What do teachers report spending time on during an average lesson?

The OECD Teaching and Learning International Survey (TALIS) 2013 asked lower secondary education teachers about the distribution of class time during an average lesson*. Here are some of the results:

- **Administrative tasks**
  - Australia: 7%
  - Brazil: 12%
  - Bulgaria: 5%
  - Portugal: 8%
  - Singapore: 11%
  - England (UK): 7%

- **Keeping order in the classroom**
  - Australia: 15%
  - Brazil: 20%
  - Bulgaria: 9%
  - Portugal: 16%
  - Singapore: 18%
  - England (UK): 11%

- **Actual teaching and learning**
  - Australia: 78%
  - Brazil: 67%
  - Bulgaria: 87%
  - Portugal: 76%
  - Singapore: 71%
  - England (UK): 82%

*Data refer to a randomly chosen class from the teacher’s timetable. The distribution of time may not add up to 100%.