159	59	1,297
<b>New Zealand</b>	13	13	2	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	32
<b>Nicaragua</b>	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	2	5
<b>Nigeria</b>	35	67	51	56	48	56	42	17	21	126	85	604
<b>Norway</b>	209	165	161	163	154	162	64	3	16	125	55	1,277
<b>Oman</b>	39	45	36	101	64	91	43	.	1	14	12	446
<b>Pakistan</b>	120	116	161	124	167	135	87	18	37	284	276	1,525
<b>Palau</b>	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	6
<b>Palestine</b>	8	4	5	4	5	1	8	.	1	1	4	41
<b>Panama</b>	1	4	2	3	1	5	21	.	3	14	6	60
<b>Papua New Guinea</b>	113	122	127	101	131	127	106	5	12	68	51	963

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Paraguay	7	6	15	19	12	5	9	.	1	10	4	88
Peru	17	33	25	44	50	56	28	19	13	52	55	392
Philippines	1,417	2,373	2,951	2,416	2,374	2,421	1,774	366	570	2,924	2,893	22,479
Poland	28	28	28	38	38	28	16	10	10	20	9	253
Portugal	29	28	27	15	27	32	24	5	2	26	23	238
Qatar	5	3	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	2	.	15
Romania	18	15	7	12	14	14	12	3	.	12	4	111
Russia	303	345	355	433	439	301	284	54	33	354	285	3,186
Rwanda	6	3	1	1	3	1	2	1	.	5	3	26
Samoa	110	145	136	109	114	126	86	28	75	99	139	1,167
San Marino	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Saudi Arabia	563	493	326	260	424	452	274	23	2	94	94	3,005
Senegal	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Serbia	8	23	23	22	38	37	25	1	4	13	5	199
Seychelles	1	1	3	.	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	11
Sierra Leone	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3
Singapore	155	213	177	201	197	227	163	30	44	316	106	1,829
Slovakia	10	17	25	24	20	24	7	2	1	16	13	159
Slovenia	6	7	8	5	3	3	5	3	.	3	.	43
Solomon Islands	45	43	48	40	49	52	53	1	4	24	28	387
Somalia	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	2
South Africa	517	604	1,039	1,568	1,641	2,954	3,279	659	650	2,737	1,459	17,107
South Korea	2,056	2,171	2,360	2,342	2,204	2,016	1,433	310	203	1,247	821	17,163
South Pacific commission	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Spain	116	138	143	215	206	222	132	26	24	128	62	1,412
Sri Lanka	390	457	649	683	708	617	759	117	198	1,577	1,984	8,139
St Kitts - Nevis	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	2
St Lucia	2	.	1	4	3	1	4	.	.	2	1	18
St Vincent and the Grenadines	1	1	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	1	2	10
Stateless	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2
Sudan	.	.	2	4	8	.	7	2	3	5	4	35
Suriname	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	1	1	5
Swaziland	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	6	1	10
Sweden	126	123	137	157	155	141	69	11	12	102	64	1,097
Switzerland	194	196	245	272	232	215	123	10	9	127	101	1,724
Syria	8	3	11	3	6	3	1	1	.	8	10	54
Taiwan	279	292	326	314	289	244	205	30	44	288	166	2,477
Tajikistan	.	1	1	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	6
Tanzania	13	8	9	4	4	3	4	.	.	5	4	54
Thailand	1,129	1,053	1,092	1,142	1,258	1,133	908	37	129	1,395	1,042	10,318
Timor Leste	25	29	27	35	32	29	36	.	2	7	22	244
Tonga	209	274	203	245	208	246	162	69	107	392	308	2,423
Trinidad and Tobago	1	3	3	4	3	6	1	1	.	5	4	31

