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Education Funding reviewed in Gonski Report

Minister for Education and Training Chris Burns today welcomed the release of the Australian Government’s Review of Funding for Schooling Report

Dr Burns said the report looks at modifications to the current funding model for both government and non-government schools, and the desired level of achievement and performance for all students.

“The report is an important and timely document, and we will work through it to ensure we secure the best outcomes for all Territory students, whether they are remote or urban, government or non-government schools,” Dr Burns said.

“The Henderson Government is delivering a record education budget and it is pleasing to see this report also views school funding as an investment in the future.

“Children who go to school every day get a great education and we will continue to support our schools and students as they continue to achieve in the Territory.”

The report contains 41 recommendations and was chaired by David Gonski AC.

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