

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2004-2005 BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 2
Output Group: 2.2 – New Apprenticeships

DEST Question No. E058_05

Senator Carr provided in writing.

Question:

How many apprentices are expected to commence this budget year?

Can we have these estimates over the next four years?

What proportion commencing this year do you expect to be in training for a certificate III or above?

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Answer:

Commencement of Apprentices

Commencements this budget year.

The expected number of New Apprenticeship commencements giving rise to the 2004-05 Budget estimate is 292,956.

Commencements over the next four years.

The expected numbers of commencements of the next four years are:

2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
292,956	303,018	312,191	320,643

Proportion of this year's commencements expected to be in training at certificate III and above.

The proportion of commencements in 2004-05 expected at certificate III and above is 76.3%.

Proportion of the next four years' commencements expected to be in training at certificate III and above.

The proportion of commencements over the next four years expected to be at certificate III and above is also 76.3%.