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<b>Tunisia</b>	.	2	1	2	5	1	.	1	.	1	.	13
<b>Turkey</b>	45	35	29	18	29	20	21	10	7	33	19	266
<b>Turkmenistan</b>	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
<b>Tuvalu</b>	18	18	19	27	27	16	17	5	3	16	36	202
<b>Uganda</b>	2	3	4	2	10	3	10	1	.	3	10	48
<b>Ukraine</b>	29	51	35	39	43	45	34	4	130	75	42	527
<b>United Arab Emirates</b>	.	4	10	7	2	1	1	.	1	4	9	39
<b>United Nations</b>	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
<b>United States of America</b>	2,191	2,488	2,501	2,689	2,701	2,619	1,844	386	286	2,231	1,505	21,441
<b>Unknown</b>	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	4
<b>Uruguay</b>	4	18	25	50	47	42	42	8	4	49	29	318
<b>Uzbekistan</b>	11	9	18	13	10	6	6	1	.	7	9	90
<b>Vanuatu</b>	37	35	51	38	35	34	41	1	3	14	17	306
<b>Venezuela</b>	17	19	22	27	8	1	.	1	1	12	17	125
<b>Vietnam</b>	509	600	761	937	989	1,080	751	88	98	1,245	1,190	8,248
<b>Yemen</b>	3	2	4	2	9	5	10	.	.	15	1	51
<b>Zambia</b>	5	7	12	5	4	2	2	1	2	8	13	61
<b>Zimbabwe</b>	20	37	29	57	38	57	54	9	26	261	317	905
<b>Total</b>	39,124	47,933	49,740	48,132	46,648	46,250	36,621	5,544	7,223	46,674	37,748	411,637

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India	8,825	13,244	11,419	7,732	7,926	7,639	8,084	680	1,150	6,812	8,339	81,850
China	7,444	8,912	10,037	10,498	8,581	8,308	4,873	802	1,099	9,521	6,265	76,340
Philippines	1,417	2,373	2,951	2,416	2,374	2,421	1,774	366	570	2,924	2,893	22,479
United States of America	2,191	2,488	2,501	2,689	2,701	2,619	1,844	386	286	2,231	1,505	21,441
Japan	2,027	2,140	2,372	2,362	2,181	2,406	1,905	119	160	1,778	1,683	19,133
South Korea	2,056	2,171	2,360	2,342	2,204	2,016	1,433	310	203	1,247	821	17,163
South Africa	517	604	1,039	1,568	1,641	2,954	3,279	659	650	2,737	1,459	17,107
Germany	1,762	1,583	1,647	1,616	1,650	1,534	830	53	221	1,422	809	13,127
Brazil	1,078	1,509	1,694	1,879	2,065	1,734	1,206	136	122	882	754	13,059
Thailand	1,129	1,053	1,092	1,142	1,258	1,133	908	37	129	1,395	1,042	10,318
Fiji	669	671	750	779	659	681	566	192	182	2,310	1,466	8,925
Vietnam	509	600	761	937	989	1,080	751	88	98	1,245	1,190	8,248
Sri Lanka	390	457	649	683	708	617	759	117	198	1,577	1,984	8,139
Great Britain	910	950	795	911	862	947	731	304	278	596	293	7,577
Colombia	403	709	704	918	851	825	533	8	14	421	283	5,669
Malaysia	491	578	753	763	830	451	278	87	309	672	329	5,541
Chile	495	379	523	645	603	587	412	131	70	732	428	5,005
Nepal	303	503	460	363	617	635	689	21	41	528	670	4,830
Indonesia	348	389	480	610	455	495	343	35	98	600	300	4,153
France	419	411	410	469	465	469	344	62	55	352	231	3,687
Hong Kong	293	327	336	366	397	385	482	80	95	366	176	3,303
Russia	303	345	355	433	439	301	284	54	33	354	285	3,186
Canada	303	266	279	358	352	339	320	48	133	386	282	3,066
Saudi Arabia	563	493	326	260	424	452	274	23	2	94	94	3,005
Taiwan	279	292	326	314	289	244	205	30	44	288	166	2,477
Tonga	209	274	203	245	208	246	162	69	107	392	308	2,423
Italy	221	213	219	318	330	308	124	58	21	234	130	2,176
Argentina	84	109	210	258	309	232	201	70	33	241	112	1,859
Singapore	155	213	177	201	197	227	163	30	44	316	106	1,829
Switzerland	194	196	245	272	232	215	123	10	9	127	101	1,724
Cambodia	104	139	172	203	172	179	151	8	18	210	251	1,607
Mexico	158	166	153	169	253	203	163	31	15	132	104	1,547
Pakistan	120	116	161	124	167	135	87	18	37	284	276	1,525
Bangladesh	192	287	227	124	95	88	63	18	16	129	173	1,412
Spain	116	138	143	215	206	222	132	26	24	128	62	1,412
Denmark	174	172	196	186	178	160	71	9	14	113	54	1,327
Iran	139	114	135	117	159	124	97	18	52	239	105	1,299
Netherlands	120	120	132	181	174	174	108	36	34	159	59	1,297
Norway	209	165	161	163	154	162	64	3	16	125	55	1,277
Samoa	110	145	136	109	114	126	86	28	75	99	139	1,167
Sweden	126	123	137	157	155	141	69	11	12	102	64	1,097
Austria	108	136	142	149	138	119	93	1	6	77	54	1,023
Papua New Guinea	113	122	127	101	131	127	106	5	12	68	51	963

