



KEY ENROLMENT STATISTICS 2018

Relating to training funded by the Department

2017-18 summary				
Measure	2017	2018	Annual change	Change %
Students	90,561	89,386	-1,175	-1.3%
CE	124,145	120,702	-3,443	-2.8%
SCH	31,168,493	29,598,537	-1,569,956	-5.0%

Funding Category	Funding category							
	2017		2018		Annual change		Annual change %	
	CE	SCH	CE	SCH	CE	SCH	CE	SCH
Apprenticeships and Traineeships (a)	31,397	7,191,672	26,876	6,310,327	-4,521	-881,345	-14.4%	-12.3%
Priority Industry Qualifications (b)	22,127	8,776,156	20,912	8,509,246	-1,215	-266,910	-5.5%	-3.0%
CAVSS and USIQ	18,161	976,895	19,182	1,017,215	1,021	40,320	5.6%	4.1%
Other foundation skills courses	10,095	2,691,390	9,928	2,582,966	-167	-108,424	-1.7%	-4.0%
Sub total - Priority Training	81,780	19,636,113	76,898	18,419,754	-4,882	-1,216,359	-6.0%	-6.2%
General Industry Qualifications (c)	42,365	11,532,380	43,804	11,178,783	1,439	-353,597	3.4%	-3.1%
Total	124,145	31,168,493	120,702	29,598,537	-3,443	-1,569,956	-2.8%	-5.0%

Age	Age at mid year							
	2017		2018		Annual change		Annual change %	
	CE	SCH	CE	SCH	CE	SCH	CE	SCH
19 and under	38,425	9,548,554	36,696	9,319,650	-1,729	-228,904	-4.5%	-2.4%
20 - 24	25,101	6,322,585	24,803	6,126,066	-298	-196,519	-1.2%	-3.1%
25 - 29	13,775	3,519,464	13,148	3,195,320	-627	-324,144	-4.6%	-9.2%
30 - 39	21,369	5,496,212	20,836	5,071,826	-533	-424,386	-2.5%	-7.7%
40 - 49	15,115	3,886,575	14,851	3,632,990	-264	-253,585	-1.7%	-6.5%
50 - 64	9,603	2,283,002	9,571	2,127,360	-32	-155,642	-0.3%	-6.8%
65 plus	757	112,101	797	125,325	40	13,224	5.3%	11.8%
Total	124,145	31,168,493	120,702	29,598,537	-3,443	-1,569,956	-2.8%	-5.0%

Disability	Clients with a disability							
	2017		2018		Annual change		Annual change %	
	CE	SCH	CE	SCH	CE	SCH	CE	SCH
Disability identified	8,625	2,192,392	9,033	2,261,432	408	69,040	4.7%	3.1%
No disability identified	104,720	26,439,773	98,007	24,402,894	-6,713	-2,036,879	-6.4%	-7.7%
Not stated	10,800	2,536,328	13,662	2,934,211	2,862	397,883	26.5%	15.7%
Total	124,145	31,168,493	120,702	29,598,537	-3,443	-1,569,956	-2.8%	-5.0%

ATSI status	Clients of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander (ATSI) descent							
	2017		2018		Annual change		Annual change %	
	CE	SCH	CE	SCH	CE	SCH	CE	SCH
Aboriginal (d)	11,349	2,240,564	11,674	2,252,175	325	11,611	2.9%	0.5%
Not Aboriginal	100,516	25,931,754	89,974	22,762,231	-10,542	-3,169,523	-10.5%	-12.2%
Not stated	12,280	2,996,175	19,054	4,584,131	6,774	1,587,956	55.2%	53.0%
Total	124,145	31,168,493	120,702	29,598,537	-3,443	-1,569,956	-2.8%	-5.0%

Level of education	Level of education							
	2017		2018		Annual change		Annual change %	
	CE	SCH	CE	SCH	CE	SCH	CE	SCH
Advanced Diploma	1,062	541,880	917	482,901	-145	-58,979	-13.7%	-10.9%
Diploma	11,368	5,724,602	10,313	5,016,881	-1,055	-707,721	-9.3%	-12.4%
Certificate IV	18,166	5,820,661	16,334	5,297,008	-1,832	-523,653	-10.1%	-9.0%
Certificate III	49,543	13,000,763	47,136	12,619,588	-2,407	-381,175	-4.9%	-2.9%
Certificate II	20,421	3,974,582	21,272	4,051,614	851	77,032	4.2%	1.9%
Certificate I	4,830	1,001,162	5,102	999,515	272	-1,647	5.6%	-0.2%
Non certificate level	18,755	1,104,843	19,628	1,131,030	873	26,187	4.7%	2.4%
Total	124,145	31,168,493	120,702	29,598,537	-3,443	-1,569,956	-2.8%	-5.0%

Training provider	Training provider							
	2017		2018		Annual change		Annual change %	
	CE	SCH	CE	SCH	CE	SCH	CE	SCH
North Metropolitan TAFE	30,496	8,804,521	31,030	8,539,520	534	-265,001	1.8%	-3.0%
South Metropolitan TAFE	30,663	7,286,835	31,058	7,462,666	395	175,831	1.3%	2.4%
North Regional TAFE	9,093	1,078,515	10,036	1,101,418	943	22,903	10.4%	2.1%
Central Regional TAFE	10,129	1,936,156	9,343	1,856,226	-786	-79,930	-7.8%	-4.1%
South Regional TAFE	12,450	2,333,099	12,227	2,479,780	-223	146,681	-1.8%	6.3%
WA Academy of Performing Arts	349	327,666	348	333,399	-1	5,733	-0.3%	1.7%
Private training providers	30,965	9,401,701	26,660	7,825,528	-4,305	-1,576,173	-13.9%	-16.8%
Total	124,145	31,168,493	120,702	29,598,537	-3,443	-1,569,956	-2.8%	-5.0%

NOTES

CE - Course Enrolment. This is based on the Department's course enrolment definition designed for reporting flexibility which takes into account a number of variables in addition to student and course i.e. fund source, training type, training delivery location and VET in schools status.

SCH - Student Curriculum Hours. This is the sum of the nominal number of hours associated with each module or unit of competency enrolled in. SCH is considered to be the most objective measure of VET activity and is used as the basis for funding of training.

End of study - All figures are calculated on 'end of study' reporting approach. CE and SCH are linked to unit of competency or module enrolments counted only when they have ended and an assessment outcome or withdrawal has been reported.

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- (a) Includes all Apprenticeship and Traineeship delivery, regardless of Australian Qualifications Framework level.
 - (b) Includes all Priority Industry Training and priority Diploma and above, excluding Apprenticeships and Traineeships.
 - (c) Includes all General Industry Training and non-priority Diploma and above, excluding Apprenticeships and Traineeships; and Other training (Not identifiable by level/not elsewhere classified).
 - (d) The term Aboriginal is intended to reference to Torres Strait Islanders and Indigenous Australians.

For further information and special data requests, please contact the Department's VET Enrolment Statistics Unit on (08) 6551 5281.