

**Senate Committee: Education and Employment**

**QUESTION ON NOTICE  
Additional Estimates 2016 - 2017**

**Outcome: Agency: ACARA**

**Department of Education and Training Question No. SQ17-000458**

Senator Collins, Jacinta provided in writing

***ACARA - NAPLAN online***

**Question**

What was the original agreed timeline for the rollout of NAPLAN online? Is this timeline being met?

Have there been any delays in the rollout of NAPLAN Online? If yes, what are the reasons for these delays and how will they be rectified in the future?

**Answer**

*The Australian Curriculum Assessment & Reporting Authority (ACARA) has provided the following response:*

Education ministers had agreed that NAPLAN will move online from 2017. The move was intended to include a transition period with voluntary opt-in for 2017 and 2018 with the expectation that all students will take NAPLAN online in 2019.