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# Keywords

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# Details

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English

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Short report

## Topics

* Learning
* Literacy and skills
* Wellbeing

## Sample

this is GUI longitudinal study of 11.000 children started since 2006.

# Abstract

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these children at 9 years of age. It focuses on the lives and
circumstances of these 9-year-olds in post-recession Ireland,
the financial situation of their families and changes in family
structure over time. It also looks at the relationship with
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contribution the children make to family chores.
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are contrasted with those of the earlier Cohort ’98. There are
important differences between the two cohorts at 9 years old,
apart from being born a decade apart. The main difference
is that the children in the ‘08 cohort at 9 years old have been
living in Ireland since they were 9 months old. The cohort does
not include children who had moved to Ireland when they were
older than 9 months; or children whose families had dropped out
of the study since they were 9 months old. Cohort ’98, on the
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