Senate Committee: Education and Employment

QUESTION ON NOTICE Supplementary Budget Estimates 2015 - 2016

Outcome: Agency: AITSL

Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ15-000862

Senator Lines, Sue provided in writing.

AITSL - teacher students

Question

How many teaching students attend each accredited teacher training institution? What specialities or focuses are they studying? Broken down by subject focus, secondary, primary, etc.

Answer

The Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership (AITSL) has provided the following response.

The AITSL Initial Teacher Education Data Report (2014) provides a breakdown by teacher education program of the number of commencing students for each course. This includes whether the course is a secondary or primary program, however does not capture information on specialities or subject focus.

Attachment 1 provides the detailed information available.