

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

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Budget Estimates 2012-2013**

Outcome 3 – Employment

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Senator Cash asked on 29 May 2012 , Hansard page 27

Question

JSA - language, literacy and numeracy course

What percentage of JSA clients undertake a language, literacy and numeracy course? Ms Drayton: We will have to take that one on notice as well.

Answer

From 1 July 2009 to 31 March 2012 there have been 41 392 placements in the Language, Literacy and Numeracy Program. This figure represents three per cent of total placements for this period.

This figure is for placements in the Language, Literacy and Numeracy Program only. Placements in other activities, such as short courses, may also include a language, literacy and numeracy focus.