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<b>Nationality</b>												
<b>Zimbabwe</b>	20	37	29	57	38	57	54	9	26	261	317	905
<b>Myanmar</b>	42	52	49	69	85	103	85	2	2	134	149	772
<b>Nigeria</b>	35	67	51	56	48	56	42	17	21	126	85	604
<b>Ireland</b>	87	63	53	62	70	74	35	19	25	46	33	567
<b>Laos</b>	55	65	61	70	72	81	53	2	7	64	35	565
<b>Ukraine</b>	29	51	35	39	43	45	34	4	130	75	42	527
<b>Belgium</b>	59	56	62	50	56	48	42	7	8	54	26	468
<b>Oman</b>	39	45	36	101	64	91	43	.	1	14	12	446
<b>Kazakhstan</b>	37	36	49	70	65	45	49	14	8	44	26	443
<b>Czech Republic</b>	37	46	64	44	53	71	41	12	2	23	16	409
<b>Finland</b>	63	42	65	53	43	62	24	3	5	25	19	404
<b>Peru</b>	17	33	25	44	50	56	28	19	13	52	55	392
<b>Solomon Islands</b>	45	43	48	40	49	52	53	1	4	24	28	387
<b>Israel</b>	29	43	29	41	32	30	40	17	21	41	53	376
<b>Kiribati</b>	39	45	49	35	42	45	23	8	16	31	42	375
<b>Egypt</b>	14	16	38	22	55	47	61	8	6	53	40	360
<b>Kenya</b>	39	50	56	45	21	17	26	3	10	39	38	344
<b>Uruguay</b>	4	18	25	50	47	42	42	8	4	49	29	318
<b>Vanuatu</b>	37	35	51	38	35	34	41	1	3	14	17	306
<b>Ecuador</b>	8	6	18	31	35	54	31	1	2	43	71	300
<b>Jordan</b>	29	37	30	22	29	25	28	6	7	43	44	300
<b>Hungary</b>	21	20	17	49	31	34	27	2	8	52	14	275
<b>Turkey</b>	45	35	29	18	29	20	21	10	7	33	19	266
<b>Poland</b>	28	28	28	38	38	28	16	10	10	20	9	253
<b>Timor Leste</b>	25	29	27	35	32	29	36	.	2	7	22	244
<b>Portugal</b>	29	28	27	15	27	32	24	5	2	26	23	238
<b>Ghana</b>	18	19	39	23	16	23	15	1	12	31	35	232
<b>Macau</b>	16	27	39	26	35	23	20	2	3	24	12	227
<b>Mauritius</b>	12	23	23	41	20	31	27	1	1	25	7	211
<b>Kuwait</b>	9	10	11	2	13	16	14	.	.	74	60	209
<b>Tuvalu</b>	18	18	19	27	27	16	17	5	3	16	36	202
<b>Serbia</b>	8	23	23	22	38	37	25	1	4	13	5	199
<b>Slovakia</b>	10	17	25	24	20	24	7	2	1	16	13	159
<b>Mongolia</b>	10	10	6	15	24	20	12	8	2	17	22	146
<b>Bolivia</b>	3	11	27	29	13	13	17	1	1	13	14	142
<b>Brunei Darussalam</b>	19	25	16	11	20	20	15	3	1	8	2	140
<b>Venezuela</b>	17	19	22	27	8	1	.	1	1	12	17	125
<b>Maldives</b>	8	16	11	17	20	10	6	3	2	14	8	115
<b>Romania</b>	18	15	7	12	14	14	12	3	.	12	4	111
<b>Bhutan</b>	6	7	10	7	5	17	11	.	1	10	30	104
<b>Macedonia</b>	3	8	9	15	14	10	9	2	4	12	8	94
<b>Iraq</b>	8	3	13	3	15	7	7	.	1	26	10	93
<b>Uzbekistan</b>	11	9	18	13	10	6	6	1	.	7	9	90

