

Senate Standing Committee on Education and Employment - Education

**QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
Supplementary Budget Estimates 2013-2014**

Agency - Australian Curriculum, Assessment & Reporting Authority

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Question

ACARA - divisions in ACARA

Senator O'NEILL: In terms of the divisions, roughly how many are in each? Mr Randall: We have the curriculum group, the assessment reporting group, and then I have corporate services and the office of the CEO. In broad terms, if I get the fractions right, it is about a quarter across each of those, but again, I would reiterate that I think that assessment reporting is larger than curriculum and that will continue to be the case. The corporate services areas is a number about 30 or so, but if you want the specific numbers, I am happy to take that on notice.

Answer

ACARA has provided the following response.

ACARA staff by business unit – as at 9/12/13	
Assessment and Reporting	
Full Time Staff	40
Part Time Staff	2.3*
Temps/consultants	1
Vacant/advertised Positions	1
Total FTE	44.3
Curriculum	
Full Time Staff	30
Part Time Staff	0
Temps/consultants	5
Vacant/advertised Positions	1
Total FTE	36
Office of the CEO	
Full Time Staff	6
Part Time Staff	0.6*
Temps/consultants	-
Vacant/advertised Positions	1
Total FTE	7.6
Communications and Strategic Relations	
Full Time Staff	3
Part Time Staff	0
Temps/consultants	-
Vacant/advertised Positions	3
Total FTE	6
Corporate Services	
Full Time Staff	28
Part Time Staff	0.9*
Temps/consultants	4
Vacant/advertised Positions	1
Total FTE	33.9
All ACARA	127.8

*As per usual practice, a partial figure represents people or a person who does not work full weekly hours.