

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

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
Budget Estimates 2011-2012**

**Outcome 1 - Early Childhood**

**DEEWR Question No.** EW0160\_12

**Senator Humphries provided in writing.**

**Question**

**Child Care Tax Rebate / Benefit**

How many ACT families receive the Child Care Tax Rebate, and of those, how many families receive the maximum amount available per child per year? How many ACT and Australian families receive both the Child Care Tax Rebate and the Child Care Benefit?

**Answer**

For the 2009-10 financial year there were:

- 13,240 families who used approved child care providers in the ACT and received the Child Care Rebate (CCR), of which 640 families received the maximum amount available per child per year.
- 549,700 Australian families received both the Child Care Benefit (CCB) and the CCR, of which 7,780 ACT families received both the CCB and the CCR.