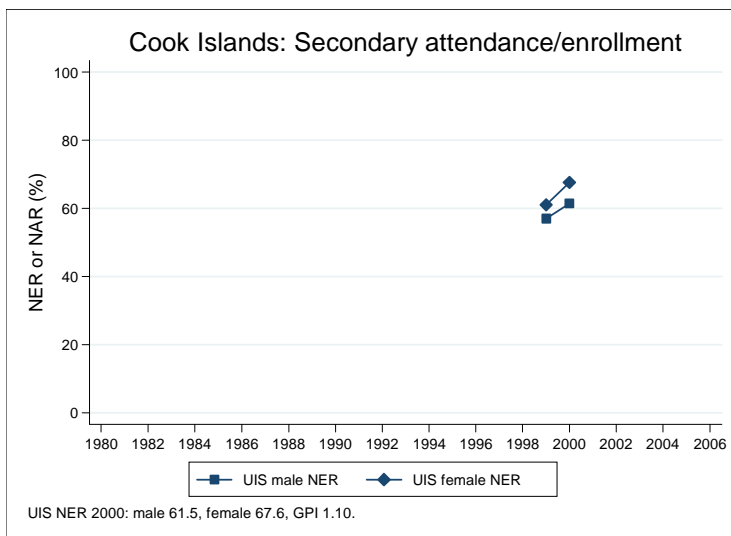
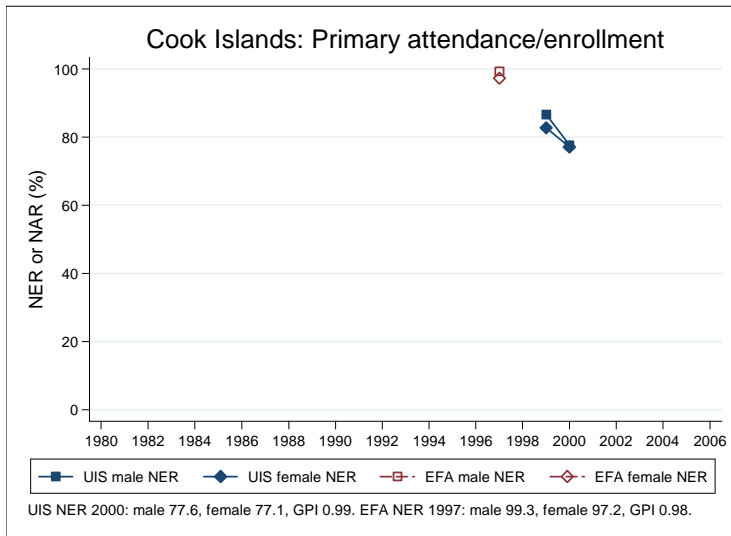
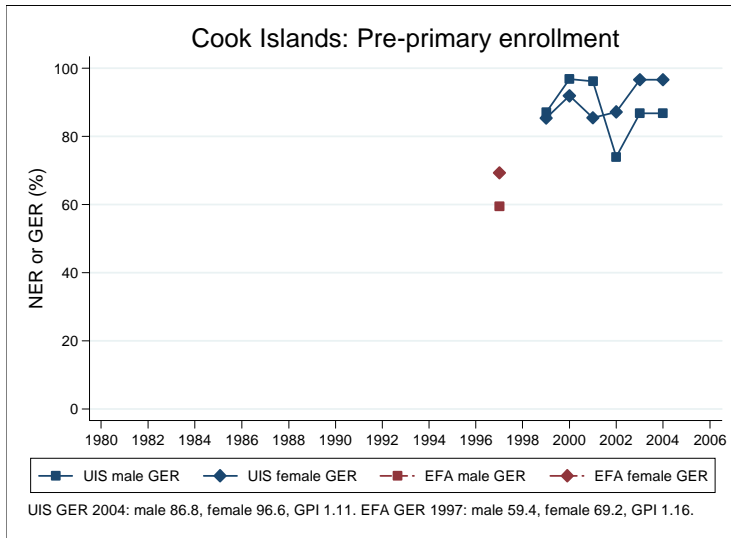
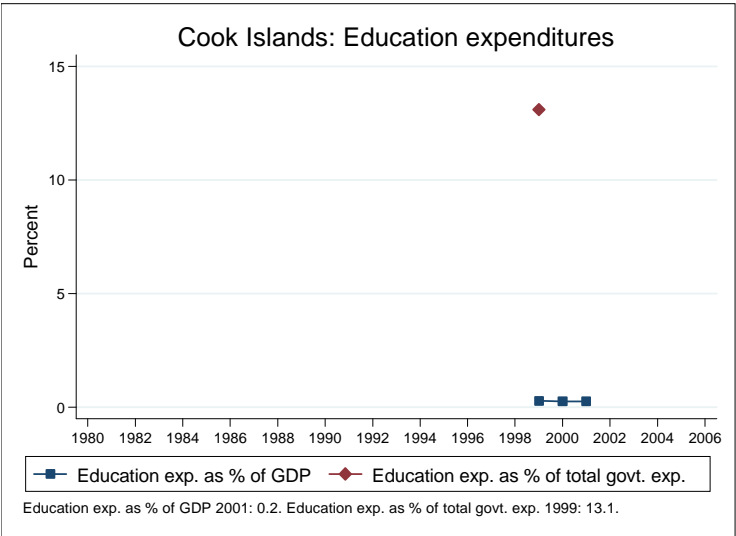
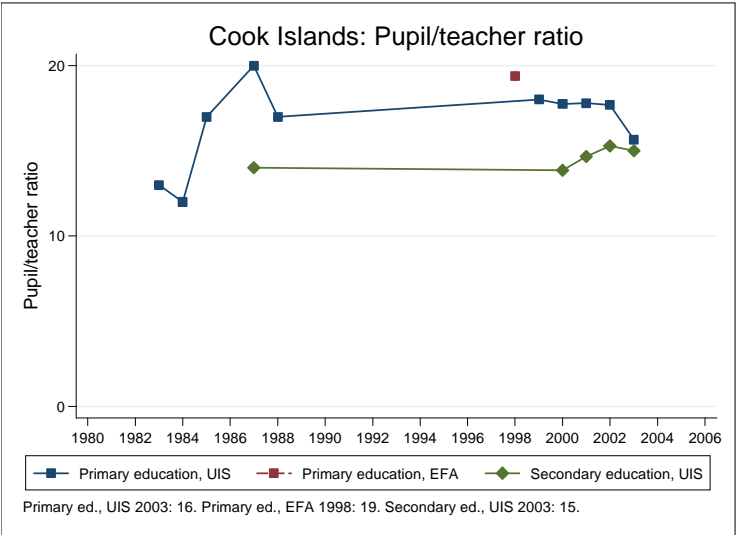


