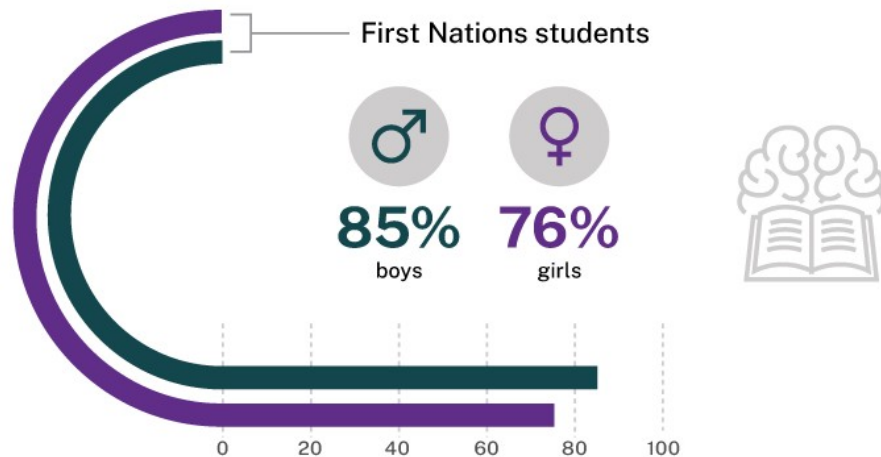


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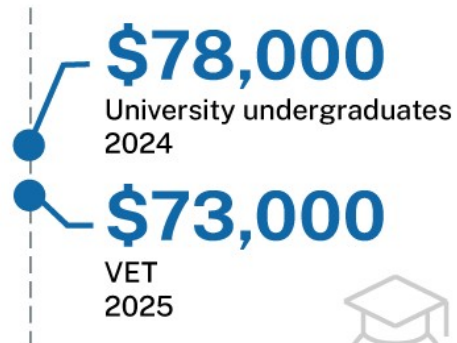
Schooling

2025–26 Youth in STEM survey - proportion of people who agreed science skills were important for future careers



Graduate outcomes

Median STEM graduate income in the year after graduation



Proportion of 2011 university STEM graduates working in STEM occupations 10 years after graduation (2020–21)



Higher education

STEM enrolments, 2024

Proportion of total STEM enrolments from First Nations people

1%

7%

Among First Nations people, proportion of STEM enrolments from women



42% ♀

21% ♀

STEM fields with highest proportion of enrolments from First Nations people



2%

12%

Agriculture, environmental and related studies

STEM workforce

Proportion of all people working in STEM-qualified occupations who were First Nations people, 2022–23

2%

First Nations people



Number of First Nations people in STEM occupations, 2018–19 to 2022–23