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	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	
	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	
Paraguay	7	6	15	19	12	5	9	.	1	10	4	88
Afghanistan	5	5	6	4	13	4	10	4	.	13	23	87
Iceland	11	10	8	14	6	16	6	.	1	9	3	84
Lebanon	5	2	6	5	5	8	7	1	3	22	13	77
Ethiopia	7	11	9	6	3	7	6	2	2	13	10	76
Namibia	.	.	.	8	9	10	14	7	6	12	8	74
Belarus	3	9	17	13	10	11	2	.	1	5	2	73
Bulgaria	11	17	12	9	4	4	4	1	2	4	4	72
Croatia	9	7	9	14	5	2	6	1	2	3	4	62
Zambia	5	7	12	5	4	2	2	1	2	8	13	61
Panama	1	4	2	3	1	5	21	.	3	14	6	60
Greece	10	4	11	11	1	4	2	2	1	5	7	58
Syria	8	3	11	3	6	3	1	1	.	8	10	54
Tanzania	13	8	9	4	4	3	4	.	.	5	4	54
Latvia	1	10	6	2	6	7	5	1	.	12	2	52
Lithuania	11	3	5	6	7	5	7	.	.	3	5	52
Botswana	3	8	7	6	5	3	2	4	1	2	10	51
Yemen	3	2	4	2	9	5	10	.	.	15	1	51
Uganda	2	3	4	2	10	3	10	1	.	3	10	48
Costa Rica	8	3	3	6	7	6	3	.	1	2	7	46
Jamaica	6	6	5	5	6	4	5	.	.	6	2	45
Nauru	9	5	6	5	4	5	3	.	.	6	.	43
Slovenia	6	7	8	5	3	3	5	3	.	3	.	43
Libya	15	4	.	4	2	5	1	3	1	5	1	41
Palestine	8	4	5	4	5	1	8	.	1	1	4	41
Estonia	3	5	3	7	6	7	1	1	1	3	3	40
United Arab Emirates	.	4	10	7	2	1	1	.	1	4	9	39
Sudan	.	.	2	4	8	.	7	2	3	5	4	35
Albania	1	9	3	1	2	3	.	.	3	7	5	34
New Zealand	13	13	2	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	32
Guatemala	5	5	5	1	6	3	2	.	1	1	2	31
Trinidad and Tobago	1	3	3	4	3	6	1	1	.	5	4	31
Luxembourg	4	1	2	1	5	6	2	2	.	2	4	29
Cameroon	1	4	2	2	1	3	5	1	1	4	4	28
Kyrgyzstan	2	1	3	4	3	3	2	1	.	6	3	28
Malawi	.	3	4	3	3	5	3	.	.	3	3	27
Algeria	.	1	2	4	5	2	.	.	1	10	1	26
El Salvador	2	.	4	2	2	3	3	.	1	6	3	26
Rwanda	6	3	1	1	3	1	2	1	.	5	3	26
Dominican Republic	.	1	1	1	6	4	3	.	.	3	6	25
Morocco	2	3	4	4	1	3	1	.	1	4	2	25
Bahrain	5	1	2	2	3	3	2	.	.	3	1	22
Moldova	3	2	2	3	3	.	1	.	2	3	.	19

