

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2003-2004 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 1

Output Group: 1.4 – Assistance for transitions through and from school

DEST Question No. E035_04 – FINAL

Senator Crossin tabled on 4 June 2003

Question:

These two programs have run as pilots since March last year – 23 CAT and 21 POEM were stated to have commenced. Is there any report on how they performed in the 2002 school year? If so can this be provided?

Answer:

CAT and POEM pilots

Miles Morgan Australia Inc. was commissioned to evaluate the Career and Transitions Pilots and Partnership Outreach Education Model Pilots. The evaluations have been completed and the following four reports produced:

- Final Report – Evaluation of the Career and Transition Pilots (individual projects/ CAT Pilot in general). This report, released on 27 April 2004, is available at <http://www.dest.gov.au/schools/catspoems/evaluation.htm>;
- Final Report – Evaluation of the Partnership Outreach Education Model Pilots. This report, released on 26 July 2004, is available at http://www.dest.gov.au/schools/catspoems/evaluation_poems.htm;
- The learnings from CATs and POEMs – what can policy makers draw from both. This report, released on 26 July 2004, is available at <http://www.dest.gov.au/schools/catspoems/learnings.htm>; and
- The learnings from CATs and POEMs – a community partnership resource, was released on 16 August 2004, is available at <http://www.dest.gov.au/schools/catspoems/cpr.htm>.