

**Senate Standing Committee on Education Employment and Workplace  
Relations**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
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**Outcome 2 - Schools and Youth**

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**Senator Bilyk asked on 16 February 2012, Hansard page 61**

**Question**

**National Safe Schools Framework**

Senator BILYK: You might need to take this on notice. Do you have any information on how many schools have taken it up and are using the website? Mr Davies: I could take that on notice. From memory, there have been over 10 million page views, which is one indicator that there is a lot of use. It is a very popular site for many different audiences. Senator BILYK: I suppose there is no way that you can work out who is accessing it, whether it is the students, the parents or grandparents? Mr Davies: I would have to take that on notice. I cannot recall whether we have that sort of information. Senator BILYK: That is probably a bit technical. If you can get back to me, that would be really good.

**Answer**

The web statistics quoted in Mr Davies' response above were related to the Cybersmart website which has had approximately 10 million views since its development in 2009.

All Australian schools were sent a hard copy of the NSSF accompanied by a letter from the Hon Peter Garrett AM MP with links to the supporting resource manual.

Web statistics indicate steady viewing of the NSSF web page. Over the last 12 months the relevant web page has had 11,085 views with peaks in March 2011 and September 2011. These statistics do not provide an accurate indication of the number of schools that actively use the NSSF, nor do they provide any data on who is accessing the website.