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	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	
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<b>Nationality</b>												
Cuba	3	2	1	6	.	1	4	.	.	.	1	18
St Lucia	2	.	1	4	3	1	4	.	.	2	1	18
Armenia	1	9	3	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	16
Azerbaijan	.	2	1	3	1	3	.	.	.	5	1	16
Guyana	1	3	4	1	3	1	2	.	.	.	1	16
Malta	.	1	.	3	1	.	2	.	4	2	2	15
Qatar	5	3	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	2	.	15
Honduras	.	.	2	2	3	1	1	.	.	1	4	14
Barbados	1	2	1	5	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	13
Bosnia & Herzegovina	1	1	1	2	1	4	2	.	.	1	.	13
Tunisia	.	2	1	2	5	1	.	1	.	1	.	13
Federated States of Micronesia	1	1	1	3	2	1	1	.	.	2	.	12
Dominica	1	.	2	2	.	4	1	.	.	.	1	11
Seychelles	1	1	3	.	2	.	2	.	1	1	.	11
Democratic Republic of Congo	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	5	10
Georgia	1	.	.	3	1	3	.	.	.	.	2	10
St Vincent and the Grenadines	1	1	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	1	2	10
Swaziland	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	6	1	10
Cyprus	.	1	1	3	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	9
Andorra	.	1	2	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	8
Eritrea	.	.	.	1	.	.	5	.	.	1	1	8
Grenada	2	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	8
Kosovo - Republic of	.	2	1	2	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	8
Liechtenstein	.	2	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	8
Marshall Islands	.	1	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	6
Palau	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	6
Tajikistan	.	1	1	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	6
Belize	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	5
Liberia	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	5
Mozambique	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	5
Nicaragua	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	2	5
Suriname	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	1	1	5
Australia	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	4
Bahamas	.	2	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	4
Unknown	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	4
Haiti	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3
Lesotho	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	3
Sierra Leone	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3
(not recorded)	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Bermuda	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2
Congo	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2
Monaco	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2
Somalia	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	2

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	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	Decision Type	
	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	
St Kitts - Nevis	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	2
Stateless	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2
Turkmenistan	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
United Nations	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Antigua & Barbuda	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Benin	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Burundi	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Cape Verde	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Chad	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Gambia	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Guinea	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Ivory Coast	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Madagascar	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Mali	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Mauritania	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
San Marino	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Senegal	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
South Pacific commission	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
<b>Total</b>	39,124	47,933	49,740	48,132	46,648	46,250	36,621	5,544	7,223	46,674	37,748	411,637

# Students converting to residence status, by year of first student visa/permit decision.

Data for period: Date first student visa approved between 1 July 2013 and 31 March 2024

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**Description: This worksheet summarises international students who proceeded to apply and be approved for residence. Only the first residence approval is counted. Year of residence approval is greater than or equal to year of student approval.**

	Resident Approved?		Total
	No resident application approved	Resident application approved	
<b>FY (Jul-Jun) Decided</b>			
<b>2013/14</b>	23,778	15,346	39,124
<b>2014/15</b>	27,694	20,239	47,933
<b>2015/16</b>	28,731	21,009	49,740
<b>2016/17</b>	28,463	19,669	48,132
<b>2017/18</b>	26,882	19,766	46,648
<b>2018/19</b>	27,603	18,647	46,250
<b>2019/20</b>	21,432	15,189	36,621
<b>2020/21</b>	1,799	3,745	5,544
<b>2021/22</b>	3,586	3,637	7,223
<b>2022/23</b>	41,599	5,075	46,674
<b>2023/24 to date</b>	36,958	790	37,748
<b>Total</b>	268,525	143,112	411,637



