

**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON
EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS**

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES 2009-10**

Outcome 1

DEEWR Question No. EW701_10

Senator Payne asked on 22 October 2009, EEWHR Hansard pages 22 and 23.

Question

Additional Early Learning and Care Centres

- 1) What is the Commonwealth contribution to the 11 new Early Learning and Care Centres in NSW?
- 2) Where are the 11 new Early Learning and Care Centres in NSW being located?
- 3) Who will be operating the sites in NSW?

Answer

Information on the Commonwealth funding contribution towards the capital construction costs, the location and sites, and the service operators for the 11 Early Learning and Care Centres in New South Wales is provided in the following table:

	Location	Site	Service operator	Commonwealth contribution for capital costs*
1	Bondi Junction	25 Ebley Street, Bondi Junction	Waverley Council	\$1,650,000
2	Fairlight	26 Balgowlah Road, Fairlight	Manly Council	\$1,400,000
3	Faulconbridge	Faulconbridge Public School, Grose Road, Faulconbridge	KU Children's Services	\$1,764,547
4	Hazelbrook	To be determined	Hazelwood Child Care Centre Inc	Allocation of up to \$2.2 million available
5	Killara	22 Woonona Avenue, Wahroonga	Abbotsleigh School for Girls	\$1,400,000
6	Milperra#	Milperra Public School, Pozieres Avenue, Milperra	To be determined	To be determined
7	Newcastle	Merewether Heights Public School, Cedar Crescent, Merewether Heights	The Heights Kindy	\$980,000
8	North Ryde	North Ryde Public School, 154 Cox's Road, North Ryde	Explore and Develop	\$1,091,680
9	Sydney Inner West	17 Henry Street, Ashfield	The Infants Home	\$1,700,000
10	Sydney (Autism)	90 Memorial Avenue, Liverpool	KU Children's Services	\$1,388,815
11	Queanbeyan	Queanbeyan South Public School, Cameron Road, Queanbeyan	KU Children's Services	\$1,697,547

*Excluding GST

#An Australian Government Request for Proposal process is currently underway for Milperra and is scheduled to close on 23 November 2009.