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Population (1,000)	Total	Male	Female
Preschool age, 2004	1	0	0
Primary school age, 2004	3	1	1
Secondary school age, 2004	3	1	1
Total population, all ages			
Official school age (years)	Entrance age	Graduation age	Duration
Preschool, 2005	4	4	1
Primary school, 2005	5	10	6
Secondary school, 2005	11	17	7
Compulsory education, 2005	5	15	11
Net enrolment ratio (%)	Total	Male	Female
Preschool NER			
Primary school NER, 2000	77.4	77.6	77.1
Secondary school NER, 2000	64.4	61.5	67.6
Gross enrolment ratio (%)	Total	Male	Female
Preschool GER, 2004	91.4	86.8	96.6
Primary school GER, 2004	82.0	82.8	81.2
Secondary school GER, 2004	72.3	71.7	73.0
Entrance and transition (%)	Total	Male	Female
Primary net intake rate			
Primary gross intake rate, 2004	79.9	81.5	78.2
Primary entrants with ECCE			
Transition rate primary-secondary			
Repetition and completion	Total	Male	Female
Primary repetition rate (%), 1999	2.6		
Secondary repetition rate (%), 2000	4.4		
Survival rate to grade 5 (%)			
Survival rate to last primary grade (%)			
Primary completion rate (%), 1999	87.9	89.8	85.9
School life expectancy (years), 2004	9.9	9.9	9.8
Teaching staff	Pupil/teacher ratio	% trained teachers	% female teachers
Preschool, 2003	17.6		100.0
Primary school, 2003	15.7		85.8
Secondary school, 2003	15.0		
Public expenditure per student as % of GDP per capita			
Primary school, 2000	0.9		
Secondary school, 2000	1.0		
Total public expenditure on education			
As % of GDP, 2001	0.2		
As % of total government expenditure, 1999	13.1		

Data sources:

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