

EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TRAINING

SENATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEE - QUESTIONS ON NOTICE 2005-2006 SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES HEARING

Outcome: 1

Output Group: 1.2 – Assistance for individuals including those with special needs

DEST Question No. E542_06 - Final

Senator Crossin provided in writing.

Question:

Can you tell us how many applications for nutrition programs have been received and how many of them approved?

Answer:

Applications for nutrition programmes

As at 31 December 2005, 220 applications had been received for Parent School Partnerships Initiative (PSPI) projects with a nutrition element. 176 of these PSPI projects were approved. In addition, 327 Homework Centres were approved which also provide some food for students.

State/Territory	Total number of PSPI applications received in 2005 with nutrition element	Total number of approved PSPI projects in 2005 with a nutrition element
	PSPI	PSPI
NSW & ACT	8	4
VIC	6	2
QLD	11	0
WA	54	54
SA	9	7
NT	130	108
TAS	2	1
TOTAL	220	176