# Students converting to work visas/permits status, by year of first student visa/permit decision.

Data for period: Date first student visa approved between 1 July 2013 and 31 March 2024

Report prepared: 3 April 2024

**Description: This worksheet summarises international students who proceeded to apply and be approved for a work visa/permit. Only the first work approval is counted.**

	Work Approved?		Total
	No work application approved	Work application approved	
<b>FY (Jul-Jun) Decided</b>			
<b>2013/14</b>	22,722	16,402	39,124
<b>2014/15</b>	25,221	22,712	47,933
<b>2015/16</b>	27,832	21,908	49,740
<b>2016/17</b>	30,437	17,695	48,132
<b>2017/18</b>	30,024	16,624	46,648
<b>2018/19</b>	31,438	14,812	46,250
<b>2019/20</b>	24,673	11,948	36,621
<b>2020/21</b>	4,136	1,408	5,544
<b>2021/22</b>	6,427	796	7,223
<b>2022/23</b>	43,146	3,528	46,674
<b>2023/24 to date</b>	37,526	222	37,748
<b>Total</b>	283,582	128,055	411,637

# Student Type versus Application Criteria

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		FY (Jul-Jun) Decided											Total
		2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24 to date	
<b>Application Criteria</b>	<b>Student Type</b>												
<b>Child of NZ cit/res</b>	<b>Dependant</b>	.	.	149	164	168	138	137	116	87	175	218	1,352
<b>Dependant of Entrepreneur</b>	<b>Dependant</b>	.	.	45	90	35	21	14	1	4	11	9	230
<b>Dependant of a Worker - SMC</b>	<b>Dependant</b>	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9
<b>Dependent of a Worker</b>	<b>Dependant</b>	4,298	4,993	6,151	7,509	7,888	9,962	9,791	3,237	3,775	16,902	15,678	90,184
<b>Dependents of Long term Business</b>	<b>Dependant</b>	452	189	60	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	701
<b>Dependents of Military Personnel</b>	<b>Dependant</b>	4	11	13	3	5	2	4	6	15	7	13	83
<b>Distance Education</b>	<b>Fee Paying</b>	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	3
<b>English language studies</b>	<b>Fee Paying</b>	3,281	4,449	6,176	9,285	10,467	9,244	5,893	785	471	4,525	3,610	58,186
<b>Exchange Student</b>	<b>Scholarship</b>	1,508	1,829	1,818	1,741	1,696	1,623	762	3	1	1,147	543	12,671
<b>Full fee paying</b>	<b>Fee Paying</b>	28,659	35,226	34,271	28,243	25,411	23,385	17,983	1,234	2,440	21,694	15,778	234,324
<b>IPT Order</b>	<b>Other</b>	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	6	4	9	2	31
<b>Label-less Replace</b>	<b>Other</b>	.	.	.	6	112	31	14	12	5	81	28	289
<b>Pathway</b>	<b>Fee Paying</b>	.	.	.	.	.	1,006	1,389	29	117	1,732	1,441	5,714
<b>Reconsideration</b>	<b>Other</b>	7	7	16	16	12	21	19	24	16	17	28	183
<b>Scholarship holder</b>	<b>Scholarship</b>	661	1,003	869	901	717	702	496	.	72	263	280	5,964
<b>Section 61</b>	<b>Other</b>	206	195	165	165	130	108	107	89	92	56	86	1,399
<b>Ukraine 2022</b>	<b>Other</b>	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	123	55	33	211
<b>VOC Critical Purpose</b>	<b>Other</b>	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	4
<b>Variation of Conditions</b>	<b>Other</b>	11	26	7	9	6	2	.	1	.	.	1	63
<b>Vocational Air NZ trainee</b>	<b>Other</b>	23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	23
<b>Vocational religious trainee</b>	<b>Other</b>	5	5	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	13
<b>Total</b>		39,124	47,933	49,740	48,132	46,648	46,250	36,621	5,544	7,223	46,674	37,748	411,637