

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

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Additional Estimates 2010-2011**

Outcome 2 - Schools

DEEWR Question No.EW0872_11

Senator Nash asked on 24/02/2011, Hansard page 52.

Question

AVERAGE COST FOR TRADE TRAINING CENTRES

Senator NASH—So you will not actually have that until March anyway. I would appreciate that they would differ enormously, probably, but is there a ballpark average cost you can give me for these trade training centres? I suppose it is difficult when you have clusters and single centres. Maybe the easy way to do it, as you have taken on notice to give us the information for all of the centres, is to just put the costing against each of those in the question that you have taken on notice.

Answer

288 Trade Training Centre projects, benefitting 927 schools, have been approved for Round One to Round Three of the Program. Funding for these projects has ranged from \$150,000 to \$19,499,844 with an average cost to date of \$3,578,207.