

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment - Education

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2014-2015**

Outcome 3 - Higher Education, Reform & Support

Department of Education Question No. ED0387_15

Senator Carr provided in writing.

Question

3.1 Commonwealth Grant Scheme

Can you outline the funding profile, over the forward estimates, for the 20 percent reduction in Commonwealth Grant Scheme on existing Table A providers (universities)?

Answer

The funding profile over the forward estimates (as at the 2014-15 Budget for the Commonwealth Grants Scheme and Higher Education Contribution Scheme) for the 20 per cent reduction in Commonwealth Grant Scheme is below.

As the Department has not apportioned this reduction to different institutions, this includes the impact on non-Table A providers that are currently allocated Commonwealth supported places (University of Notre Dame Australia, Avondale College, Tabor Adelaide, Tabor College Victoria, Christian Heritage College, Holmesglen Institute of TAFE and Northern Melbourne Institute of TAFE).

2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	Total
\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
-300.3	-718.5	-928.9	-1,947.6