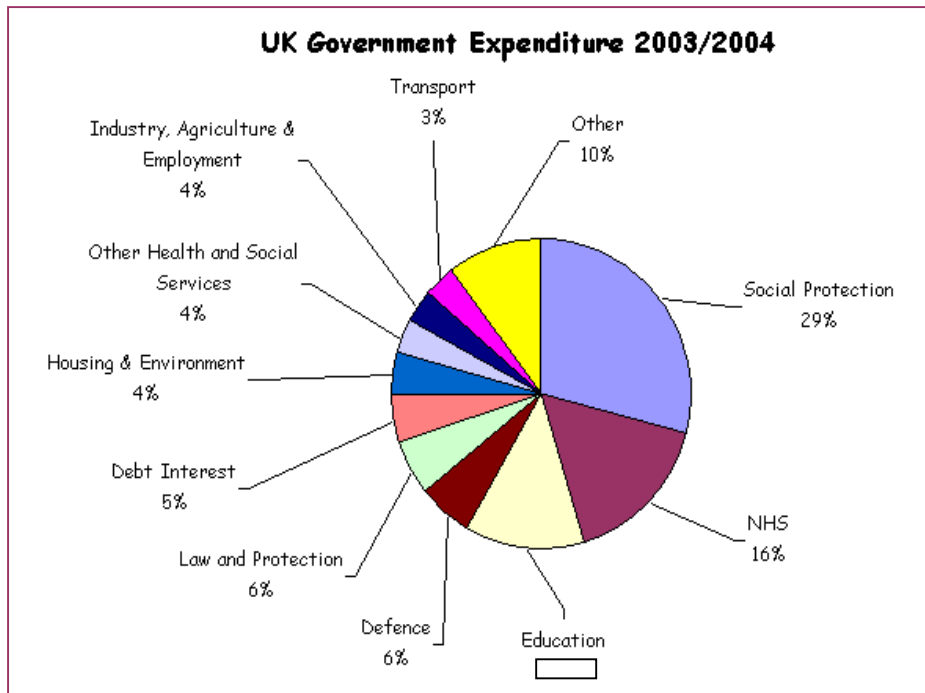


# Government Spending



- Look at the pie chart. On what does the Government spend most of its budget?
- What percentage of the budget is spent on Education? How did you work this out?
- What fraction of the budget is spent, in total, on the four areas: 'Housing and Environment', 'Other Health and Social Services', 'Industry, Agriculture and Employment' and 'Other'?
- What do you think the Government means by 'Social Protection'?
- The total budget spent was £454 billion pounds. Calculate how much was spent on each area and complete the table below.

Area of Spending	Amount Spent in Billion Pounds
Social Protection	
NHS	
Education	
Law and Protection	
Defence	
Debt Interest	
Housing & Environment	
Other Health & Social Services	
Industry, Agriculture & Employment	
Transport	
Other	

**TOTAL £454**